



## Scholarships Available!



### **Government Scholarships:**

**Scholarships4Students** (Website has list of very specific scholarships offered to military dependents - Deadlines vary) [http://www.scholarships4students.com/scholarships\\_for\\_the\\_military.htm](http://www.scholarships4students.com/scholarships_for_the_military.htm)

**Fisher House Foundation** (aka Defense Commissary Agency Scholarship) The program is open to students who possess a US Uniformed Services Identification and Privilege Card (DD Form 173), and whose parent or parents serve or served in the Army, Marine Corps, Navy, Air Force or Coast Guard. Recipient must be enrolled or planning to enroll full-time in a four-year undergraduate college or university, accredited in the U. S or a two-year community college. They must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 basis. **(2019 Program is Closed - 2020 program details will post Dec. 2019)** <http://www.militaryscholar.org/>

**The American Legion Legacy Scholarship** For children of U.S. military members who died while on active duty on or after Sept. 11, 2001. Also, children of post-9/11 veterans having been assigned a combined disability rating of 50 percent or greater by the Department of Veterans Affairs also qualify. **(New scholarship information posted summer of 2019)** <http://www.legion.org/scholarships/legacy>

**Veteran's United Foundation Scholarships** The VUF Scholarship creates opportunities for family members of service members and Veterans to achieve their educational dreams. The scholarship program, launched in 2012, is funded by contributions from Veterans United Home Loans and its employees. The VUF Scholarship will be awarding up to 10 one-time scholarships for up to \$50,000 for this upcoming semester. **(Program opens summer of 2019)** <http://www.enhancelives.com/scholarships>

**National Military Family Association- Military Spouse Scholarships** Applications for 2019 will close on September 30, 2019. The 2020 application will open October 1, 2019 <http://www.militaryfamily.org/our-programs/military-spousescholarships/>

**List of Organizations that Offer Scholarships to Military Spouses** that will help pay for school with scholarships, funds for licensure and fees, and seed money for your business. **(Various application periods)** <http://www.militaryfamily.org/get-info/spouse-education/financial-assistance/organizations-offer-scholarships.html>

**UNCG Military & Veteran Services** Scholarships-Grants-Loans available (Various application periods) <http://veterans.uncg.edu/scholarships-grants-loans/>

**The Chicago Injury Center's Disabled Veterans Scholarship:** The Chicago Injury Center is proud to offer four scholarships for disabled US Veterans, ranging from \$250 to \$1000. Applicants should write a 500+ word essay discussing the unique challenges they have faced as a disabled veteran and how their experiences have prepared them to overcome the challenges they will see as students. Essays and all other application materials should be sent to the Chicago Injury Center by June 1 of that year. Additional requirements for the scholarship can be found here: <http://chicagoinjurycenter.com/cic-veteran-scholarship-fund/>.

**Veteran Scholarship** sponsored by the *Disabled Veterans National Foundation*. Select **Disabled Veterans National Foundation Scholarship** to learn more about the scholarship. Select [Veterans National Foundation Scholarship Application](#) – to download the scholarship application.

**Navy Baccalaureate Degree Completion Program** : Up to \$54,000 Website: [www.navy.com](http://www.navy.com)  
Phone: (800) 872-6289

**US Coast Guard** Amount: Tuition, fees, monthly salary Must have 1000 SAT Between the ages of 21 and 26 at college graduation. Meet all Physical requirements for Coast Guard Commission. Service Commitment.  
Phone: (877) 669-8724

**Cherry Point Officers Wives Club Scholarship** provides funding to dependents of active duty military personnel assigned to MCAS Cherry Point or dependents of active duty, deceased or retired military personnel living in Craven, Carteret or Pamlico counties. <http://cherrypointosc.org/scholarships/>

**Reserve Officers' Training Corps Scholarships (ROTC)** This Scholarship is a competitive, merit-based scholarship available to high school students who plan to enroll in the Army, Air Force, Navy or Marine Reserve Officers' Training at a Post secondary institution. The length of the scholarship may vary for each branch of the service. Must be at least 17 years of age, but not over 21 for Navy ROTC Scholarships; Must be at least 17, but under 27 on June 30 of the calendar year in which eligible commissioning for Army scholarships. The age for individuals with prior active duty service may be increased by one month for each month of active duty up to a maximum of 3 years. The age for individuals with prior active duty service may be increased by one month for each month of active duty up to a maximum of 3 years for Army Scholarships.

For Army ROTC Scholarships: High school juniors and seniors may apply for four- year scholarships by January 10 of each year. Write to Army ROTC Scholarships, Fort Monroe, VA 23651-5000 or call 1 (800) USA-ROTC. College students may apply for an application for two- and three-year awards by contacting the professors of military science at Army ROTC Detachments.

For Air Force ROTC Scholarships: High school seniors may apply via [www.afrotc.com](http://www.afrotc.com) or by contacting the regional director of admission at 919-515-1551. The deadline is Dec. 1 of each year. College students may apply for 3½-, 3-, 2½-, or 2-year awards; contact professors of aerospace studies at Air Force ROTC detachments.

For Navy and Marine ROTC Scholarships: Contact your local ROTC recruiter listed in the telephone directory

under U.S. Department of Defense or call 1 (800) 662-7568 for Navy or Marine scholarships.

The Navy also offers scholarships for students majoring in nursing and a junior express scholarship program. Deadline for pre-applications is Dec. 1. There are no restrictions placed on choice of majors in college.

#### Other Information

Training while in college, and a commitment to the Armed Forces upon graduation. Military commitments vary, depending upon the branch of the service and the scholarship accepted. Contact the ROTC recruiting office for the military branch being considered for details.

**National Military Family Association Scholarship** For military spouses of active duty marines, reserve, guard, retired, medically retired, wounded or fallen service member, after September 2001. Applications are open December through February of each year.

<http://www.militaryfamily.org/spouses-scholarships>

**Anchor Scholarship** The Anchor Scholarship is available to dependents of service members who have served a minimum of six years in a unit under the administrative control of Commander, Naval Surface Forces, U.S. Atlantic Fleet or U.S. Pacific Fleet. You must attend, or plan to attend an accredited four-year college or university and intend to work toward a BS or BA degree to be eligible for this award.

<http://www.anchor scholarship.com/eligibility-application.html>

**American Patriot Scholarship** To qualify, student must be the child of a member of the Uniformed Services who died while in Active service or was severely wounded (as defined as Traumatic SGLI). They must be under the age of 24 at the time of application. Qualified students are selected on a basis of their scholastic ability, activities, and financial need. The maximum age for students who are serving or have served in the Armed Forces before completing college will be increased by the number of years served, for up to 5 years of service or 29 years of age. Applications are accepted on our Web site beginning early November through NOON (EST) March 1, each year. Apply at [www.moaa.org](http://www.moaa.org)

**General John Paul Ratay Educational Fund Grants** Limited to children of the surviving spouse of retired officers. A student cannot receive both a MOAA loan and a Ratay grant. Students applying for a loan who also meet the criteria of a Ratay grant automatically will be considered. No separate application is required.

More info at [www.moaa.org](http://www.moaa.org)

#### **Air Force Grants and scholarships:**

**General Henry H. Arnold Education Grant Program** - This grant program is competitive in its need-based selection criteria, uniquely tailored to recognize the proper weighing of family income and education cost factors. Grants of at least \$2,000 are awarded to selected sons and daughters of Active Duty, Title 10 AGR/Reserve, Title 32 AGR performing full-time active duty, retired, retired reserve and deceased Air Force members; spouses of active duty members and Title 10 AGR/Reservists; and surviving spouses of deceased personnel for their full-time undergraduate studies.

Apply at [www.afas.org](http://www.afas.org)

**AFAS Merit Scholarship** - The Society awards a minimum of ten \$5,000 merit-based scholarships to incoming freshman who have completed both phases of the General Henry H. Arnold Education Grant application, and therefore, have already been reviewed for eligibility and had their GPA verified. Selection is based on cumulative GPA, SAT/ACT scores, transcripts, and an essay on a specified topic.

Apply at [www.afas.org](http://www.afas.org)

### **Miscellaneous Scholarships:**

**Federal Supplemental Education Opportunity Grant Program** This grant is a Federal program providing funds for students with exceptional financial need. Student must be an undergraduate and have exceptional financial need to qualify for an FSEOG award. The amount of financial need is determined by the need of the recipient and the available funds. An award may not be less than \$100, and the maximum award is usually \$4,000 /yr. Apply for FSEOG award by filling out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid. (FAFSA) The FSEOG will be included as part of the student's total financial aid package developed through the school the student attends. Annual application is required.

[http://studentaid.ed.gov/students/publications/student\\_guide/index.html](http://studentaid.ed.gov/students/publications/student_guide/index.html)

**NC Reach** This is a Scholarship Program, Child Welfare Postsecondary Support Program, which provides funding for college students who aged out of North Carolina public foster care or whose adoption from NC public foster care was finalized on or after their 12 birthday. Must have been adopted from NC Division of Social Services (DSS) foster care after the age of 12, or aged out of NC DSS foster care at age 18 (must have been in care on their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday; Must be NC resident; Must be under age 26; Must be enrolled at either a state community college or one of the 16 constituent institutions of the UNC system, at least ½ time, pursuing an undergraduate degree, diploma, or certificate; Must comply with registration requirements for military service unless they are exempt from registration; Must not be in default or owe a refund under any federal or state loan or grant program. Award Amounts vary. To apply, visit

<http://www.ncreach.org/apply/> For more information, visit [www.ncreach.org](http://www.ncreach.org)

**Wachovia Technical Scholarships** provide funding to second year technical degree students. One scholarship per college valued at \$500 each. These scholarships are distributed among the 58 colleges in the community college system, which may be distributed in two payments: fall semester, \$250; and spring semester, \$250. To qualify as a candidate for these scholarships, a person must meet the following criteria: 1. Is a full-time student enrolled in the second year of a two-year educational/technical program. 2. Demonstrate financial need. 3. Demonstrate scholastic promise. 4. Use the scholarship to pay for tuition, books, and transportation. The recipients of the scholarships will be selected each year from applicants meeting the above criteria at local colleges. To apply, you must sign up for a Peterson's Account at

[https://www.petersons.com/scholarship/wachovia-technical-scholarship-program-111\\_173042.aspx](https://www.petersons.com/scholarship/wachovia-technical-scholarship-program-111_173042.aspx)

**Goedeker's Scholarship** Win up to \$500 for Books. Goedeker's will be awarding a grand prize of \$500 and two honorable mentions for \$100 toward costly college textbooks. Prizes available to the individual or immediate family members of public service employees, and veterans. Go to

<http://www.goedekers.com/college-scholarship>

**Golden Leaf Scholarship** The deadline to apply is October 2<sup>nd</sup>,2015. Paper applications may be picked-up in and/or submitted to the Carteret Community College financial aid office, room 119, McGee building. The application and waiver may also be downloaded from the college website, [www.carteret.edu](http://www.carteret.edu), (go to: student information, financial aid and then types of aid). Or go directly to: <http://www.goldenleaf.org/scholarships.html> for more information.

**The FreeLegalAid.com Entrepreneurship Scholarship**: A scholarship offered to the student who writes the best short essay on access to law per the guidelines set forth on [www.freelegalaid.com/scholarship](http://www.freelegalaid.com/scholarship) Free Legal Aid is one of the oldest websites offering completely free legal resources. This scholarship requires an easy application form submitted through email. See the website for details.

**State Employees Association of North Carolina (SEANC) Scholarship** provides funding to members or dependents of members. Select [SEANC Scholarship Program](#)

**Carteret-Craven Electric Foundation** has set aside scholarship funds for students who are served by the electric cooperative and are attending or planning to attend Carteret Community College or Craven Community College. <http://www.carteretcravenelectric.coop/Scholarships>

**North Carolina Education Lottery Scholarship (ELS)** The North Carolina Education Lottery Scholarship is a Grant. Must be NC resident; Must be enrolled for at least 6 credit hours per semester in a curriculum program; Meet the Satisfactory Academic Progress requirements of the institution; Must be admitted enrolled and classified as an undergraduate student in matriculated status in a degree, certificate or diploma program at an eligible NC institution, (UNC campuses and NC Community College campuses); Eligibility is determined based on the same criteria as the Federal Pell Grant with one exception; students not eligible for the Federal Pell Grant with an expected family contribution of \$5,000 or less will be eligible for ELS Scholarship. Students who have earned baccalaureate (4 year) degrees are ineligible. Value ranges from \$100 to \$3000 for the year. Apply at <http://www.fafsa.gov/>

**North Carolina Bar Association Foundation Scholarships** The North Carolina Bar Association provides scholarships to college students who are the children of slain or permanently disabled North Carolina law enforcement officers. Applicant must be the natural or adopted child of a North Carolina law enforcement officer who was killed or permanently disabled in the line of duty; Must be under 27 years of age; Must be enrolled or accepted for admission in a college, vocational training school or other Division of the NC Bar Association; Must demonstrate financial need and merit. Applications may be obtained in writing.

The N.C. Bar Association Scholarship

PO Box 3688

Cary, NC 27519

Deadline is April 1 of each year. For more info., visit website at [www.ncbar.org](http://www.ncbar.org) or e-mail Jacquelyn Terrell @ [jterrell@ncbar.org](mailto:jterrell@ncbar.org)

## Scholarships for Minority Students :

**NC Hispanic College Fund** No status restrictions. Go to <http://thencshp.org/programs/nc-hispanic-collegefund/>

**Jackie Robinson Foundation** Scholarship for documented and minority high school seniors due February 14th. <http://www.jackierobinson.org/>

**Achievement Scholarship for Refugees and Immigrants** of Wake County, no status restrictions and due April 15th. [http://www.trianglecf.org/grants\\_support/view\\_scholarships/](http://www.trianglecf.org/grants_support/view_scholarships/)

**Ethel Louise Armstrong (ELA) Foundation, Inc.** Amount: \$500-\$2,000 For women graduate students with Physical disabilities. Student must be currently active in a local, state or national disability organization. [www.ela.org](http://www.ela.org) (626) 398-8840

## Career based Scholarships:

**Nursing Scholarships Available.** Three scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$5,000 for students pursuing a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing and two scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$2,000 for those pursuing an Associate of Applied Science degree. These scholarship applications are due by 5:00 p.m. on April 4<sup>th</sup>. Additional information is available at <http://www.carolinaeastfoundation.com/nursing/nursing.html>

**North Carolina Nurse Scholars Program** provides funding to enable outstanding students to become registered nurses. <http://www.ncseaa.edu/NSP.htm>

**American Chemical Society Scholars Program** Majors including chemistry, biochemistry, chemical engineering, materials science, environmental science, and toxicology. Additional Info: Must be Full-time, need-based, must be African American, Hispanic/Latino, or American Indian  
Website: [chemistry.org/scholars](http://chemistry.org/scholars) Phone: (800) 227-5558

**Engineering and Science** - Select [Scholars in Engineering and Science \(SEAS\) Program](#) to learn more about the scholarship.

**American Welding Society Foundation Scholarship** at [www.aws.org/foundation/district\\_scholarships.html](http://www.aws.org/foundation/district_scholarships.html)

**Prospective Teacher Scholarship Loan Program** provides funding for study leading to teacher licensure. Recipients must agree to teach one year in a North Carolina public school for each year of assistance received. <http://www.ncseaa.edu/PTSL.htm>

**Troy Douglas Carr Criminal Justice Scholarship** Major: Criminology Must be recommended by any law enforcements officer presently serving or retired from service in the state of NC. A desire to serve in NC.  
Website: [www.troycarr.org](http://www.troycarr.org)

**Local/Additional Scholarship Prospects**

- Chic-Fil-A
- Kiwanis Club
- Marine Corps Scholarship Fund
- NARFE (National Association of Retired Federal Employees)
- North Carolina Society of Accountants
- Retired Officers Association of Coastal Carolina
- Marine Corps Aviation Association
- National Society of Public Accountants
- American Association of University Women
- P.E.O. Program for Continuing Education
- Havelock Chili Festival Chamber of Com.
- American Association of University Women
- Fraternal Order of Police
- Cherry Point Employees Association
- State Employees Credit Union Foundation
- Tandemloc
- East Carolina Engineers Club
- Golden Leaf
- Naval Officers Spouse

\*See above company websites or contact independently for scholarship availability\*

*Additional scholarships are listed at Carteret Community College's Financial Aid website:*

<http://www.carteret.edu/newWeb/area.php?pg=financialAid&name=Aid%20Available>

*This list has been compiled by the Veteran Student Success Center at Carteret Community College. The Center/College is not affiliated with any of the above organizations. Please contact the organization directly for more information on scholarships*