

YORK COUNTY SCHOLARSHIP GUIDE

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GENERAL FINANCIAL AID RESOURCES FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS

Applying for college can feel overwhelming. There are applications to complete, essays to write, and funds to secure. Settling the logistics of financial aid can often be the most stressful part of the application process. Below are some financial aid resources students may wish to consider utilizing as they plan for college. This guide aims to clarify students' and families' questions about financial aid, connect them to a variety of resources, and alleviate some financial anxiety.

This is a sampling of the opportunities and is not intended to be an exhaustive list.

What is Financial Aid?

Financial Aid is money to help pay for college or career school. Scholarships, Grants, fellowships, and work-study help make college or career school affordable.

This guide mostly focuses on scholarship opportunities, but it is important to understand the differences between these types of aid.

Scholarships are criteria-based financial aid awards that students are not required to repay. Universities may offer scholarships directly to students, but students should also consider applying for scholarships provided by the government, businesses, and private organizations.

Scholarships and *grants* are similar, as grants also do not need to be repaid; however, grants usually include a financial need component, while scholarships may or may not be need-based. If you are looking to finance post-undergraduate educations, you may want to consider applying for a fellowship.

Fellowships are offered to graduate and professional students who are conducting research; this type of aid offsets the cost of tuition, research, and other general expenses.

Work-study provides part-time jobs for undergraduate and graduate students with financial need, allowing them to earn money to help pay education expenses.

How do students begin their search for these different types of aid?

Online search engines are a useful starting point. There are countless free search engines available online, so students may want to establish profiles on multiple websites to capture more opportunities.

The following are examples of search engines that students may want to explore:

The College Board

- College Board helps more than **7 million** students prepare for a successful transition to college through programs and services in college readiness and college success—including the SAT, the Advanced Placement Program, and BigFuture.
- Boasts access to scholarships, other financial aid and internships from more than **2,200 programs** totaling nearly **\$6 billion**.
- Website: <https://www.collegeboard.org/>

Fast Web

- Maintains a database of more than **1.5 million scholarships** worth over \$3.4 billion.
- Needs to create a **free profile** to have access to the data and resources.
- **Website:** <https://www.fastweb.com/>

Peterson's

- Compiles scholarships from more than **5,000 scholarship providers** offering **1.9 million scholarships, fellowships, and grants** totaling **\$10 billion**.
- **Website:** www.peterson.com

Scholarships.com

- Founded in 1998, this is a **free search engine** available to students.
- **Website:** www.scholarships.com

Note: Students choosing to pursue a scholarship search online should be cautious of scholarship scams and fraud and should **never** pay for scholarship information. The College Board offers tips for avoiding scholarship scams at <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college/financial-aid-basics/advice/how-to-avoid-financial-aid-scams>

Federal Grants and Financial Aid

The federal government offers several financial aid programs to college students. These programs include *grants* (financial aid that does not need to be repaid), *loans* (borrowed money students must repay with interest), and *work-study opportunities*. Students interested in receiving federal aid should start by submitting a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Information about the various types of federal financial aid programs, eligibility requirements, and application process is available for the U.S. Department of Education's website: www.studentaid.ed.gov/sa.

State Financial Aid

The Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency (PHEAA) administers the *State Grant Program* which provides grants to Pennsylvania students to help them afford the costs of attending a college or university of their choice. The amount of funding that students can receive is based upon the student's financial needs and the types of college or university that the student chooses to attend. PHEAA also administers the *Ready to Succeed Scholarship Program* which provides scholarships to high-achieving students who have completed at least one year of postsecondary education and come from families whose annual total household income does not exceed \$110,000. Information about both of these programs, as well as additional resources for student financial planning, is available from PHEAA's website www.pheaa.org/ and from www.educationplanner.org, PHEAA's career and college planning website.

For questions about the State Grant Program, you can contact a PHEA representative for York County Diona Brown (717)678-9681 diona.brown@pheaa.org

Work-Study Employment

In addition to the Federal Work-Study Program which students can apply for by submitting a completed FAFSA, Pennsylvania also has its own State Work-Study Program. The program is available to all PA students who meet certain eligibility requirements. More information about the State Work-Study Program and the application process is available from PHEAA's website:

<https://www.pheaa.org/funding-opportunities/work-study-employment/>

College and University On-Campus Resources

College and university offices of financial aid often administer various programs of financial aid funded by the institutions themselves, as well as federal, state, and private sources. Students may be eligible to find information about available scholarships and other forms of institutional aid by visiting the website of their chosen college or university or by contacting their school's financial aid office directly. Eligibility can be based on several factors, including merit, financial need, or intended major.

High School Counseling Offices

Students still in high school may also wish to use local resources available to them and reach out to their school counselors or academic advisors, as they often compile and maintain scholarship material. They are likely to have information about which scholarships former graduates have won and may be able to advise current students how to apply.

Employers

Some employers offer scholarships to their employees and/or children or family members of employees. Student job-holders can check with their employer's human resources department to find out more about what may be available. Students may also want to reach out of family members if they know of any scholarship opportunities offered by their places of employment.

Religious Institutions

Many religious organizations offer scholarships to their members. Students may wish to check with their place of worship for more information. Even if a local religious institution does not, it may know of other groups that offer scholarships to members of that faith.

Companies and Foundation

Many large corporations and foundations offer scholarships to students. Many have broad eligibility requirements, while others are targeted to students interested in particular fields of study. The following are some examples of scholarship programs offered by corporations and foundations. A more extensive list of private scholarships is at the end of this guide.

- MassMutual Scholars Program: <https://futuresmart.massmutual.com/en/scholarship/>
- Jack Kent Cooke Foundation College Scholarship Program:
www.jkcf.org/scholarship-programs/college-scholarship
- The Gates Millennium Scholars Program:
<https://gmsp.org/>
- The Coca-Cola Scholars Program Scholarship:
<https://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/blog/be-a-coca-cola-scholar/>

Undergraduate Students

General Scholarships

American Red Cross - Leaders Save Lives Scholarship Program: Several awards for students accepted to 2-year, 4 year, or Professional Trade school; *active* participant in the high school blood drive program & should exhibit a leadership role in the coordination and recruitment of blood drives. For more info visit: www.redcrossblood.org/leaderssaveives

AFY American Legion Auxiliary Scholarship: 2 - \$1,000 awards; must be daughter, granddaughter, great-granddaughter, son, grandson, great-grandson of a veteran of WWII, Korean, Vietnam, Lebanon, Grenada, Panama, Persian Gulf, Desert Storm or Iraq War; photo; letter of acceptance from college, trade school or business school they plan to attend; essay of 500 words; extra-curricular activities; list of community & civic activities. Visit www.alaforveterans.org/Scholarships/ for more information.

Army Scholarship Foundation: Various awards for sons or daughters of regular active duty, Reserve, or active duty National Guard U.S. Army members in good standing, with at least 2.0 GPA. For details see <https://armyscholarshipfoundation.org/scholarships/>

Christopher Columbus Scholarship Fund of York: Open to all high school seniors and residents of York County and at the time of application must have been accepted by an accredited four-year institution of higher learning. Available online or at the guidance offices of all York County high schools. <https://www.ccsfyorkpa.org/scholarship-info>

First Capital Federal Credit Union: This Scholarship opportunity is for High School seniors for a chance at four \$1000 Dennis Flickinger Honorable Scholarship courtesy of FCFCU and three \$1000 scholarships through the York Chapter of Credit Union. To be eligible students must:

- Be a member of FCFCU
- Be a member with an account in good standing
- Be a graduating York County high school senior
- Plan to attend an institution of higher learning full-time (accredited two or four-year degree program)

York Chapter of Credit Unions scholarship deadline is March 4, 2024

Dennis Flickinger Honorable scholarship deadline is April 5, 2024

Visit <https://www.firstcapitalfcu.com/education/youth-young-adults/scholarships.html> for more details.

Four Chaplains National Student Scholarship Competition: National Student Scholarship Essay competition for students in grades 5th–12th. The essay is designed to challenge young people to understand the values of interfaith cooperation and selfless service modeled by the Four Chaplains and Charles W. David Jr. The contest provides a forum for young people to express their views on the benefits of working together in a diverse world. For more information see: <https://fourchaplains.org/programs/>

Metzger Wickersham - Road to Safety Scholarship Contest: \$500-\$1000 award. Submit a creative project that sends a message about the dangers of drunk driving and/or distracted driving-may include posters, brochures, paintings, drawings, t-shirts, public service announcements, videos, songs, etc. For more info apply: www.arrivealivepa.com

Pennsylvania's State System of Higher Education (PSSHE) Provide scholarships to students enrolled at any of they 10 universities or 14 campuses that are in the public university system. <https://thepafoundation.scholarships.ngwebsolutions.com/Scholarships/Search>

Rotary Club of York: The York Rotary Foundation provides financial support for the academic success of York students seeking higher education. Students wishing to apply for York Rotary Scholarships should go to the website for more information and to complete an online application. The application process will open on January 1, 2024 and will close on March 15, 2024. See <https://www.yorkrotary.org/page/scholarships> for details

Scholarships Focus Areas and Awards:

- “Service Above Self” Scholarship – two-year \$3,000 scholarship – high academic achievement and community service for college junior
- Non-Traditional Student Scholarship – one-time \$3,000 scholarship – York County students enrolled later in life in technical or trade school, college or university.
- Bush Scholarship – four-year \$1,200 scholarship – high academic achievement
- Mangold Scholarship – four-year \$1,250 scholarship – high academic achievement
- Kranich Scholarship – one-year \$2,200 scholarship – any area of study

York-Adams Two-Cylinder Achievement Award: Accepted by an accredited university, college, Jr College, Community College, or technical institute; open to all career choices, those choices affiliated with Agriculture, Ag Business, Business, Vocation, Technical or Trade school could have first consideration; above average academic record. See your guidance counselor for more information.

High School Specific Scholarships

Central York High School Athletic Booster Club Achievement Award Scholarship: Each year, the Athletic Booster Club awards seven Achievement Awards to deserving athletes, managers or trainers. The scholarship award of \$1,000 is based on academic, athletic, and leadership performance. Interested seniors should complete the application by joining the Schoology Course "CYHS Booster Club" using the access code: 68K9R-6SHGS
Visit <https://www.cysd.k12.pa.us/athletics/booster-club> for more details.

John D. Bare Memorial Scholarship Fund: Awarded to a graduating senior of Delone Catholic, South Western, Hanover or New Oxford High schools entering a college, university, or two-year electronics school. Selection will be based on academic achievement, extra-curricular activities – both in school and the community, and financial need. For more info: <https://www.delonecatholic.org/support/awards-and-scholarships>

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- Diehl Scholarship – one-year \$1,200 scholarship – Engineering major with a preference for York City students
- *Bush Scholarship* four-year \$1200 scholarship award for York County high school senior with High Academic Achievement.
- *Mongold Scholarship* four-year \$1250 scholarship award for York County high school senior with high academic achievement.

The Kahley “Rising Musician” Scholarship: \$1000 award for students of William Penn or York Suburban High Schools who plan to major in MUSIC (Education, Performance, Composition, Production, etc.). Award based on musicianship and academics.

Spring Grove Area Scholarship Fund, Inc.: Distributed annually in May. Application process is available online and in the SGAHG guidance office by mid-winter for seniors.

See the website and the bulletin with more information and details: [Bulletin Website](#)

The Foundation for the West York Area School District: Seniors who will be attending a university, college, technical or trade school after graduation. Applications are available in the WY high school guidance office.

York County School of Technology

- *Bernard “Bud” Landis Award for Excellence:* Graduating from the YCST Manufacturing/Transportation Academy. Available in the YCST Career Center.
- *TECH Scholarship:* Available at the YCST Career Center.

York County Dollars for Scholars: Dollars for Scholars chapters and local school district education foundations meet the educational needs of students throughout York County. To apply for a scholarship, York County high school seniors please visit the website [Dollarsforscholars](#)

York County Community Foundation:

The Christopher Sabb Memorial Scholarship Fund of York County Community Foundation: Designated for BIPOC students attending Dallastown Area High School or Baltimore City, Maryland high schools. Students must be pursuing a post-secondary education and demonstrate a financial need.

Visit <https://yccf.org/for-grant-seekers/scholarships/field-of-study-scholarships/> for more details and how to apply.

College Major Specific Scholarships

ACE Mentor Program – Architecture Construction Engineering: Qualifying seniors entering a Skilled Trades program focusing on the crafts. Applications available on the website, www.acementor.org/students/scholarships, however, also require supplemental pieces that vary by region. Additionally contact York County mentor Ami Miller at 717-846-4805.

Advantage Physical Therapy Associates Scholarship: A one-time \$1000 scholarship. Available to any York County student attending a Physical Therapy or Physical Therapy Assistant program. Contact your high school’s guidance office for an application.

American Society of Highway Engineers - Harrisburg Section: \$2,000 award for a Central PA student majoring in Engineering; Science/Math Teacher recommendation necessary. Apply at: www.harrisburg.ashe.pro/Scholarship.htm

Animation Career Review: Aspiring Animation Professional Scholarship: \$1,000 award for a student pursuing an animation career path at an accredited post-secondary school or college. Apply at www.animationcareerreview.com

The ARC of York County: Dudley & Sylvia Kramer Memorial Scholarship: \$750 award for a York County resident in need for tuition assistance with educational goal of working w/ persons w/ intellectual disabilities. www.thearcofyorkcounty.org/uploads/Kramer-application.pdf

Christa McAuliffe Scholarship Fund of York County: \$1,000-\$3,000 award for York County Student, accepted into college/university for teaching certification in PA, good scholastic standing, character, school/community activities demonstrate interest in teaching, financial need personal statement, 3 recommendations.

The Engineering Society of York and the Rotary Club: Edgar P. Kable Foundation Grant:

\$2000 award for students or graduates of York County high schools or preparatory schools pursuing an engineering degree. Applications are available on the website. Due March 31. <https://tesoy.org/community-support/scholarship-overview-college/>

Fashion-Schools.org: Aspiring Fashion Professional Scholarship: \$1,000 award for a student pursuing a fashion degree at an accredited post-secondary school or college; see website for eligibility information: <https://www.fashion-schools.org/aspiring-fashion-professional-high-school-scholarship-program>

Momentum, Inc. Healthcare Scholarship: Student must reside in Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Juniata, Mifflin, Perry or York counties. Student must be a full-time junior or senior at a State System university. Must be majoring in a healthcare related field including biology and healthcare informatics. <https://pa-foundation.org/scholarships-fellowships/pa-student-scholarships/>

Promoting Future Educators Scholarship Award: 5 - \$1,000 awards for students' graduation from a high school in Adams, Franklin or York counties, attending the same school district for at least 6 years, 3 letters of recommendation, planning to attend post-secondary training program *that will certify you to work with special education students in the public schools.*

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Scholarships Focus Areas and Awards:

- Diehl Scholarship – one-year \$1,200 scholarship – Engineering major with a preference for York City students
- Smith Scholarship – one-year \$3,000 scholarship – Agriculture major
- Hayes Scholarship – one-year \$3,200 scholarship – Equine studies major for college junior, senior or graduate student.
- Wagman Scholarship – one-year \$2,300 scholarship – Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree at York College for junior or senior
- Rosen Miller Scholarship- one-year \$1,500 scholarship – Health care major

Starview Sportsmen's Association Scholarship: 5-\$1000 awards for students pursuing post-secondary education in a field that enhances or supports the outdoor activities of hunting, fishing & trapping. Some are but not limited to: Marine Biology, Forestry Management, Ecology related fields, Natural Resource Management. Essay Required. https://www.starviewsportsmens.com/Scholarship_Application

York County Conservation District Scholarship: York County resident attending a college or university in the US who are majoring in agriculture, conservation, environment, natural resource management or related field. Open to students who have completed their first semester of college. <https://www.yorkccd.org/education/scholarships>

York County Community Foundation:

Visit <https://yccf.org/for-grant-seekers/scholarships/field-of-study-scholarships/> for more details and how to apply.

- *Tom Adams, Jo Hunger, and George Lamotte Dental Scholarship:* Designated for dental school and dental hygienist students from York County attending Pitt, Penn, Maryland, Temple, or HACC. Application on website. Due April 1st.
- *Robert R. Anderson Family Scholarship:* Students pursuing undergraduate and graduate studies related to agriculture with a home address of record in York County, PA. Application on website. Due June 1st.
- *Fuel Their Fire Scholarship:* Designated for persons legally residing in York County Pennsylvania, who are seeking an educational opportunity in the area of Emergency Services (Fire Fighter, Paramedic, EMT, Law Enforcement), Fire Science, Criminal Justice, Nursing, and Conservation. In memory of our fallen local firefighting heroes.

Membership Specific Scholarships

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Dennis Flickinger Honorable scholarship deadline is APRIL 5, 2024

Visit <https://www.firstcapitalfcu.com/education/youth-young-adults/scholarships.html> for more details.

PA Masonic Youth Foundation of the Grand Lodge: Open to seniors who are siblings, children, or grandchildren of Masons and members of Masonic-related groups. Check specific dates online. Available on the website. www.pmyf.org/scholarships/applications/

Phi Delta Kappa: Prospective Educators/Educators Rising Scholarships: The PDK Educational Foundation awards more than 30 scholarships each year to prospective educators who have a connection to PDK by having a family member or teacher who is a PDK member, or through membership in Educators Rising. All scholarships are available under a single application. www.pdkintl.org/programs-resources/scholarships-awards/prospective-educator-scholarships/

PSECU Scholarship: Offers six scholarships, each up to \$8,000, to members graduating high school. Each recipient receives up to \$2,000 per year for up to four years. Must be a member of PSECU by 12/31/15 to apply for scholarship. For more info: [PSECU Scholarship](#)

Valley Forge Military College: Application is open to any student from the 95th Legislative District for the Valley Forge Military College Legislative Appointment Initiative. To qualify, a student must have a grade-point-average of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale and an SAT score of 1,000 or ACT score of 21 or higher. <https://www.vfmac.edu/academ-tuition-fees-and-scholarship-information/>

Volunteer Firemen's Insurance Services, Inc. of York, PA: Any person who is an active member of a state, county, municipal, community, industrial or federal fire department located within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Children and grandchildren of deceased firefighters that were a member of the Firemen's Association of the State of Pennsylvania. A person need not be a member of the State Association to submit an application. www.pafirefighters.org/scholarships/

York County Community Foundation: Through it, some donors have established funds related to a specific field of study. If a student would like to be considered for these scholarships, they should download and complete the application or contact the person listed on the website. The Community Foundation serves as a partner in the selection and distribution of these scholarships. Visit <https://yccf.org/for-grant-seekers/scholarships/field-of-study-scholarships/> for more details and how to apply.

- *Flinchbaugh Engineering Education Scholarship:* Designated for children and grandchildren of Flinchbaugh Engineering, Inc employees Contact Jason Rogers at 717-434-1931 for an application.
- *Shipley Scholarship:* Designated for children or grandchildren of Shipley Group employees or retirees. Contact Alyssa Mummert (717) 771-5165 for an application..

York County 4-H Scholarship: Two scholarships available for 4-H members planning to continue their education after high school and one scholarship available for members interested in purchasing a breeding animal to improve the genetics of their herd. Applications available at <https://extension.psu.edu/programs/4-h/counties/butler/programs/scholarship-forms>

York Chapter of Credit Unions: To be eligible for the scholarship the student must meet the following requirements: graduate in this current school year (2023/24), reside in York or Adams County, be a member of a credit union that belongs to the York Chapter of Credit Unions by date of application and plans to attend an institution of higher learning (accredited two or four-year degree program) in the fall of 2024.

Applications will not be accepted for enrollment as part-time students, vocational, trade schools, or for adult remedial education courses. Completed applications must be received at the address below by March 8, 2024, and must include all requested items in order to be considered.

[Scholarship contest](#)

York County Black Golfers Association Scholarship: The YCBGA Scholarship program started awarding scholarships in 2009. Since its inception, the YCBGA has awarded over \$40,000 to graduating high school seniors in the South Central Pennsylvania area. Each year 4 scholarships are awarded to deserving boys and girls who meet the qualification criteria. Visit the website for more details: <https://ycbga.org/scholarships/>

York County Hispanic Coalition: Seniors enrolled in a York County high school or non- traditional student with appropriate proof of high school or GED completion. Must be of Hispanic heritage. Available on the website. <https://www.yorkcountyhispaniccoalition.org/scholarships/>

Scholarships for Women

AAUW York (PA Branch): Female resident of York County for at least one year. Attending an accredited institution of higher learning located in York County. Enrolled as full-time or part-time undergraduate student for the next academic year in Associate or equivalent, or Baccalaureate degree. Completed at least 30 hours of academic credits toward the intended degree. <https://www.aauw.org/resources/programs/fellowships-grants/>

Delta Kappa Gamma Society - For Key Women Educators: \$500 awards for York County resident, pursuit of a teaching career, essay, and two letters of recommendation. <https://www.dkg.org/>

Junior League of York Sustainers' Youth Volunteer Award: Any female high school Senior who resides in York County and is no older than 19 years of age who has done her volunteer work in York County and has maintained at least a 3.0 cumulative grade point average. For more info visit: <https://york.jl.org/>

York Traditions Bank (Her Traditions Scholarship): A \$500 scholarship awarded to York County women who have demonstrated exceptional leadership potential, to be used toward college expenses at an accredited college or university. www.yorktraditionsbank.com/specialized-banking/her-traditions/scholarship-program

Additional Postsecondary Financial Aid Resources

Below is a more extensive list of private financial aid resources students may wish to consider when planning for college.

Scholarships, Grants, Awards, and Contests

KFC Foundation: <https://kfcfoundation.org/scholarships/>

Jack Kent Cooke Foundation: www.jkcf.org/scholarship-programs/college-scholarship

MassMutual Scholars Program: www.scholarshipamerica.org

National Society of High School Scholars Foundation STEM Scholarships:
www.nshssfoundation.org/scholarships/stem-scholarships

United States Senate Youth Scholarship Program: <https://www.pasc.net/scholarships>

American Psychological Association Programs: www.apa.org/about/awards
DEADLINE: Various

Washington Crossing Foundation Scholarship Program: <https://www.gwcf.org/scholars>

Society of Women Engineers Scholarships: <https://swe.org/scholarships/>
DEADLINE: Various

Career Safe National Youth Safety Essay Scholarship Contest:
<https://www.careersafeonline.com/for-education/scholarships>
DEADLINE: Quarterly

VFW Voice of Democracy Program: www.vfw.org/VOD

Siemens Competition in Math, Science, and Technology:
<https://www.competitionosciences.org/>

Moody's Mega Math Challenge: <https://m3challenge.siam.org/the-challenge/scholarships-and-recognition/>

Regional Scholarship Opportunities

Many community foundations provide scholarships to students residing in the foundation's service region. Deadlines for these scholarships will vary according from foundation to foundation.

Adams County Community Foundation: <https://www.adamscountycf.org/grants-scholarships/>

The Beaver County Foundation: www.beavercountyfoundation.com/grant-application-guidelines

Berks County Community Foundation: <https://bccf.org/scholarship-opportunities/>

Central Susquehanna Community Foundation: <https://csgiving.org/scholarships/>

Chester County Community Foundation: www.chescocf.org/receive/apply-for-scholarships

Community Foundation for the Alleghenies: www.cfalleghenies.org/scholarships

The Community Foundation for the Twin Tiers: <https://www.twintierscf.org/who-receives/scholarships-available>

Community Foundation of Fayette County: <https://www.cffayettepa.org/for-scholarships/>

Community Foundation of Warren County:
<https://cfowc.org/scholarships/>

Community Foundation of Westmoreland County: www.cfwestmoreland.org/scholarships

Community Foundation Serving the Heart of Western Pennsylvania:
<https://servingtheheart.org/scholarships/>

Delaware County Community Foundation: <https://tcfhelps.org/scholarships/>

Elk County Community Foundation: <https://elkcountyfoundation.org/scholarships/>

First Community Foundation Partnership of Pennsylvania:
<https://www.fcpartnership.org/grants-scholarships/>

The Foundation for Enhancing Communities: <https://www.tfec.org/scholarships/>

The Lancaster County Community Foundation: www.lancfound.org/grants

Lehigh Valley Community Foundation: www.lehighvalleyfoundation.org/grants/scholarships

The Luzerne Foundation: <https://luzfdn.org/scholarships-accepting-applications/>

The Montgomery County Foundation: www.mcfoundationinc.org/scholarships.asp

North East Community Foundation: <https://www.necommunityfoundation.org/scholarships>

The Philadelphia Foundation: <https://www.philafound.org/empowering-nonprofits-scholars/scholarships/>

The Pittsburgh Foundation: www.pittsburghfoundation.org

POISE Foundation: www.poisefoundation.org/poise-general-scholarships

Schuylkill Area Community Foundation: www.sacfoundation.com/scholarships.htm

Scranton Area Community Foundation: <https://safdn.org/grants-scholarships/>

Taylor Community Foundation: www.tcfhelps.org/scholars.html

The Community Foundation of the Endless Mountains: <https://community-foundation.org/scholarships/>

Three Rivers Community Foundation: www.trefwpa.org

Washington County Community Foundation: www.wccf.net/for-scholarships

Wayne County Community Foundation: www.waynefoundation.org/scholarships

York County Community Foundation: www.yccf.org/scholarships

Pennsylvania State Resources

Pennsylvania State Higher Education Assistance Agency: www.pheaa.org

Federal Resources

United States Department of Education: <https://www.ed.gov/>

Online Scholarship Search Engines

The College Board: <https://www.collegeboard.org/>

FastWeb: www.fastweb.com

Peterson's: <https://www.petersons.com/>

Scholarships.com: www.scholarships.com

Cappex: <https://www.appily.com/>

Graduate Students

York County Bar Association

www.yorkbar.com/?page=YCBFScholarships

1. *The Richard P. Noll Scholarship*: Designated for two students in PA law schools of any three years. Available on website.
2. *The Honorable Clarence N. Patterson Diversity Internship Scholarship*: A \$6,000 scholarship for a 10-week long summer internship at the York County Office of the Public Defender. Application on website.

AAUW York (PA Branch): Female. York County resident, or a graduate of a York County high school, or a member of the York Branch of AAUW. Accepted or enrolled in an accredited Master's or Doctoral Program. <https://york-pa.aauw.net/scholarships/>

For more information on these scholarships or other career advancing opportunities, feel free to contact the Office of BLOOM at the York County Economic Alliance:

Lissuannette Rivera Mercado

Opportunity Specialist, BLOOM Business Empowerment Center

York County Economic Alliance

(717)848-4000 ext;3047

We Make Things Happen

www.BLOOMyork.org

York County Economic Alliance Mission

To lead economic growth, connect local businesses to resources and each other and advocate for business and the community to create a prosperous York County.

BLOOM Business Empowerment Center Mission

Helping small businesses bloom through education, capital, opportunity, and inclusivity.

