



CENTRAL KITSAP HIGH SCHOOL

Scholarship Newsletter

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*FAFSA

Amount:

Due:

FAFSA is the U.S. Department of Education's free application for Federal Student Aid. Every college student will fill this out each year they are in college. Applications for free student aid (FAFSA) will be available October 1st. Check out how Federal Student Aid can put you on a path to success with this YouTube video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LK0bbu0y5AM&list=PL23B9A23CD8DD82DD>

Minimum GPA:

<https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>

Grade:

12th

*Letter of Recommendation

Amount:

Due:

A fillable "Letter of Recommendation" form is located on the Central Kitsap High School website under the Guidance tab. Hardcopies of this form are available in the Counseling Office. Be sure to give at least four weeks for the writer to compose a letter for you.

Minimum GPA:

<https://ckhigh.ckschools.org/cms/One.aspx?portalId=89508&pageId=2719665>

Grade:

*The WASHBOARD - Washington State Scholarship Search Website

Amount:

Due:

Looking for scholarships? TheWashBoard.org makes it simple. They connect Washington students with Washington scholarship providers for FREE. Whether you'll be attending in state or out, you save time by entering your profile once and letting them find the scholarship opportunities that fit.

Minimum GPA:

www.thewashboard.org

Grade:

*Transcripts

Amount:

Due:

Central Kitsap School District offers this FREE service to current CKHS students to make ordering transcripts easier for you. Just follow these 3 easy steps to get started: 1. Register for a free account at parchment.com/register 2. Request your transcript 3. Track your transcript. **For video tutorials and answers to frequently asked questions visit the Parchment Help Center. Questions or problems? Contact Mrs. Mohs in the CKHS counseling office at (360) 662-2444 or StacyM@ckschools.org.

Minimum GPA:

<https://www.parchment.com/>

Grade:

*WASFA

Amount:

Due:

Eligibility for the Washington State Need Grant has expanded to low-income, non-citizen students who meet the program's income and residency requirements. Students unable to file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) due to immigration status may instead complete the free Washington Application for State Financial Aid (WASFA).

Minimum GPA:

<http://www.readysetgrad.org/wasfa>

Grade:

12th

BigFuture - College Board

Amount:

Due:

College Board's Scholarship Search! Find scholarships, other financial aid and internships from more than 2,200 programs, totaling nearly \$6 billion.

Minimum GPA:

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>

Grade:



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College Success Foundation

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College Success Foundation provides a unique integrated system of supports and scholarships to inspire underserved, low-income students to finish high school, graduate college and succeed in life.

Minimum GPA: <https://www.collegesuccessfoundation.org>

Grade:

Navy Reserve Officers Training Corps (NROTC)

Amount:

Due:

JUNIORS ... You should start this process now! If you are motivated toward careers in the Navy, visit the CKHS Career Center for more information.

Minimum GPA: 3.0 <http://www.nrotc.navy.mil/>

Grade: 11th

Scholarship America

Amount:

Due:

Scholarship America manages thousands of scholarship programs. Many are only open to employees of the sponsoring company or their families, but some are available to students in the general public.

Minimum GPA: http://scholarshipamerica.org/open_scholarships.php

Grade:

Washington Student Achievement Council - WSAC

Amount:

Due:

Visit the Washington Student Achievement Council website to learn more about education pathways in Washington, including financial aid programs and resources to plan and prepare for college and career training.

Minimum GPA: <https://wsac.wa.gov/>

Grade:

WUE-Western Undergraduate Exchange

Amount:

Due:

WUE is the Western Undergraduate Exchange program with the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE). Through WUE, students in western states can attend participating institutions in other states for reduced tuition. Instead of paying full out-of-state tuition, a WUE participant pays the regular in-state tuition plus 50 percent of that amount. See the website for more information.

Minimum GPA: www.wiche.edu/sep/wue

Grade: 12th

Courage to Grow Scholarship

Amount:

\$500 Due:

The "Courage to Grow Scholarship" was created to help students realize their college dreams. Today's economy is hard enough on a family, it is our desire to ease some of the financial burden that a college education can put on individuals and their families. This is a monthly essay contest and you may enter each and every month if you choose.

Minimum GPA: 2.5 www.thewashboard.org

Grade: 9th-12th



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Evergreen Girl and Boys State Program

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Tuition Due:

The Premier Summer Program for Juniors! Evergreen Girls and Boys State aims to simulate and emulate Washington State government through a fun and engaging summer program. You will have an opportunity to construct local, county and state governments. Activities include running for office, court proceedings, creating and enforcing laws. You'll hone your public speaking skills, experience how government works, get inspired by guest speakers, have fun and make new friends for life. See website for more information! <https://www.evergreengirlsstate.com/> or <https://evergreenboysstate.org/>

Minimum GPA:

Grade: 11th

Navy Child & Youth Education Services Scholarship Opportunities

Amount:

Varies Due:

Check out the long list of scholarship opportunities provided by the Navy Region Northwest Child & Youth Education Services.

Minimum GPA:

<file:///C:/Users/StacyM/AppData/Local/Microsoft/Windows/INetCache/Content.Outlook/ZKK%20YVQo2/CYES%20Scholarship%20Listing%202022-23.pdf> Grade:

Olympic College Foundation

Amount:

Varies Due:

You've got big dreams. The Olympic College Foundation is here to help you achieve them. They award more than 200 scholarships each year based on a wide variety of criteria set by donors, including financial need, academic merit, community service and area of study. It's easy to apply through their online portal.

Minimum GPA:

<https://olympiccollegefoundation.org/scholarships/>

Grade: 12th

Scholarships for Military Children

Amount:

Varies Due:

The Scholarships for Military Children Program was created to recognize the contributions of military families. Children of active, reserve, and retired military members may receive \$2,000 college scholarships.

Minimum GPA: 3.0

<http://militaryscholar.org>

Grade: 12th

WA State Constitutional Speech Contest

Amount:

Due:

1/31/2023

The American Legion's National High School Oratorical Scholarship Program – "A Constitutional Speech Contest" aims to develop a deeper knowledge and appreciation of the Constitution of the United States on the part of high school students. Here in Washington State we will award \$5,000 in scholarships to the top 4 finishers. We send our champion to the National Finals Contest where young orators can earn some of the most generous college scholarships available to high school students.

Minimum GPA:

<https://waconstitutionalspeechcontest.org/>

Grade: 9-12th

WA State Governors' Scholarship for Foster Youth

Amount:

Varies Due:

1/31/2023

The Washington State Governors' Scholarship for Foster Youth is a scholarship program that helps young men and women from foster care continue their education and earn a college degree. Scholarship award amounts range from \$2,000 to \$4,000 depending on the college of attendance.

Minimum GPA: 2.00

<http://www.collegesuccessfoundation.org/wa/scholarships/governors/eligibility>

Grade:



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Washington State Fair Foundation Scholarship

Amount: Varies Due: 1/31/2023

The Washington State Fair Foundation is pleased to present scholarship opportunities to local students for continuing education. Students only need to submit one application for all our scholarships offered online.

Minimum GPA: <https://thefairfoundation.awardspring.com/>

Grade:

Elks National Foundation - Legacy Awards

Amount: \$4,000 Due: 2/6/2023

Legacy Awards provide \$4,000 scholarships for children and grandchildren of dues-paying Elks members. The Foundation will offer a total of 300 national awards. See the Elks National Foundation Scholarship Programs website for requirements and to apply on-line.

Minimum GPA: <http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/legacy.cfm>

Grade: 12th

Washington State PTA

Amount: Varies Due: 2/15/2023

Must have an active PTA in the high school, which CKHS does! The name is 'Central Kitsap High School PTSA,' and the number you'll need is 1.3.50. See the website to start the application process.

Minimum GPA: 3.4 <https://www.wastatepta.org/events-programs/scholarship-program/>

Grade: 12th

Kitsap Community Foundation

Amount: Due: 2/28/2023

There are many scholarships offered by the Kitsap Community Foundation beginning January 1st, that can be found on their website as well as at www.thewashboard.org Please check eligibility before applying.

Minimum GPA: www.kitsapfoundation.org

Grade: 12th

Washington State Opportunity Scholarship (WSOS)

Amount: Due: 2/28/2023

The Washington State Opportunity Scholarship (WSOS) supports low- and middle-income students pursuing eligible high-demand majors in science, technology, engineering, math (STEM) or health care and must be working towards a bachelor's degree at an eligible Washington state college or university. This is a renewable scholarship, up to \$22,500 over the span of 5 years. Several students are chosen each year, don't miss out! See the website for eligibility criteria.

Minimum GPA: 2.75 <https://waopportunityscholarship.org/>

Grade: 12th

American Indian Endowed Scholarship

Amount: \$500-\$2K Due: 3/1/2023

The American Indian Endowed Scholarship (AIES) helps financially needy students with close social and cultural ties to an American Indian community in the state of Washington. Students can use the scholarships at public colleges and many independent colleges in Washington. The program prioritizes upper division and graduate level students, however, all applicants receive award consideration.

Minimum GPA: <https://wsac.wa.gov/american-indian-endowed-scholarship>

Grade: 12th



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ANCHOR Scholarship Foundation for Military Dependents

Amount: Varies Due: 3/1/2023

Anchor Scholarship Foundation provides scholarships to eligible family members (children and spouses) of active duty, retired, and honorably discharged Surface Navy personnel. Anchor scholarships are awarded based upon an equal weighting of academic performance, character, extracurricular activities, and financial need. Sponsor must have a Surface Warfare qualification and served 6 years (active duty) in commands under the administrative control of Commander Naval Surface Forces, US Atlantic Fleet and/or US Pacific Fleet.

Minimum GPA: <http://www.anchor scholarship.com/>

Grade: 12th

WA State School Retirees' Association

Amount: Varies Due: 3/1/2023

The Washington State School Retirees' Association (WSSRA) awards students who wish to have a career in the "field of education". Their degree could be in one of these majors: teacher, counselor, speech therapist, occupational therapist, or psychologist.

Minimum GPA: 3.0 <http://www.wssra.org/>

Grade: 12th

Cancer Unwrapped Writing Contest

Amount: Varies Due: 3/3/2023

Have you survived cancer? Have you watched a loved one or friend deal with Cancer? The goal of Cancer Unwrapped Teen Writing Contest is to open dialogue with teen's about emotions they felt when dealing with cancer. We invite you to submit a short essay about your experience with cancer for the opportunity to win cash prizes. Over the years we have received stories of triumph and stories of great loss, stories written in times of turbulence, and stories written in times of quiet reflection. Each one has been honest, heartfelt, and unique.

Minimum GPA: <http://cancerpathways.org/cancer-unwrapped/>

Grade: 9-12th

Ewing C. Kelly Foundation

Amount: \$2,500 Due: 3/10/2023

The Kelly Foundation of Washington is offering \$2,500 awards for its scholarship program, the Ewing C. Kelly Scholarship. This award is named in honor of Ewing C. Kelly, a longtime radio and television broadcaster. The Ewing C. Kelly Scholarship is designed to reward students who demonstrate good citizenship while striving to attain their academic goals. Applicants will be judged on their academic merit, financial need and extra-curricular achievements; both scholastically and in their community.

Minimum GPA: <http://kellyfoundationwashington.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/10/Official-Ewing-C-Kelly-Scholarship-Application-10-03-2022-form.pdf>

Grade: 12th

Intertribal Timber Council - Truman D. Picard Scholarship

Amount: Varies Due: 3/10/2023

The Truman D. Picard Scholarship Program is dedicated to the support of Native American students pursuing a higher education in Natural Resources. See website for details and application.

Minimum GPA: http://www.itcnet.org/about_us/scholarships.html

Grade: 12th

Horatio Alger Scholarship Programs

Amount: Varies Due: 3/15/2023

As one of the nation's largest need-based college scholarship programs, the Horatio Alger Scholarship Programs specifically assist high school students who have faced and overcome great obstacles in their young lives. While many programs are directed primarily to recognizing academic achievement or leadership potential, the Horatio Alger Association seeks students who have exhibited determination, integrity, and perseverance in overcoming adversity, as well as have critical financial need.

Minimum GPA: <https://scholars.horatioalger.org/scholarships/>

Grade: 12th



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Smart Choices Scholarship

Amount: Varies Due: 3/15/2023

In conjunction with the WIAA, Gesa Credit Union, the Dairy Farmers of Washington and Les Schwab Tires proudly present the Smart Choices Scholarship Program. This annual program recognizes graduating seniors from WIAA member high schools for excellence in athletics/activities, academics, leadership and community service throughout their high school careers.

Minimum GPA: <http://www.wiaa.com/subcontent.aspx?SecID=959>

Grade:

Cascade Warbirds Aviation Scholarship

Amount: \$1,350 Due: 3/17/2023

One of the missions of Cascade Warbirds is to inspire today's young people to become the aviation pioneers of tomorrow. To give our flight-inspired youth a leg up on taking their first steps toward a career or life-long avocation, we offer the following scholarship opportunity. Cascade Warbirds has teamed with several flight schools in the Puget Sound area to provide the scholarship recipient with tuition, books and supplies, and two introductory instructional flights. This scholarship is valued at approximately \$1,350 and several awards are made each year.

Minimum GPA: <https://www.cascadewarbirds.org/youth/>

Grade: Age 16-2

CKHS Booster Club Scholarship

Amount: up to \$2,000 Due: 3/31/2023

The CKHS Booster Club is a volunteer organization that promotes the extracurricular activities of CKHS students. The Booster Club provides scholarships of up to \$2,000 to seniors who have chosen post-secondary education at a college, university, or technical/vocational school. Students needing to submit an official transcripts with class rank and/or your class schedule, please contact Mrs. Mohs in the counseling office to prepare the documents for you. Stacym@ckschools.org

Minimum GPA: [The application is available on the CO 2023 Google Classroom](#)

Grade: 12th

NSYSA Youth Soccer Scholarship

Amount: Varies Due: 3/31/2023

Applicants must have been a current or former member of the Northwest Sound Youth Soccer Association as a registered player, coach, or referee. NSYSA member clubs include Bainbridge Island Youth SC, Bremerton SC, Central Kitsap SC, Jefferson County SC, Kitsap Alliance FC, North Kitsap SC, North Mason Youth SC, South Kitsap SC, and Tracyton SC. Students needing to submit an official transcripts with class rank and/or your class schedule, please contact Mrs. Mohs in the counseling office to prepare the documents for you. Stacym@ckschools.org

Minimum GPA: [The application is available on the CO 2023 Google Classroom](#)

Grade: 12th

Silverdale Whaling Days - Hank Mann Sykes Scholarship

Amount: Varies Due: 3/31/2023

Applicants must be from Central Kitsap, Olympic, Klahowya, West Sound Technical Center, Crosspoint Academy or Barker Creek Community School in the Central Kitsap School District. The executive board provides various scholarships of up to \$2,000 to seniors who have chosen post-secondary education at a college, university, or technical/vocational school. Students needing to submit an official transcripts with class rank and/or your class schedule, please contact Mrs. Mohs in the counseling office to prepare the documents for you. Stacym@ckschools.org

Minimum GPA: [The application is available on the CO 2023 Google Classroom](#)

Grade: 12th

Tracyton Soccer Club Scholarship

Amount: Varies Due: 3/31/2023

Applicants must be a current or former member of Tracyton Soccer Club. Scholarships of up to \$1,000 will be awarded to candidates who are in their senior year of high school or equivalent. Scholarships are only to be used for tuition, fees, books, supplies, and room and board at a post-secondary institution. Students needing to submit an official transcripts with class rank and/or your class schedule, please contact Mrs. Mohs in the counseling office to prepare the documents for you. Stacym@ckschools.org

Minimum GPA: [The application is available on the CO 2023 Google Classroom](#)

Grade: 12th



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Kitsap Mineral and Gem Society

Amount: Varies Due: 4/1/2023

The Kitsap Mineral and Gem Society is now accepting applications for the KMGS Geological Science Scholarship for High School Seniors. Kitsap county residents and/or members of KMGS are eligible to apply.

Minimum GPA: <https://www.kmgsrockclub.com/about> Grade: 12th

Silverdale Rotary Club Scholarships

Amount: Varies Due: 4/14/2023

The Silverdale Rotary Club is offering two scholarships for High School Seniors who plan to attend a college or university, community college or technical/vocational school this fall. One scholarship is for a student with a minimum GPA of 3.0 and must meet the entrance requirements for the school of choice. The other scholarship, the Education Assistance Grant, is specifically for students who have endured hardship or other obstacles that have left qualifying for traditional scholarships unattainable. Both applications may be submitted in person to Mrs. Mohs in the Counseling Office or mailed to the address listed on the application.

Minimum GPA: www.silverdalerotaryclub.org Grade: 12th

Silverdale Dandy Lions Bill Wiseman Scholarship

Amount: \$250 Due: 4/19/2023

The Silverdale Dandy Lions are an all-volunteer organization who help throughout the community. A Silverdale Dandy Lions Scholarship will be award to a graduating students who attends classes at one of the Central Kitsap School District High Schools. Recipients of this Scholarship award may be invited to be guests of the Silverdale Dandy Lions at a general meeting and be invited to speak to the club.

Minimum GPA: [The application is availabe on the Class of 2022 Google classroom](#) Grade: 12th