

North Star High School

2022 Available Scholarships



COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
FOR THE ALLEGHENIES

Scholarship	Amount	Criteria/Description	Due Date
<p>NEW!</p> <p>Bailey Family Football Matters Scholarship</p>	<p>\$500</p> <p>This scholarship is not exclusive to your students. Students from other area school districts are eligible to apply and may be awarded the scholarship.</p>	<p>This scholarship supports one senior student annually who is currently enrolled in a Southern Alleghenies Football Coaches Association school and is a member of their high school football team. Applicants must also plan to be enrolled in college or trade school for the upcoming academic year and have a minimum GPA of 3.0 (B).</p> <p>CFA ONLINE APPLICATION</p>	<p>Feb. 28</p>
<p>NEW!</p> <p>Herald and Jane (Rummel) Griffith Memorial Maple Spring College Scholarship</p>	<p>\$1,000</p> <p>This scholarship is not exclusive to your students. Students from other area school districts are eligible to apply and may be awarded the scholarship.</p>	<p>This scholarship provides a \$1,000.00 award for a qualified candidate who must be either a member of the active congregation at Maple Spring Church, or the children, grandchildren, and other family members of the congregation, as screened and qualified by the church finance committee. Eligible students will be graduating from high school this academic year and planning to attend a post-secondary institution after graduation.</p> <p>CFA ONLINE APPLICATION</p>	<p>Feb. 28</p>
<p>NEW!</p> <p>Kenneth "Big Ken" Dranzik Memorial Scholarship</p>	<p>\$1,000 cash award</p>	<p>This scholarship, in memory of Kenneth "Big Ken" Dranzik, supports a graduating senior from either Greensburg-Salem or North Star School District, who is accepted into any college, trade school, or qualified training program. The ideal student exemplifies the key qualities of "Big Ken" which are character and community service. The student must provide letter(s) of support from individual(s) showing examples of character and a list of community services performed. This is a cash award.</p> <p>CFA ONLINE APPLICATION</p>	<p>Feb. 28</p>
<p>NEW!</p> <p>Pride of Somerset County Scholarship</p>	<p>\$1,000</p> <p>This scholarship is not exclusive to your students. Students from other area school districts are eligible to apply and may be awarded the scholarship.</p>	<p>Pride of Somerset County provides support for programs that work to provide resources for and education about the LGBTQ+ population within Somerset and the surrounding counties. Their scholarship awards \$1,000 to a graduating senior in Somerset County who plans to attend a post-secondary school for Gender Studies, LGBTQ affairs or practices, or Behavioral Health, and who has financial need.</p> <p>CFA ONLINE APPLICATION</p>	<p>Feb. 28</p>
<p>NEW!</p> <p>Tika Hetrick, Cory Roadman, and Tucker, Memorial Scholarship</p>	<p>Award amount will be determined at a later time.</p> <p>This scholarship is not exclusive to your students. Students from other area school districts are eligible to apply and may be awarded the scholarship.</p>	<p>This scholarship awards students who worked at Hickory Hollow Campground or Haunted Hollow, in memory of Tika Hetrick, Cory Roadman and Tucker, beloved members of the Hickory Hollow and Haunted Hollow team. It is available to graduating seniors and nontraditional students so long as they're pursuing post-secondary education.</p> <p>CFA ONLINE APPLICATION</p>	<p>Feb. 28</p>

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Andy's Army Scholarship, in honor of the Rocky Mountain Regional VA Medical Center Nursing Staff	\$1,000 This scholarship is not exclusive to your students. Students from several other area school districts are eligible to apply and may be awarded the scholarship.	Provides scholarship support for a graduating senior student attending a high school within Cambria or Somerset County who has been accepted to a post-secondary educational institution to study nursing. CFA ONLINE APPLICATION	Feb. 28
Brian Wincer Goals 4 Education Scholarship	\$500 This scholarship is not exclusive to your students. Students from several other area school districts are eligible to apply and may be awarded the scholarship.	Open to any student attending a school in Cambria or Somerset county. Eligible applicants should have a history of participation in high school athletics, studied a foreign language, and displayed leadership through a class or club officer position. CFA ONLINE APPLICATION	Feb. 28
Camp PARC Helping Hand Scholarship	\$1,000 This scholarship is not exclusive to your students. Students from several other area school districts are eligible to apply and may be awarded the scholarship.	Applicants must have served as a Junior Counselor, Peer Buddy, Childcare Counselor, Resident Staff Assistant, or a combination of these positions for a minimum of two years for the full duration of any of the camping sessions at Camp PARC in addition to or including the summer in which they apply for the scholarship. CFA ONLINE APPLICATION	July 1
Doyle E. Paul Memorial Scholarship	\$1,000 This scholarship is not exclusive to your students. Students from several other area school districts are eligible to apply and may be awarded the scholarship.	Created in memory of Doyle Paul, who was devoted to promoting the agriculture industry in Somerset County and on a state and national level. Eligible applicants must be graduating from a school district located in Somerset County and be a member of the Pennsylvania FFA Association. They also must be planning to pursue post-secondary education or training directly related to the practice of agriculture or agribusiness at an accredited post-secondary college, university or technical school in the upcoming fall semester. The scholarship will be paid out in the winner's first year of college. CFA ONLINE APPLICATION	Feb. 28
Dr. James E. Jensen Scholarship Fund	\$200	This scholarship provides an award to a North Star High School student who has participated in the forensics program. If there are no eligible seniors, the scholarship award will be held for that year and two awards will be made available in the next school year.	
Ed Denner Writing Awards	2 at \$100	Annually presents one \$100 Middle School Writer's Award to a North Star Middle School student and one \$100.00 Writer's Craft Award to a North Star High School senior writing student. Students must demonstrate excellence in writing and composition.	

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Ernie Blough Memorial Fund	<p>Amount varies, usually \$500 or \$1,000 is awarded.</p> <p>This scholarship is not exclusive to your students. Students from several other area school districts are eligible to apply and may be awarded the scholarship.</p>	<p>Requirements for eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Must attend an accredited school- verification of college acceptance - Grade point average of 3.0 or better (based on a 4.0 system) - Participation in extracurricular and community activities - Financial need will be taken into consideration - Write a one page essay - <u>typed, double-spaced, in Times New Roman #12 font</u>. Choose one of the following topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o How I Serve My Community o Ten Years From Now ... o Experiences I Have Had That Will Enrich My Chosen Career <p>CFA ONLINE APPLICATION</p>	Feb. 28
J.L. Martin Scholarship	<p>\$7,700</p> <p>This scholarship is not exclusive to your students. Students from several other area school districts are eligible to apply and may be awarded the scholarship.</p>	<p>This scholarship was created to award outstanding students who are in need of financial assistance in order to obtain higher education and who will likely succeed in their schooling and make good future citizens. Students may be attending a college, university, or trade/technical school, and the scholarship is renewable up to four years. Eligible applicants must have resided in and attended high school in Somerset County continuously over the last four years.</p> <p>CFA ONLINE APPLICATION</p>	Feb. 28
Judy R. Drenning Scholarship	<p>\$1,000</p>	<p>This fund provides scholarships to students within the North Star School District that have been involved in the Learning Support Program. The scholarship may be for additional education or vocational training, and the recipient must have attended the district for at least 65% of the mandated 12 years of education. North Star will notify CFA of the winner annually.</p>	
McCready Family Scholarship Fund	<p>\$2,500</p> <p>This scholarship is not exclusive to your students. Students from several other area school districts are eligible to apply and may be awarded the scholarship.</p>	<p>Provides a scholarship award to a high school graduate from Cambria, Somerset or Bedford county who plans to pursue an academic degree relating to communications, journalism, or English at the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown.</p> <p>CFA ONLINE APPLICATION</p>	Feb. 28
William R. Lloyd, Jr. Scholarship	<p>\$3,000</p> <p>This scholarship is not exclusive to your students. Students from several other area school districts are eligible to apply and may be awarded the scholarship.</p>	<p>This scholarship award supports graduating seniors of Somerset County public high schools who intend to major in Government, Political Science, or Politics. The award has been endowed by former State Representative Bill Lloyd (D-Somerset) to encourage Somerset County students to pursue careers in public service. The scholarship will be paid out in the winner's sophomore year of college and is renewable for their junior and senior years if certain eligibility requirements are met.</p> <p>CFA ONLINE APPLICATION</p>	Feb. 28

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