



Popular Scholarships for Bulldogs

Learn about top-rated scholarships, ranked by Garfield Students.



The Gates Scholarship (TGS)

Details: The Gates Scholarship (TGS) is a highly selective, last-dollar scholarship for outstanding, minority, high school seniors from low-income households. Each year, the scholarship is awarded to 300 of these student leaders, with the intent of helping them realize their maximum potential.

Stats: 12th Grade | Minimum 3.3 GPA | Income-Restrictive | US Citizen, National, or Permanent resident | BIPOC Students Encouraged to Apply

Award: Full Cost of Attendance (Tuition, Fees, Housing, Dining, etc.)

Deadline: [SEPTEMBER](#)



Act Six: Degrees of Change

Details: Seattle's only full-tuition, full-need scholarship, Act Six is a leadership program for students seeking admission to Gonzaga, PLU, Whitworth, Northwest, or St. Martin's. This scholarship connects local social justice and faith-based colleges to equip emerging leaders to engage the college campus and their communities at home.

Stats: 12th Grade | No GPA requirement | No Income-Restriction

Award: Full Cost of Attendance (Tuition, Fees, Housing, Dining)

Deadline: [NOVEMBER 2](#)



Sullivan Leadership Award: Seattle University

Details: Each year, Seattle University selects nine incoming freshmen to receive the Sullivan Leadership Award. This award covers the entirety of their undergraduate tuition, housing, and meals for four years of study.

Stats: 3.7 GPA | 12th Grade | Must Apply Early Action at SU | Undocumented Qualify | No Income-Restriction

Award: Full Cost of Attendance (Tuition, Fees, Housing, Dining)

Deadline: [NOVEMBER 15](#)



Husky Promise: University of Washington

Details: The Husky Promise guarantees full tuition and standard fees will be covered by grant or scholarship support for eligible Washington state students. You will not have to pay back these grants and scholarships. You can also be assured that if tuition increases, the financial aid you receive will increase as well.

Stats: 12th Grade | Must Enroll at UW SEA | TAC | BOTHELL | Income-Restrictive | Undocumented Qualify

Award: Full Tuition + Fees

Deadline: [JANUARY 15](#)



Leadership 1000

Details: The Leadership 1000 Scholarship awards funding to certain high school seniors attending eligible high schools and who are planning to enroll in a Washington state college or university.

Stats: Minimum 2.5 GPA | Undocumented Qualify | Income Restrictive | Full-Time College Enrollment

Award: Up to \$5000 (renewable)

Deadline: [JANUARY 31](#)



MLK Scholarship

Details: The fund was intended to capture the spirit and vision of Martin Luther King, Jr. and to ensure that his dream lives on in all of us. The scholarship is renewable for all four years of college.

Stats: Minimum 2.5 GPA | Undocumented Qualify | Income Restrictive | 12th Grade

Award: \$4000/year for 4-yrs (4-yr College) & \$2000/year for 2-yrs (2-yr College)

Deadline: [JANUARY 31](#)



Garfield Golden Grad

Details: The only scholarship for any Garfield senior who applies! The Garfield Golden Grad Scholarship is sponsored by GHS alumni, awarding up to about 45 students each year. Scholarships are for seniors pursuing a 2-year or 4-year degree in various fields, trades and vocations.

Stats: No Minimum GPA | 12th Grade | Undocumented Qualify | No Income-Restrictions

Award: Various Awards ranging from \$2000-\$5000

Deadline: [EARLY MARCH \(details released in Feb.\)](#)



Seattle Promise

Details: Seattle Promise provides personal support to transition from high school and succeed in college and up to two years (or 90 credits or first degree, whichever comes first) of free college tuition at North Seattle College, Seattle Central College, or South Seattle College. Additional support for books, transportation, housing, etc. is also available to those with financial need. All Seattle Public High Schools graduates are eligible regardless of grade point average (GPA), income, ability or country of birth.

Stats: 12th Grade | No GPA requirement | No Income-Restriction |

Award: Full Tuition & Some Fees

Deadline: [MULTIPLE DUE DATES THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL YEAR](#)

Scholarship Programs for Juniors



QuestBridge

Details: Are you a high school senior who has excelled academically, but feels the nation's best colleges are financially out of reach? The QuestBridge National College Match can be your pathway to a top college. Through this college and scholarship application process, you can apply for free to the nation's best colleges and be considered for early admission and a full four-year scholarship from the college.

Stats: 11th Grade Only | Minimum 3.5 GPA | Income-Restrictive | DACA or Undocumented Qualify | US Citizen, National, or Permanent Resident | BIPOC Students Encouraged to Apply

Award: Full Cost of Attendance (Tuition, Fees, Housing, Dining, etc.)

Deadline: [SEPTEMBER](#)



LEDA Scholars

Details: Every year, LEDA conducts a national search to find the next cohort of LEDA Scholars. They attend a seven-week Summer Institute at Princeton University.

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Award: Full Cost of Attendance (Tuition, Fees, Housing, Dining, etc.)

Deadline: [SEPTEMBER](#)