



Nardonia High School

SENIOR NEWSLETTER

JANUARY 2024



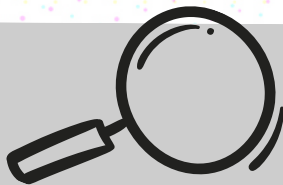
Welcome to Senior Year!

This e-newsletter from the Support Services will keep you informed about resources & opportunities available pertaining to scholarships, financial aid, colleges, helpful websites, careers, & college entrance exams.
READ it in its ENTIRETY EACH MONTH!



What's In This Month's Issue?

- Important Events & Dates!
- **College Application Procedures**
- FAFSA Application
- **MORE Scholarship Information!**



Student Services Information



School/Career Visitations:

Planning on visiting a college?

Stop into the Support Services Office prior to your planned visit & pick up a [School/Career Visitation Form](#).

This form **MUST** be completed, signed by a representative from your visit as well as a parent/guardian.

Return to the main office on the next School Day.

A parent **MUST** call you in absent the day of your visit.





Important Senior Dates

- January 22 - No School - Schedule Campus Visit or Community Service Activity
- Week of Feb. 5 - Local Scholarship Applications Available (info. through class visits)
- February 7 - Signing Day - Regular Football
- February 8 - Senior Class Meeting in the Auditorium - Advisory Period (9am)
Job shadow information available for students and parents on HS website
- February 26 - Local Scholarships Application packet due - Online (turned off @7:00am)
- February 16 - No School - Schedule Campus Visit or Community Service Activity
- March 12 - No School for Seniors (Juniors take ACT)
- March 15 - Senior Shadow Project applications due
- March 19 - No School - Schedule Campus Visit or Community Service Activity
- April 10 - Speech & Performance Audition with Mrs. Spellman in rm. 508
- April 10 - 18 - Prom & After-Prom ticket sales Mrs. Spellman rm. 508
- April 17 - Athletic Signing Day - All sports other than Football
- April TBD - Military Signing Ceremony @9am in the Auditorium
- April 26 - Last Day for Seniors who WILL be doing job shadowing/locker clean-out
- Senior Picnic & Signing Event - wear a shirt that represents your future plan
- May 2 - Senior Scholarship/Academic Awards - invitations mailed last week April
- May 4 - Prom & After Prom
- Week of May 13 - Senior Exams
- May 14 - Superintendent's Award Dinner
- May 15 & 16 - Senior Shadow Project Presentations
- May 16 - Senior Parade (line-up @6pm - Parade starts @6:30pm) - There is no rain date
- May 17 - Last day for seniors who will NOT be doing job shadowing
- May 16 - Last Day to return Chromebooks & Chargers
- May TBD - Last day to order a yearbook. <https://nordoniayearbook.weebly.com>
- May 21 - JR/Sr Field Day (no rain date)
- May 22 - Graduation Rehearsal Large Gym 9:00 - 10:30
- Cap & Gowns, Graduation Awards & Tickets will be distributed
- May 23 - Graduation Ceremony @7:30pm - Grads arrive @6:30pm - doors open @6:00pm
- August TBD - Yearbook pick-up at Fun n' Stuff from 4:00 - 6:00 pm





Senior Parent *Reminder*

Save the Date

After Prom 2024 - BURGER BASH



Saturday, February 24

5:00 - 8:00pm

More info coming soon!

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Important Dates

- Wed., Feb. 7th - Chipotle Fundraiser 4:00 - 8:00pm
- Wed., Feb. 14th - PromFair practice 2:30 - 4:30pm
- Thurs., Feb. 15th - PromFair practice 2:30 - 4:30pm
- Sun., Feb. 18th - PromFair 4:00pm
- Sat., Feb. 24th - Burger Bash 5:00pm

We are in need of donations for Gift Baskets for After Prom, as well as Burger Bash!

Please help if you can!

(Gift cards, items for gift baskets etc..)

Please contact:

Lhermsky@gmail.com





Procedures for Completing College Applications for Students

STEP 1: Apply

Complete college applications using **ONE** method below (use a personal email NOT your NHS email for applications. Communication from outside organizations are blocked by the District).

- **Online application** - Access the application directly from the college website

OR

- **Common App**- Some Colleges are CommonApp exclusive and some give you the option to use the Common App or their own online applications.
- Register for an account at www.commonapp.org
- Complete/input all information for all sections and **sign the FERPA waiver**
*Please Note: Schools ask for a Counselor Rec., this is not the same as requesting a letter of rec. I **complete/send a Common App Counselor Rec. & School Report automatically for all Common Apps you submit.**
- Check for the following for each college: application fee, deadline, essay, # of required/optional recommendations, separate scholarship or honors applications required, etc.

*****PLEASE BE SURE TO SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION BEFORE MOVING TO NEXT STEPS*****

If you need or want to request a letter of recommendation, you will need to move to Step 2 before you submit your application to the college/university.

STEP 2: Requesting High School Materials (completed through SchoolLinks - login through Clever)

College Application Manager in SchoolLinks:

Using the “**Colleges**” tab on the left hand side of your screen, select “**College Applications**” from the list.

- The first time you use the College Application Manager, you will enter your personal information (address, phone number, personal email-you must remove your Nordonis email and enter your personal email) and indicate preference of Financial Aid/need as well as sign the FERPA Waiver again.
- For each college you’d like to apply to (that is not CommonApp), you’ll need to set up an application and its requirements follow the steps below (Non-Common App Colleges) to add applications to your College Application Manager.

Common App Colleges:

- Connect your Common App to SchoolLinks. Once logged in to SchoolLinks, in the College Application Manager, click the blue “**connect**” button under the Common App icon, follow prompts to connect accounts. Once linked, click the blue “FERPA Waiver” button below the Common App icon if prompted. Your applications on Common App will automatically be added to the dashboard. If you’ve submitted your applications, they will appear under the “Completed & Pending” column. If your applications have not been submitted, they will appear under the “Incomplete” column (this will allow you to request letters of recommendation - see steps on back).



Procedures for Completing College Applications for Students - Continued

Non-Common App Colleges:

From your **application dashboard** follow these instructions to add colleges you're applying to:

- Click on **+ Add application** in the upper right hand corner to look up a college
 - Search and select the college/campus you are applying to and choose the application status either: "In Progress" (you haven't sent the application) or "Completed and Pending"
- Application Method: choose "School-specific online app"
- Application Type: choose type/deadline you used
- Student Requirements: Financial Aid & Scores & Performance - check any that apply to you
- Click on **✓ Save Application**
- Check the details of your application from the final screen to determine if the information is correct

STEP 3: Sending High School Materials - YOU ARE NOT FINISHED UNTIL YOU COMPLETE THIS STEP!

- **Once you submit your application, you MUST visit Ms. Volin in Support Services.**
You transcripts and important documents will not be sent until you do.

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

From your College Application dashboard, select a college application by clicking on the pencil icon ✎

Teacher recommendation requests are located in the middle column of the individual college's application page. There will be details regarding the college's recommendation requirements. If there are no required letters, it may still give you the option to submit an optional recommendation.

To add an optional recommendation follow these steps:

- Click on the + sign next to "Request Teacher Evaluation"
- Search and select the teacher in the list provided and hit "Next" (If you are asking a non-teacher, once you start typing the name, you can click on "Don't see your teacher listed? Add them manually" and add the name and email of the individual you are asking.
- Check the information is accurate for the teacher you are inviting to complete a recommendation letter. Select the Subject area they teach or select other if it is not a traditional teacher.
- Create a custom message to the teacher regarding what college(s) you're applying to, anything you would ask them to highlight, let them know if you've completed the brag sheet.
- Click "Submit Request" and follow up with the teacher in person.

Required recommendation letters:

- Click the + next to "Add Recommender" (there will be a red exclamation mark that says "required" in a red box indicating that you must submit the number of letter of recommendation boxes listed).
- Follow the steps above to complete the recommendation request.

****please provide AT LEAST a 2 week notice when inviting teachers to complete a letter of rec****

Complete Recommendation Letter Brag Sheet and Profile/Resume in SchoolLinks

(2 options - teachers may want you to complete BOTH)



Procedures for Completing College Applications for Students - Continued

Option 1:

- Click on Home/Dashboard
- Click on "To-Do List", search for "Recommendation Letter Brag Sheet" due September 29th, and click on item and then click on the green "Go to feature" box
- Complete all information and click the blue "Submit" button

Option 2:

- Click on the "**Careers**" tab on the left hand side and select "**My Profile/Resume**"
- Click on each section (My Story, Experience, Bragging Rights, & Academics) across the top. Be sure to complete each section fully to highlight your goals, skills, extracurriculars, awards and recognitions. Teachers will use this section to write your recommendation letters.

Tracking Letters of Recommendation

- In College Application Manager, under Recommendation Tracker (left column), click on "View all Requests"
- You will see a list of the letters and evaluations grouped by the Teacher giving the evaluation. If the teacher has been assigned to multiple colleges, you can click Show at the right end of the bar for the teacher to expand details.
- Each recommendation letter and evaluation will show one of the following three statuses:
 - Request Pending: The recommender has been requested to submit an evaluation or recommendation which has not been submitted yet.
 - Request Fulfilled: The recommender has submitted the requested evaluation or recommendation, which has been transmitted to the destination institution(s).
 - Declined: The recommender has been requested to submit an evaluation and has declined to do so. Another recommender will need to be selected by changing the evaluation request.



Scholarship/Financial Aid Resources

FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)

All students/families should fill out the FAFSA (even if you don't think you'll qualify for grants) as soon as possible after it becomes available in **December this year**. You need to fill out the FAFSA to be eligible for federal financial aid but also, some schools require you to have a FAFSA on file just to receive their scholarships. Also, you never know when your financial situation may change between now and when you start college. It is best to have this application on file just in case.

On or as soon as possible in December, go to: fafsa.gov

If you need assistance, you may contact the Financial Aid Dept. at any college/university you are applying to. Also, plan on attending the info. meeting at NHS Monday, November 6th.

CSS Profile

Some colleges and universities use the CSS Profile to award financial aid. This is an online application used by colleges, universities and scholarship programs to award non-federal financial aid such as grants and scholarships. The CSS Profile is a separate application from the FAFSA and should be completed in addition to the FAFSA not in place of the FAFSA. The application is available October 1st each year. <https://cssprofile.collegeboard.org/>

Merit Scholarships – From Colleges/Universities You're Applying To

Merit scholarships are often related to academic performance, but can also be given to a candidate displaying artistic or athletic excellence, or even a combination of both. While all academic scholarships are merit scholarships, not all merit scholarships are academic.

Often all you have to do is apply to the school to be considered for merit scholarships to attend that school. You'll automatically be considered (typically GPA, test scores on ACT/SAT, and/or class rank) once you submit your college application. However, some schools do require an additional application. Do your research to find out and also be mindful of deadlines!

Also, make sure you check the college/university website directly for any additional scholarships they offer that require a separate application and deadline. Many schools advertise additional scholarships in this way.

Website Scholarships – From Colleges/Universities You're Applying To

You should carefully research the website from all schools you are applying to. They may have additional scholarships listed that you can apply for separately.

Local Scholarships – Nordonia Students Only

Local scholarships will be introduced to all current Nordonia High School seniors during the month of February. Students will be able to access the application materials online and must submit all printed copies to the Guidance Office. More information and deadlines to come.

Senior Newsletter at NHS

Any scholarship opportunities that are sent our way will be posted each month in the newsletter.



Scholarship/Financial Aid Resources - Continued

Private Scholarship Resources

Students may also find it valuable to research any private scholarships that may be available to them through organizations/agencies that they or their parents are members. The websites listed below can also be valuable tools for searching for private scholarships that they may be eligible to receive. Students should follow all directions and deadlines to apply for each scholarship that they find offered privately outside of schools. Many of these websites allow you to enter information about yourself and then pair you with scholarships that you may be eligible to receive, which can be a huge time saver as you go through this process.

Websites and Apps

www.scholarships.com (App for IOS & Android)

www.fastweb.com (App for IOS & Android)

www.collegeboard.org (App for IOS & Android)

www.cappex.com

www.petersons.com

www.raise.me (App for IOS & Android)

www.goingmerry.com (App for IOS & Android)

www.scholarshipowl.com (App for IOS & Android)

www.myscholly.com (App for IOS & Android)

<https://scholarsapp.com/>

Twitter Scholarship Accounts

Following accounts on Twitter that post scholarships can be a quick and easy way to come across scholarships that you may be eligible for. Here are a couple of accounts to consider following:

@Scholarshipscom

@PayingForSchool

@Scholarships360

@MyBigFuture



FAFSA is now available!

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



ACT Test Dates 2023-2024

ACT Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline	Photo Upload Standby Deadline
September 9, 2023	August 4, 2023	August 18, 2023	September 1, 2023
October 28, 2023	September 22, 2023	October 6, 2023	October 20, 2023
December 9, 2023	November 3, 2023	November 17, 2023	December 1, 2023
2023 February 10,	January 5, 2024	January 19, 2024	February 2, 2024
2024 April 13,	March 8, 2024	March 22, 2024	April 5, 2024
2024 June 8, 2024	May 3, 2024	May 17, 2024	May 31, 2024
July 13, 2024	June 7, 2024	June 21, 2024	July 5, 2024

SAT Test Dates 2023-2024

SAT Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline	SAT Online Score Release
August 26, 2023	July 28, 2023	August 15, 2023	September 8, 2023
October 7, 2023	September 7, 2023	September 26, 2023	October 20, 2023
November 4, 2023	October 5, 2023	October 24, 2023	November 17, 2023
December 2, 2023	November 2, 2023	November 21, 2023	December 15, 2023
March 9, 2024	February 23, 2024	February 27, 2024	March 22, 2024
May 4, 2024	April 19, 2024	April 23, 2024	May 17, 2024
June 1, 2024	May 17, 2024	May 21, 2024	June 18, 2024



The
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of Akron



We hope the school year has been going well so far! We are excited to share that students' interest in The University of Akron continues to rise, and we have seen a dramatic increase of applications this fall. We are still accepting new applications for the fall 2024 term and are continuing to automatically waive every student's application fee.

Exciting news! Our Myers School of Art has been named one of the top art & design programs in the country! For more information about our programs within the Myers School of Art and to learn more about our recent ranking, [click here](#).

Below is additional information about FAFSA, scholarships, and our Williams Honors College. If you have any questions about these updates or questions regarding the status of your student's application process with us, please email admissions@uakron.edu

Go Zips and Best Wishes for a Wonderful Holiday Season!
The University of Akron Office of Admissions

FAFSA, SCHOLARSHIP, & HONORS

We are eagerly anticipating the release of this year's Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) on December 31, 2023. The University of Akron is dedicated to making college affordable, which is why we are proud to offer both merit-based scholarships and need-based aid, based on student's admission and FAFSA.

New this year, the Making Akron Possible Grant is designed to help local students make attending The University of Akron possible! For more information about this grant, and all of our scholarship opportunities, please check out the scholarships page.

[Learn More](#)

The application for our Williams Honors College is live! Students applying to The University of Akron with a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher are encouraged to apply. Our Williams Honors College has many perks for students including scholarships, priority registration, themed housing, and more! Students can learn more about the honors college and apply online.

[Learn More](#)



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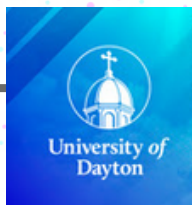
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Resources »

Please keep these important dates in mind as you help guide your students through the college admission process:

- Late November: Admitted students will begin receiving merit scholarship notifications.
- December: [2024-25 Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\) becomes available](#), with significant changes to the application process, eligibility and aid calculation.
- **Feb. 1:** Recommended deadline for filing the FAFSA.
- **Late February:** Admitted students will begin receiving financial aid offers.
- **May 1:** Deadline to confirm enrollment.

[See More Next Steps for Admitted Students »](#)



We know out-of-pocket college costs can add up for students and families. Plus, we feel it's important for students to experience a campus before deciding where to start their college journey.

That's why UD offers a textbook scholarship program as part of our [commitment to affordability](#) and student success.

With this program, students who apply, [visit campus](#) and [file the FAFSA](#) by Feb. 1 are eligible for a textbook scholarship worth \$500 per semester at UD.

[Learn More About Textbook Scholarships »](#)



Muskingum University is hosting a special visit day on Monday, Jan. 15.

Our MLK Visit Day is perfect for juniors and seniors in high school to receive an overview of the University along with a campus tour. We have two time slots – 10:15 a.m. and 1:15 p.m. – so they can choose the best time for them.

Located in southeastern Ohio in the Village of New Concord, Muskingum University's beautiful 200-acre campus is nestled in the rolling hills of Appalachia. Yes, it is as beautiful as it sounds. But, they must see it for themselves!

If you have any students at Nordon High School who you feel would thrive as part of Muskingum's close-knit community, please pass this message along. Students can register through our website: https://admission.muskingum.edu/portal/daily_visit. We look forward to showing them why it's always a great day to be a Muskie!



SUMMIT FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

100 Wheeler St. • P. O. Box 1460 • Akron, Ohio 44309-1460 • Phone: (330) 376-3626

Dear Member:

Thank you for your interest in our Memorial Scholarship. Enclosed is your application.

To qualify for scholarship consideration applicants must:

1. be members in good standing of Summit Federal Credit Union, with your name first on an account which has been open for one year or at a minimum an active account,
2. be enrolled in a course of study at an accredited institution of higher education,
3. complete the application form,
4. furnish a copy of the applicant's most recent grade report (official transcript is not required,) and
5. not be a member of Summit Federal Credit Union's staff or official family or a member of their immediate families.

Past winners will be eligible after a one-year intermission (every other year.)

While it would be convenient to have the grade report and application form submitted together, it is not necessary. All items must be addressed to:

Scholarship Committee
Summit Federal Credit Union
P. O. Box 1460
Akron, OH 44309-1460

and must show the applicant's full name at the top of each page. All items must be at the Credit Union by close of business on May 31, 2024. Any incomplete or illegible applications will not be considered.

If you have any questions, please call me any time during business hours.

Sincerely,


Tiffany Katzenmeyer
CEO



SUMMIT FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

Memorial Scholarship Application

Please print in ink or type (illegible applications will be disqualified)

NAME: _____ **AGE:** _____ **SFCU ACCT #** _____

(Applicant must be 1 name on Acct.)

ADDRESS: (at home) _____

(at school) _____

TELEPHONE: (at home) _____

(at school) _____

SCHOOL (College/University): _____

COURSE OF STUDY: _____

COUNSELOR/ADVISOR: _____

You may use a separate sheet of paper if necessary to answer any of the following questions.

Please list your community activities:

Please list your school activities:

Please list your employment history:



SUMMIT FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

Memorial Scholarship Application

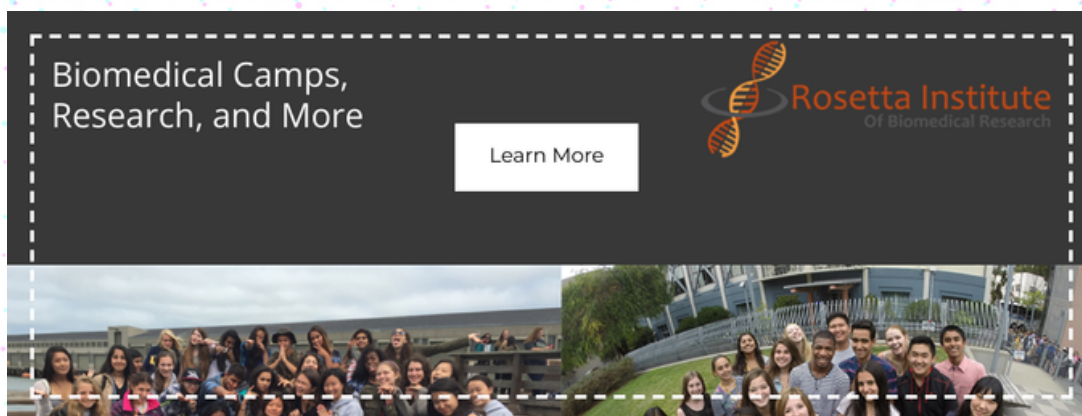
What work would you like to do and what courses are you taking and/or planning to take to align you for this line of work?

What do you personally hope to accomplish in your line of work, what are your goals?

We are interested in you. Tell us more about yourself and your family.

Tell us why you feel this scholarship should be awarded to you.

In the event that the Summit Federal Credit Union Memorial Scholarship is awarded to me, I give Summit Federal Credit Union permission to use my name, biographical data and photo as they choose.



The [Rosetta Institute of Biomedical Research](#) has scheduled our winter and summer workshops on molecular medicine, and we are [currently accepting applications!](#)

Our workshops are designed for high-achieving high school and middle school students who are interested in pursuing careers in medicine, biomedical research, pharmacy, or other health sciences professions. Our instructors are PhD-level scientists who are actively engaged in medical research, and they expose students to cutting-edge molecular biology through engaging lectures, real-world labs, and independent projects. Attendees make friends from around the world, strengthen their academic skills, build their college portfolio, and experience college dorm life in a safe environment.

We offer workshops during both winter break and summer (available in both online and in-person formats), including summer residential programs held at UC Berkeley, UC San Diego, Columbia University, and Imperial College London. Our in-person workshops include AI-Enhanced Bioinformatics, Molecular Neuroscience, Bioinformatics of Cancer, Molecular Biology of Cancer, Molecular Immunology, Molecular Biology of Aging, Astrobiology, Developmental Biology and Biomedical Research, whereas our online workshops are Medicinal Chemistry, Medical Bioinformatics and Introduction to Cellular and Molecular Medicine. [Which workshop is the best match for your interests?](#)

Winter Workshops: During winter break we offer Medical Bioinformatics and Medicinal Chemistry online, as well as Biomedical Research and Cancer Research at our facilities in Alameda and Berkeley, CA respectively. [Apply](#)



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At Johnson & Wales University, we know that cooking is about more than making tasty meals — food is a powerful medium to fight climate change, create social equity, and preserve cultural traditions. **The right recipe can change the world.**

We're looking to identify the next generation of culinary leaders through our **Future Food Scholarship Competition**. Participants could earn scholarship funds toward their JWU education, and the top 10 applicants will travel to campus to showcase their recipes.

Future Food Scholarship Competition

To qualify for the Future Food Scholarship Competition, students must complete their JWU admissions application and the competition application before **January 15, 2024**.

Our Application Process:





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College of Nursing

SAVE THE DATE

The University of Cincinnati College of Nursing is committed to graduating nurses who reflect the broader U.S. population. The college's diversity, equity and inclusion (DEI) initiatives are many and include dedicated support and opportunities to underrepresented students through the four years of their Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program.

To learn more about these initiatives and more, save the date to join us on Black Student Nurses Day.

Monday, February 19 | 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

NPC
national panhellenic
conference

The National Panhellenic Conference (NPC) is made up of 26 inter/national sororities and is the largest advocacy and support organization for the women's-only sorority experience. NPC plans to award 10 college scholarships of US\$2,000 each through our NPC Centennial Scholarships Program.

The NPC Centennial Scholarships online application form is available now through March 10, 2024. Recipients will be announced in May 2024.

Online Application Form - NPC Centennial Scholarships

NPC has a long history of advocating to make the cost of higher education more affordable to more women. These NPC Centennial Scholarships are one more step we are taking to improve college affordability. While we hope the scholarship applicants will join a sorority during college, membership is not a requirement of the award.

If you have questions, please contact the NPC office at npccentral@npcwomen.org or 317-872-3185.



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EXPLORATION PLAN

As Exploratory students, you will benefit from the guidance and support offered by expert Academic Advisors through your personalized Exploration Plan. The Exploration Plan consisting of 6 key components including:

1. *SELECTING AN AREA OF INTEREST*

Selecting one of 13 areas of interest to begin exploring. This is your first step and will be completed before you begin your first semester.

2. *MAJOR ACTION PLAN*

Creating a Major Action Plan (MAP) using the results of your career readiness inventory, you will utilize your MAP with an Academic Advisor until you declare your major.

3. *FIRST YEAR EXPERIENCE COURSE*

Engaging in the First Year Experience course (UC 10097), which will focus on your transition to college, making connections with your peers and resources, learning about your personal preferences, engaging in your exploration, and much more.

4. *COURSEWORK WITH PEERS*

Enrolling in a course with other first-year Exploratory students, providing you with the opportunity to network with your peers and create study groups. Some of the courses include experiential learning components, which promote academic relevance, meaning and an understanding of real-world issues.

5. *CAREER NAVIGATION*

Enrolling in the Career Navigation: Constructing the Possibilities course (UC 20010) during the second semester. In this course, you will learn more about your interests and strengths, make connections, and set career related goals.

6. *EXPLORATORY LEARNING COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION*

Joining the Exploratory Learning Community is encouraged. It is a great way to build connections with your peers and gain access to more support through your career and major exploration! Open to all first-year Exploratory students living in Lake Hall, Honors students living in Honors housing, or students commuting to campus.

Exploratory Program in University College

explore.kent.edu • 330-672-3676 • explore@kent.edu

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SCHOLARSHIP NEWSLETTER

SCHOLARSHIPS

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<https://studentscholarships.org/newsletters>

\$5,000 (150 Awards)

[C-span StudentCam Competition](#)

Deadline: February 29, 2024

\$2,000 (3 Awards)

[Common App Scholarship](#)

Deadline: February 29, 2024

\$2,000 (3 Awards)

[Common App Scholarship](#)

Deadline: February 29, 2024

\$2,500 (3 Awards)

[Truman D. Picard Scholarship](#)

Deadline: January 26, 2024

[Good People, Cool Things Scholarship](#)

Amount: \$500

Application Deadline: Jan 26, 2024

Scholarship link: <https://bold.org/scholarships/good-people-cool-things-scholarship/>

[Jamie Anderson Scholarship](#)

- Amount: \$1,000
- Application deadline: Mar 15, 2024
- Eligibility: Any high school seniors in Ohio with a 2.0-3.0 GPA may apply.

[Bros for Good Scholarship](#)

- Amount: \$500
- Application deadline: Apr 15, 2024
- Eligibility: Any high school junior or senior in Ohio who has volunteering or community service experience may apply for this scholarship.

[India Kinamore Memorial Scholarship](#)

- Amount: \$500
- Application deadline: Apr 10, 2024
- Eligibility: Any African American female high school senior or undergraduate student in Ohio may apply for this scholarship opportunity.

[Joanne Pransky Celebration of Women in Robotics](#)

- Amount: \$3,000
- Application deadline: Feb 29, 2024
- Eligibility: Any female-identifying high school or two or four-year undergraduate student who is interested in working in robotics may apply for this scholarship.

\$10,000 (17 Awards)

[Profile in Courage High School Awards](#)

Deadline: January 12, 2024

\$1,000 (1 Award)

[Back and Better Scholarship](#)

Deadline: February 28, 2024

\$1,000 (1 Award)

[BMW Engineering Scholarship](#)

Deadline: February 29, 2024

\$10,000 (106 Awards)

[Penguin Random House Scholarship](#)

Deadline: January 16, 2024

\$1,000 (1 Award)

[Murray Rossen Criminal Justice Scholarship](#)

Deadline: February 29, 2024

[Valorena Publishing & Cocoa Kids Collection Scholarship](#)

Amount: \$500

Application Deadline: Mar 12, 2024

Scholarship link: <https://bold.org/scholarships/valorena-publishing-and-cocoa-kids-collection-scholarship/>

[Matthew J. Kauffman Memorial Scholarship](#)

- Amount: \$1,500
- Application deadline: May 30, 2024
- Eligibility: Any undergraduate and graduate students in Ohio are eligible to apply if they are pursuing a career in the healthcare field.

[Mark Neiswander "110" Memorial Scholarship](#)

- Amount: \$5,000
- Application deadline: Jun 1, 2024
- Eligibility: Any high school senior or undergraduate student in Ohio who demonstrates leadership in school, volunteering experience, and/or academic excellence may apply.





COLLEGE FAIRS ONLINE



Virtual College Fair for your Students with Scholarship Opportunities are happening soon!

We invite your high school students to join our free virtual college fairs scheduled next semester starting in January. Students can register now! We will send them a reminder email before their fair.

Students can get answers directly from college reps during each fair week. The students must go to www.collegefairsonline.com to the students tab to register ASAP.

This service is completely free and each student that participates is entered to win a scholarship, we would love to have your school and students join. Please have your students register as soon as possible if they would like to participate. This is a great virtual resource. Please let me know if you have any questions or need anything. Every student that registers is entered to win a \$300 scholarship.

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West	Jan. 29- Feb. 3
Midwest	Feb. 26 – March 2
South	April 1-6
Northeast	May 13-18



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\$5,000 Scholarships Available

The Intel Scholarship for Women in Technology Program awards up to 25 scholarships to female students in Ohio pursuing a relevant Associate degree or a 1-year Certificate in the semiconductor manufacturing industry.

Intel is investing more than \$20B in the construction of two leading-edge chip factory in Licking County, OH. This factory will produce advanced semiconductors which will generate 3,000 new Intel jobs. Plan your future in STEM to get prepared to join the most innovative and exciting industry in Ohio.

To learn more and apply, scan the QR code or visit learnmore.scholarsapply.org/intel-women



Deadline:
February 19, 2024

Applicants must meet all the following criteria:

- Be a high school senior or graduate or currently enrolled undergraduate
- Plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two-year Community/Technical College or University offering two-year degrees in the state of Ohio for the entire upcoming 2024-2025 academic year
- Self-identify as female
- Must be a United States (U.S.) citizen and/or be eligible to legally work in the U.S.
- Be full-time students pursuing a relevant Associate degree or a 1-year Certificate in the semiconductor manufacturing industry during the 2024-2025 academic year. Eligible programs include but are not limited to:

- One-year Semiconductor Certificate
- Electrical/Electronic Engineering Technology AAS
- Electro-Mechanical Engineering Technology AAS
- Engineering Technology AAS
- Mechatronics/Robotics/Automation Engineering Technology AAS
- Mechanical Engineering Technology AAS

- Microelectronics Associate degree
- Computer Engineering Technology AAS (excludes Software centric majors)
- Chemistry or Agricultural Sciences Associate degree
- Equipment maintenance related Associate degree
- Or other relevant STEM degrees excluding medical/veterinarian/software fields



SCHOLARSHIPS



Help Your Students Ignite Their Futures

Students in grades 9-12, who are members at FFCCU as of January 31, 2024, are eligible to apply.

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SCHOLARSHIPS



At Malone, we're committed to supporting students so they can reach their full potential. One way we do this is through our Scholars' Day scholarship competition we host every January for current high school seniors who have excelled academically (having met one of the two requirement sets below). The top performer is awarded a renewable, full tuition scholarship. Other competing students will be considered for a \$1,000 Honors Scholarship (\$4,000 over 4 years) pending acceptance into the honors program.

3.8 Cumulative GPA or higher (no test scores)

3.6 Cumulative GPA and either a 26 ACT Composite, a 1240 SAT or 81-83 CLT

Please share this invitation with any students you have in mind who you feel would be a good fit for the competition. The link to register, and more information, is available at malone.edu/scholarsday

The registration deadline is 11:59 pm on Thursday, January 11, 2024.



The Junior Achievement of North Central Ohio Scholarship Applications are opened as of December 1st, 2023. There are financial award opportunities for graduating seniors going into the workforce, into trade schools, and continuing their education in 2- and 4-year institutions of higher learning.

Please share this information with all your graduating seniors. Students do not need to be participating in a JA Program this year; students who have participated in a JA Program any time during their schooling are eligible.

Due Date is Thursday, February 15, 2024 by 4:00pm EST

[JA 2024 Employment Readiness Grant Application](#)

[JA 2024 Higher Education Scholarship Application for 2 and 4 year institutions](#)



SCHOLARSHIPS



Happy Scholarship Month!

November is officially Scholarship month, and we are here to help. Citizens® is giving away up to \$55,000 in scholarships - no essay, no contest, no sweat!

The application is open to high school students 16 years and older, undergrads, grads, parents & guardians: If you pay tuition, you could win!

Entries for a \$2,500 monthly prize roll over to the \$15,000 annual grand prize towards school expenses. Quarterly, a student who meets the required criteria for the Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Scholarship Prize will be eligible to win a \$2,500 quarterly prize for use towards school expenses. See [Official Rules](#) for details.

Monthly Scholarship



SCHOLARSHIPS

Richard L. Averitte Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by the Coming Together Project in memory of Richard L. Averitte, who was a music educator with Akron Public Schools for 31 years before becoming the first executive director of the Coming Together Project. The fund provides scholarships to Akron-area seniors who have participated in a music program.

Eligibility requirements:

- Akron-area high school senior
- Participation in a music program

Amount: Varies (\$500-\$1,000) **Number of awards:** Varies **Renewal:** No

Application deadline: April 30

How to apply: Applicants must apply through our [online application system](#).



Anthony Wunderle Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by Lori and Greg Wunderle in memory of their son Anthony who had childhood leukemia. This scholarship is to provide educational opportunities for a higher education, accredited trade, or apprenticeship program for any cancer survivor or family member of a cancer patient, living or deceased.

Eligibility requirements:

- Cancer survivor or family member of a cancer patient, living or deceased

Amount: Varies **Number of awards:** Varies **Renewal:** No

Application deadline: April 1

How to apply: Applicants must apply through our [online application system](#).

Michelle M. Vasenda Fund

Established in memory of Michelle M. Vasenda, a career nurse who lost her battle to breast cancer in 2009. It was her vision to create a scholarship to help those committed to helping others.

Eligibility requirements:

- Student applying to or enrolled in an accredited nursing program
 - Minimum 3.0 GPA
- Volunteer service, internship or commitment to healthcare with priority given to a cancer-related field or provider organization

Amount: Varies (\$1,000-\$2,000) **Number of awards:** Varies

Renewal: Must reapply annually by submission of a new application.

Application deadline: May 1

How to apply: Applicants must apply through our [online application system](#).

Kate Lieberth Lytton Education in Dance Fund

Established by David Lieberth and Alec Lytton in memory of Kate Lieberth Lytton to provide scholarships for Summer Study to aspiring young male and female dancers from Summit County.

Eligibility requirements:

- At least 11 years old by May 1, 2023
- Resident of Summit County
- Currently studying at a dance or performing arts school, company, studio or university

Number of awards: Varies **Application deadline:** April 1

How to apply: Download the [application form](#).



SCHOLARSHIPS

Ohio Society Daughters of the American Revolution

Susan Leininger, State Regent

DAR Scholarship Committee-Mary Chase, State Chairman

mechase1960@gmail.com (216) 406-1564

OSDAR Wings of Eagles Scholarship

Application Due January 31st, 2024



OSDAR awards scholarships to graduating high school seniors. Including those completing a certified home school program, in the amount of \$1,000 each. Awards are based on academic excellence and character. All applicants must be citizens of the United States, legal residents of the state of Ohio and will be attending an accredited college or university in the United States. Awards are placed on deposit with the college or university, and any unused portion shall be returned to OSDAR. No affiliation or relationship with DAR is necessary, however all applicants must obtain a letter of sponsorship from their local DAR chapter. Only applications completed correctly and submitted in one entry will be considered. Applications must be submitted through the sponsoring chapter. Scholarships are awarded without regard to race, religion, sex, national origin, or disability. Only winners will be notified.

Instructions: All certified transcripts, letters of recommendation and other required documents must be received by the state chairman by the deadline in one online submission. Do not submit a personal photograph!

List of required documents:

1. Letter from sponsoring chapter. You can find a local Ohio chapter online by visiting the chapter locator at <https://www.dar.org/national-society/become-member/chapter-locations>.
2. Official certified transcript of high school grade which also indicates class rank/size and test scores unless home schooled. Home schooled students include grade transcripts for grade 9 through current year and documented test scores.
3. An essay of 500 words or less. Topic: If you were asked to "Continue the Legacy of our American Patriots" what would that mean to you and how would you do that? (Word count must show on essay.) Essay must be submitted in Arial 11 font.
4. A statement of 200 words or less describing what makes you an outstanding candidate for the scholarship. (Word count must show on statement.) Statement must be submitted in Arial 11 font.
5. A list of extra-curricular activities, honors received, scholastic achievements, or other significant accomplishments (Max, length one page, one column, one side equivalent to an 8 ½ x 11 page). Must be submitted in Arial 11 font.
6. Dated and signed letters of recommendation from at least three but not more than four people in authority from the high school or college the applicant currently attends, who are familiar with the applicant's work. Letter may cover the applicant's ability, work habits, integrity, character, potential and activities. Each letter must include the title, address and telephone number of the person giving the recommendation for possible contact or verification.
7. Proof of United States Citizenship: birth certificate or naturalization papers. NOTE: cover the photograph when photocopying naturalization papers.
8. Application must be submitted to your local DAR chapter no later than 11:59PM January 31, 2024.
9. LOCAL DAR CHAPTER MUST SUBMIT APPLICATION TO mechase1960@gmail.com Application and supporting paperwork MUST be submitted in one scan/attachment, NOT individually.





SCHOLARSHIPS



David Hudson Chapter

Candace Kaptain, M.Ed., Scholarship
Chairman

330-207-4240

ckaptain@kent.edu



David Hudson Chapter awards one scholarship this year in the amount of \$500, to a graduating high school senior, based on academic performance, accomplishments and essay. Applicants must be legal residents of the State of Ohio. No affiliation or relationship with the DAR is necessary and the scholarship is awarded without respect to race, religion, gender, national origin or disability. Only the winner will be notified. No records are returned. ***Applications must be completed correctly and by the deadline, January 1, 2024, in order to be considered.***

Student Name: _____

Complete Address: _____

Cumulative GPA: _____ Class Rank/State Test Scores: _____ Test Scores: ACT _____ SAT _____

College/University/Vocational Program you plan to attend: _____

Instructions: application should include each item listed below, in the order listed.

1. Scholarship application (this page)
2. Official transcript of high school grades which also indicates class rank/size and test scores unless home schooled. Home schooled students include grade transcripts grade nine through current year and documented test scores.
3. An essay of 500 words or less on the topic, "Eternal Vigilance is the Price of Liberty," type written or printed from computer—hand written not accepted.
4. A statement of 200 words or less describing what makes you an outstanding candidate for this scholarship.
5. List on one side of 8.5" x 11" paper: extra-curricular activities, honors received, scholastic achievements or other significant achievements, maximum one page, one side.
6. Dated and signed letters of recommendation from at least three but not more than five persons in authority from the high school or college the applicant now attends who are familiar with the applicant's work. In the case of home-schooled students persons such as a pastor or other authority figures familiar with the students' work is acceptable. The letter may cover the applicant's ability, work habits, integrity, character, potential, and activities. Each letter must include the title, address and telephone number of the person giving the recommendation for possible contact or verification.
7. Mail the completed application to the Scholarship Chairman listed at the top of the application by January 1, 2024. Address questions to the Chairman at the email listed.
8. If the applicant wishes to also be considered for the \$1000 Ohio Society DAR, Wings of Eagles Scholarship, the following additional documentation must also be provided by Jan 15th, 2024:
 - application for the Wings of Eagles Scholarship
 - proof of citizenship in the form of a photocopy of birth certificate or naturalization papers
 - completed financial need form
 - copy of the FAFSA

Students interested in applying for the Wings of Eagles Scholarship may use the attached application and return it by January 15th, 2024.



SCHOLARSHIPS

Ian's LEGACY FOUNDATION



IAN MINNICK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION Senior Scholarship

The Ian Minnick Memorial Scholarship is awarded each spring to a graduating senior in the amount of \$1,000 per year for up to four years. Application is done in part through a visual or audio submission along with an interview with the Ian's Legacy scholarship committee.

Applicants should be pursuing post-secondary education in music, digital media production, fashion, voice, dance, drama, photography or any other art form not mentioned. Attendance may be at a technical school, dance or art academy or a two or four year college or university.

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<https://admissions.anderson.edu/apply/>



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Display strong academic performance (minimum 3.0 grade point average/4.0 scale or equivalent)

Be citizens of the United States of America

Be current high school seniors attending high school within the United States, (including any U.S. territories or commonwealths), and graduating in winter 2023 or spring 2024. Homeschooled applicants and applicants living on a U.S. Armed Forces base and attending high school outside the U.S. are eligible.

Plan to enroll in a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited four-year college or university in the United States for the entire 2024-2025 academic school year

HOW TO APPLY FOR THE GE-REGAN SCHOLARSHIP

Learn how to make your application shine by visiting our How To Apply page. Here we'll walk you through eligibility and application requirements, the application timeline, and provide resources to learn more about the scholarship and learn insights from past recipients.

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The deadline to apply for a scholarship is January 31, 2024.

[Learn More!](#)

If you have questions regarding the art or graphic design scholarships at Mount Vernon Nazarene University, please contact Professor Justin Sorensen, Associate Professor of Art, at 740-397-9000 ext. 3041 or email at justin.sorensen@mvnu.edu



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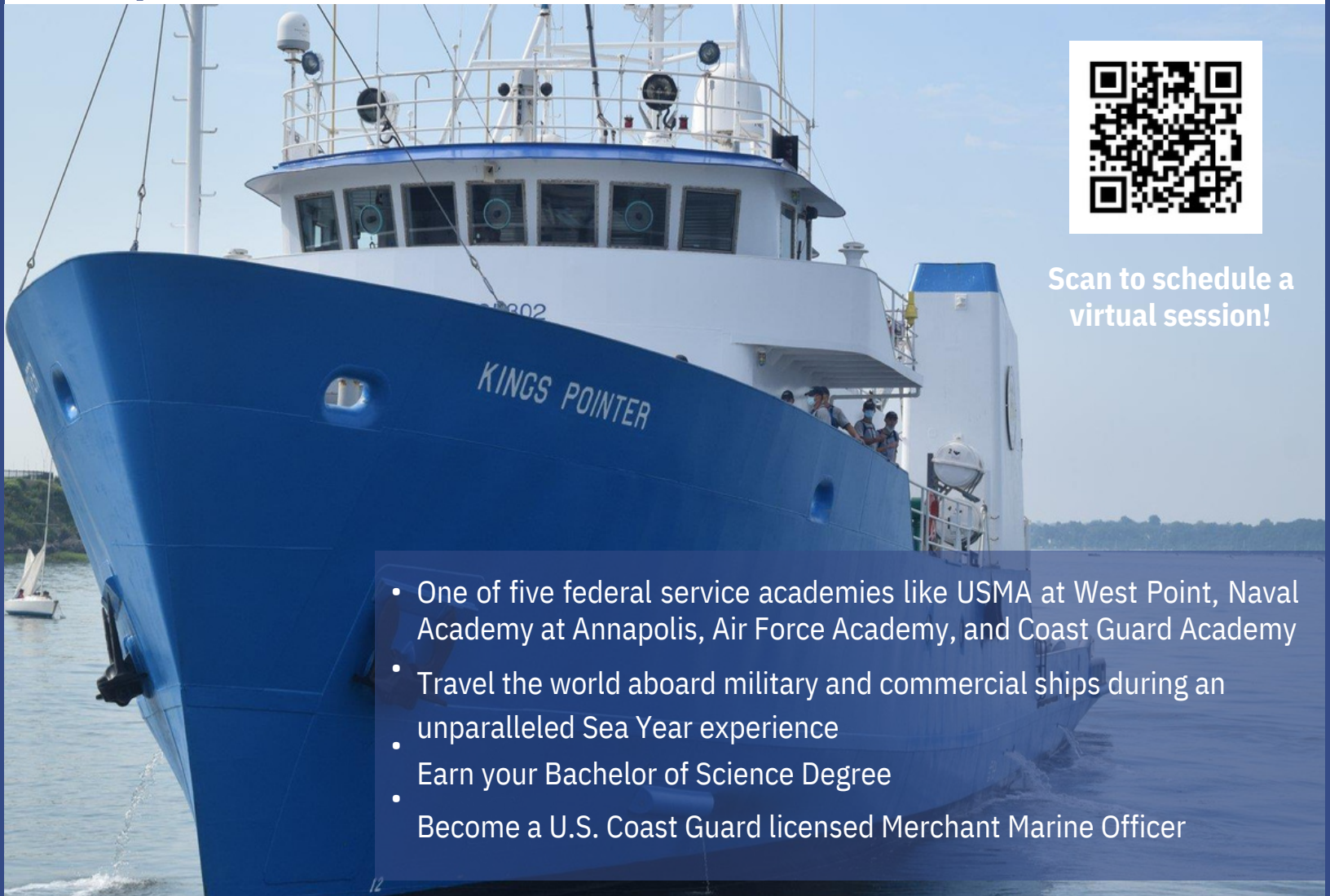
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