

<p>Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.</p> <p>Xi Sigma Omega Chapter Scholarship Programs</p>	<p>Xi Sigma Omega HBCU Scholarship \$4,000 over 4 years</p> <p>Golden Soror \$1,500</p> <p>Ola Carter Berry \$1,500</p> <p>Bernadine M. Pindell \$1,500</p> <p>Partica Moore-Batten \$1,000</p> <p>Mangham-Woods STEM Leadership Scholarship \$1,000</p> <p>Delegate Pamela E Queen Scholarship \$2,500</p>	<p>February 15</p>	<p>The Xi Sigma Omega HBCU Scholarship is awarded to seniors who plan to attend a Historically Black College or University (HBCU). They must be able to document an exceptional number of service learning hours with outstanding community service; demonstrated leadership in organizations; and, must have a 3.0 GPA or better on a 4.0 scale or a 4.0 out of a 5.0 scale.</p> <p>The Golden Soror Scholarship is for seniors who plan to attend a Historically Black College or University (HBCU).</p> <p>The Ola Carter Berry Scholarship is awarded to seniors with need and who demonstrate outstanding accomplishments.</p> <p>The Bernadine M. Pindell Scholarship is awarded to seniors majoring in mathematics or engineering and demonstrate outstanding academic achievement.</p> <p>The Partica Moore-Batten Scholarship is awarded to a senior who is pursuing a career in education.</p> <p>The Mangham-Woods STEM Leadership Scholarship is awarded to students who plan to major in a Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics field at a HBCU and have demonstrated a high level of leadership during their high school years.</p> <p>The Delegate Pamela E. Queen Scholarship is awarded to current Montgomery County high school seniors in District 14 who attend Blake, Sherwood, Paint Branch and Damascus High Schools.</p> <p>Applications are available in the College/Career Center.</p>
<p>4th Annual Bro. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Oratorical Contest</p>	<p>1st Place: \$500 2nd Place: \$300 3rd Place: \$200</p>	<p>November 30</p>	<p>The Oratorical Contest is open to students in grades 9 through 12. Participants will create an original speech based on this year's theme, "<i>Achieving the Dream</i>". The finalists must deliver their speeches to a public audience, with minimal reference to notes, for the competition. Finalists will also be given an opportunity to receive coaching by an assigned mentor who will assist in strengthening speech content and honing presentation skills. All speeches must have original content and be no more than 1000 words in length (8-10 minutes). Pick up the application packet in the College/Career Center.</p>

Anthony Richard Tilghman Memorial Scholarship	Up to \$5,000 awarded annually through 2030	March 1	This scholarship was established to aid any Washington area graduating senior in furthering a career in the education and care of the mentally disabled or to aid the career development of a mentally disabled student. To apply, you must pick up an application in the College/Career Center ; write an essay of 500 words or less telling how you plan to help the disabled or, if you are mentally disabled, how you plan to develop your career; submit an official high school transcript; and, submit two recommendation letters. Everything must be mailed together in one envelope.
B. Davis Scholarship	\$1,000	May 24	This scholarship is available to all high school juniors and seniors; there is no age restriction; must include your name and the school you are attending this year and next year; and, although this is not an academic scholarship, please submit your future academic plans. Do not send transcripts or letters of recommendation at this time. Must write an essay of less than 1000 words on the topic: <i>Describe the three characteristics of leadership you value most. Discuss why you believe that these traits are so important and how you feel that they are developed in an individual.</i> For more information, and to apply for the scholarship, go to the website: http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm
BigSun Scholarship	\$500	June 19	The BigSun Organization is proud to be able to continue to help young athletes succeed in their academic pursuits. They offer an annual scholarship to a deserving student. All student athletes are eligible for this award, regardless of which sport they participate in. Participation may be in any capacity, whether as a player, coach or official. The successful applicant is a high school senior currently involved in some sport at Paint Branch or in the community. Information on how to apply can be found on the website: http://www.bigsunathletics.com/

<p>The Burtonsville Lions Foundation Roy R. Hunt/Wayne Danley Memorial Scholarship</p>	<p>\$4,000 (for tuition and fees) may be awarded to one or more qualifying seniors from the Class of 2019</p>	<p>April 15 to Mrs. Murphy in the College/Career Center</p>	<p>Applicant must be a graduating senior from the Paint Branch Class of 2019; have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale; be involved (including leadership roles) in community service activities; and, describe the situation as it relates to the need for financial assistance. Applications are available in the College/Career Center.</p>
<p>2019-2020 Comcast Leaders & Achievers Scholarship Program</p>	<p>Scholarships of \$2,500 will be awarded to over 800 students</p>	<p>December 7</p>	<p>The Comcast Leaders and Achievers Scholarship Program recognizes students for their community service, academic performance and leadership skills. Applicants must: Have a demonstrated commitment to community service, outstanding qualities in character, integrity and leadership; be enrolled as a high school senior; reside in a community served by Comcast; plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two- or four-year college or university in the United States for the entire 2019-2020 academic year; have a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (or its equivalent); and, demonstrate financial need. To learn more and apply, visit: https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/leadersandachievers/</p>
<p>The Difference Maker Scholarship Alex Popeck <i>Never Back Down</i> Foundation</p>	<p>\$2,500</p>	<p>March 8</p>	<p>Any senior graduating in the spring of 2019 from a Montgomery County high school is eligible. Specifically, the “Never Back Down Foundation,” founded as a tribute to Alex, seeks to recognize teens who are profound <i>Difference Makers</i>—those who notice opportunities to make a difference and act upon those challenges or needs to create positive change in their community, school or family. For more information, go to the website: http://www.alexpopeckneverbackdown.org/ Applications are also available in the College/Career Center.</p>

<p>GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program</p>	<p>\$10,000 (renewable for up to an additional 3 more years (\$40,000 total per recipient))</p>	<p>January 4</p>	<p>To be eligible for this award, applicants must: Demonstrate at school, at the workplace, and within the community, the attributes of leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship; demonstrate strong academic performance (minimum 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale); be citizens of the United States; be current high school seniors attending high school in the U.S.; and, plan to enroll in a full-time undergraduate course of study toward a bachelor's degree at an accredited four-year college/university in the U.S. for the entire upcoming academic year. For more information, and to apply, go to the website: https://www.reaganfoundation.org/</p>
<p>Legacy of Life Scholarship Essay and Legacy of Life Video</p> <p>Washington Regional Transplant Consortium (WRTC)</p>	<p>1st Scholarship: \$5,000 (1 each)</p> <p>2nd Scholarship: \$3,000 (1 each)</p> <p>3 Honorable Mentions: \$1,000 Each</p>	<p>March 31</p>	<p>Applicable students can apply for one or both categories. Entrants must be seniors who both legally reside AND attend high school in Montgomery County and intends to enter a college/university following high school. For the essay, participants must write a 1000 word persuasive original essay on the chosen topic, not including citations. For the video, participants must produce a maximum of two-minute persuasive original video on the chosen topic, not including the credits. The video must be in English. The scholarship will be paid directly to the college/university the winner attends and must be used to pay for tuition, fees, books and other course materials. Instruction sheet and entry forms are available in the College/Career Center.</p>

<p>Maryland Farm Bureau 2019 Scholarship</p>	<p>\$2,000 (5 scholarships will be awarded)</p>	<p>February 1</p>	<p>Applicants must be high school seniors starting college in the fall of 2019 or full-time college students at any community college or four-year institution. Applicants, or their parents/guardians, MUST be members of the Maryland Farm Bureau. Three of the scholarships will be offered to agricultural curriculum majors and two scholarships will be offered to non-agricultural or agricultural curriculum majors. Applications are available in the College/Career Center.</p>
<p>Montgomery County Alumnae Chapter Scholar Program</p> <p>Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.</p>	<p>3 separate scholarships amounts vary</p> <p>You may apply for more than one scholarship type.</p>	<p>January 13</p>	<p>This program was created to provide financial assistance to students who reside in Montgomery County. Scholarships will be awarded to graduating African American seniors who have excelled academically and contributed their talents to the improvement of their community. To be considered for a scholarship, the applicant must: Be a resident of Montgomery County; be a senior graduating in 2019; have a scholastic average of 2.0 or higher; enter a four-year college/university as a full-time freshman in the Fall of 2019; and, not be an immediate relative of a member of the Montgomery County (MD) Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Applications are available in the College/Career Center.</p>
<p>2019 Montgomery Scholars Program</p> <p>Montgomery College</p>	<p>Four academic semesters full tuition merit scholarships (30 credit hours per year at the in-county rate)</p>	<p>January 7</p>	<p>Applicants need to apply to MC by January 7. Applications will only be considered for students who are currently enrolled in their final year of high school and who will be completing high school graduation requirements by August 2019. Priority will be given to residents of Montgomery County. Applicants must also submit two letters of recommendation from teachers; high school transcript; SAT or ACT scores; AP scores; and, a resume. Applications can be picked up in the College/Career Center.</p>

<p>2019 “Most Valuable Student” Scholarships</p> <p>Elks National Foundation</p>	<p>1st Prize: \$50,000 (2) 2nd Prize: \$40,000 (2) 3rd Prize: \$30,000 (2) 4th Prize:\$20,000 (14) Runners-Up: \$4,000 (480)</p>	<p>November 15</p>	<p>Any high school senior who is a U.S. citizen is eligible to apply; male and female students compete separately for identical awards; applicants do NOT need to be related to a member of the Elks; existing college students are not eligible to apply; and, applicants must be citizens of the U.S. on the date their applications are signed—permanent legal resident status does not qualify. Register and download the application at: http://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/mvs.cfm and answer the “referred by” question, then click on “Proceed to Application Form.” All applications MUST be submitted online to Suzanne Noonan at scholarships@washington-rockville-elks.com. Pick up a flyer in the College/Career Center.</p>
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