

TO: Commodore Perry Students and Parents/Guardians
FROM: Mr. Ace, Guidance Counselor
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SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARD OPPORTUNITIES

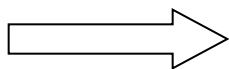
Name	Whose Eligible	Application Procedure	Possible Award(s)	Deadline to Apply
Washington Crossing Foundation Scholarships	Current high school seniors who will be planning a career of service to the U.S. in local, state, or federal government	Go to: https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10091/washington_crossing_foundation_scholarship_scholarship.php	\$5,000	1/15/21
P.E.O. Chapter BG Sara A. Windland Annual Scholarship Program 2021	Current high school seniors who will be attending a college or university in Fall 2021	See Mr. Ace for more details and an application.	\$300	1/29/21
Jackie Robinson Foundation (JRF) Scholarship	See website for eligibility requirements.	Go to: www.jackierobinson.org for more details and an application	?	2/1/21
PA American Legion 2021 Essay Contest	Students in grades 6-8	See Mr. Ace for additional information, requirements, and application.	\$4,000	2/12/21
Vegetarian Resource Group Scholarships	Current high school senior who has promoted vegetarianism in their school and/or community	Go to: https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9544/vegetarian_resource_group_scholarships_scholarship.php	\$10,000	2/20/21

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Berkshire Hathaway Home Services The Preferred Realty Trade School & College Scholarship	Current high school seniors who will be attending a 4-year college, university, or trade school in Fall 2021; At least 3.00 cumulative G.P.A.; Must have traits of leadership, volunteerism, good character, positive attitude	See Mr. Ace for more details and an application.	?	3/1/21
Community Foundation Scholarships Make sure you apply for these!!!	Current high school seniors (Several different scholarship opportunities that have different eligibility requirements)	Go to: www.comm-foundation.org Follow website's instructions for creating an account and including your personal information. *All CP seniors who will be pursuing postsecondary education next fall should create an account to apply for these local scholarships.	Varies	3/1/21
2021 Epilepsy Association of Western and Central PA Scholarship Program	Current high school seniors who are diagnosed with epilepsy /seizure disorder; See application for other eligibility requirements	See Mr. Ace for more details and an application.	\$1,000 to \$1,500	4/1/21
PB & J Scholarship	Current high school seniors who will be attending a 2 or 4 year college or university in Fall 2021; Have experienced personal challenges	Go to: www.bit.ly/pbj scholarship2021	\$1,000 to \$1,500	4/1/21

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The George W. Wright Students Aid Fund (Interest Free Loan)	Current high school seniors who will be attending a college or university; See brochure for other requirements	Go to www.georgewrightfund.org	This is an interest free loan, not a scholarship.	N/A

**Keep checking in the Guidance Office for updated Scholarships & Award Opportunities handouts.
(Each new handout will be a different color.)**

Visit the following websites for more scholarship opportunities:



www.fastweb.com
www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org
www.scholarshipAmerica.org

REMINDER:

If you have not yet done so, the online FAFSA form must be completed in order to qualify for financial aid, including state and federal loans.

- **Go to: fafsa.gov**
- **You should also complete the PA State Grant Application: www.PHEAA.org**
- **Come get a Financial Aid Folder from Mr. Ace in the Guidance Office to help you.**