



Scholarship Opportunities Spring Quarter 2015

The Bates Foundation will award up to **37** scholarships totaling **\$32,600** for spring quarter 2015.

Instructions on how to apply for a scholarship begin on page 5 of this document.

The scholarship application deadline is Friday, January 23 at NOON.

SCHOLARSHIP WORKSHOPS

Attend a scholarship workshop to learn how to fill out the online application, and make your application stand out!

(feel free to bring your lunch!)

Wednesday, January 14 | 11:30 a.m.

South Campus | Multimedia Room (Room E101A)

Thursday, January 15 | 11:30 a.m.

Downtown Campus | Diversity Center

Associated Student Government (ASG) Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$750
Availability: Ten scholarships
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools, and supplies
Eligibility: Full- or half-time career-training students.

Associated Student Government (ASG) Child Care Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$500 maximum
Availability: Three scholarships
Use of Scholarship: This scholarship is for payment to the **Bates child care facility** for the quarter in which the award is received.
Eligibility: Full- or half-time students with child(ren) enrolled in the **Bates child care facility**.

Boiler Symposium Endowed Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$475
Availability: One scholarship
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools, and supplies
Eligibility: Full- or half-time career-training students in the facilities maintenance engineering program.

Bruce Brennan Memorial Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$750
Availability: Two scholarships
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools, and supplies
Eligibility: Full-or half-time career-training students.

Sally Cofchin Hope Endowed Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$450
Availability: One scholarship
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, fees, supplies, and books
Eligibility: Preference is given to degree-seeking students. Students must have completed one year of school and demonstrate academic merit.

Jim Devlin Memorial Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$500
Availability: One Scholarship
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools, and supplies
Eligibility: Full-or half time career-training students in at least their second quarter in the auto body rebuilding and refinishing or auto mechanics programs.

Coit & Leona Everson Memorial Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$650
Availability: One scholarship
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools, and supplies
Eligibility: Full-or half-time career-training students enrolled in one of the construction trades-related programs at Bates Technical College: architectural woodworking/cabinet making, carpentry, electrical construction, electronic engineering, HVAC/R, sheet metal, and welding.

Gene Haas Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$1000
Availability: Two scholarships
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools, and supplies
Eligibility: Full- or half-time career-training students in the machinist or CNC machinist programs.

Vera Maye Hosley Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$700
Availability: One scholarship
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, and supplies, including uniforms
Eligibility: Full-or half-time career-training students in the culinary arts program.

Clyde Hupp Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$500
Availability: One Scholarship
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools, and supplies
Eligibility: Full-or half-time career-training students.

IAM-751 McGinnis Family Endowed Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$500
Availability: One scholarship
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools, and supplies
Eligibility: Full-or half-time career-training students enrolled in the machinist program or related aerospace programs.

Rottler Manufacturing Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$1,000
Availability: Three scholarships
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools, and supplies
Eligibility: Full-or half-time career-training students in the CNC machinist, machinist or mechanical engineering programs.

Henry T. Schatz Endowed Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$1,500
Availability: Seven scholarships
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools and supplies
Eligibility: Full-or half-time career-training students enrolled in one of the following programs: CNC machinist, welding, sheet metal, facilities maintenance, manufacturing engineering, industrial electronics and robotics technician, electrical engineering, electronics engineering, and machinist.

Zach Stewart Endowed Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$1,250
Availability: One scholarship
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools and supplies
Eligibility: Full-time career-training students enrolled in one of the following programs: Architectural woodworking/cabinet making technology, carpentry, electrical construction, electronic engineering technician, facilities maintenance engineer, HVAC/R, industrial electronics and robotics technician, machinist, mechanical engineering, and sheet metal technology. First preference will be given to students in HVAC/R, students must demonstrate merit, financial need may be considered.

Trustees Endowed Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$575
Availability: One Scholarship
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools, and supplies
Eligibility: Full-or half-time career-training students.

Washington Dental Service Foundation Scholarship

Amount Awarded: \$1000
Availability: One scholarship
Use of Scholarship: Tuition, books, tools, and supplies
Eligibility: Full-or half-time career-training students in the dental assisting program.

Scholarship Application Processes & Guidelines

This is a web-based application and there is the possibility of being timed out of the system. Please save your work often. We highly recommend typing your answers into a Word document And cutting and pasting them into the application.

<https://bates.starsscholarshipsonline.com/STARS/Default.aspx>

You may use the following internet browsers to access the website:
Internet Explorer, Safari and Firefox - Google Chrome is not supported.

A screenshot of the "Scholarship Application Wizard" web interface. At the top, there is a horizontal navigation bar with eight circular icons representing different steps: a person, a document, a graduation cap, a hand holding a document, a document with a checkmark, a document with a pencil, a document with a checkmark, and a graduation cap. Below this is the title "Scholarship Application Wizard" and a text box containing a disclaimer: "This wizard will help you to set up your application and help determine your best scholarship options. STARS Online division at Coppex encourages scholarship applications from qualified students regardless of color, race, religion, national origin, gender, disability, or marital status." Below the disclaimer is a row of eight tabs: "Personal Information", "Opening Questionnaire", "Academic Information", "Financial Information", "Free Form Essay Questions", "Attach Documents", "Letter of Recommendation", and "Recommended Scholarships". The "Personal Information" tab is selected and highlighted. Below the tabs is the title "Scholarship Application - Personal Information" and a text box with instructions: "Please fill out all required fields to the best of your ability and click 'Continue' to proceed to the next part. Type 'N/A' if the question does not apply. Do not leave it blank. You can also save your progress and exit the system by clicking the 'Save and Exit' button. You can return any time to complete the process." Below the instructions are three input fields: "* First Name:", "Middle Name:", and "* Last Name:", each followed by a text box.

Tab One **Personal Information**

This is basic information such as name, address, email, etc. It is important to include your student ID#.

Tab Two **Opening Questionnaire**

These questions determine what type of student you are, what program you are enrolled in, etc. The information you enter determines your scholarship eligibility, so make sure your answers are accurate.

Tab Three **Academic Information**

Please indicate whether or not you are a **first or second year student** (you are **not** a continuing education student) and complete the academic information questions.

Tab Four **Financial Information**

Provide information pertaining to your employment and income history, number of dependents, etc.

Tab Five **Free Form Essay Questions**

Include information that will help the reviewers *get to know you*. Some tips: Be clear and concise, be yourself, original and memorable. Edit your work, revise, and rewrite, and check your spelling, grammar, and punctuation. Have someone else read your application for content and first impression. If you are having difficulty, ask for help.

Tab Six **Attach Documents**

You are not required to upload any documents to this tab.

Tab Seven **Letter of Recommendation/REQUIRED**

A letter of recommendation is now **REQUIRED** for you to complete your application. There is an active **Recommendation Letter Request** link that sends your request by email directly to whomever you would like to write your letter. The letter is returned via email and automatically attaches to your application.

Tab Eight **Recommended Scholarships/Unofficial Transcript REQUIRED**

1. This tab will also show you the scholarships that provide you with the best opportunity for success. If you feel you meet the criteria of additional scholarships, click the “view all scholarships” button.
2. You may be asked to answer some eligibility requirement questions.
3. An unofficial transcript is now **REQUIRED** for you to complete your application. Please upload your most current transcript (Bates or another institution) by either scanning it or uploading it directly from the Bates website.
4. You will answer a final essay question.

Important Notes

- The foundation and its governing board reserve the right to amend awards at its discretion.
- Receiving a foundation scholarship may affect your financial aid. If you would like additional information, please contact the financial aid office directly at 253.680.7020.
- Scholarships must be used in the quarter awarded.
- Priority will be given to tuition payment. Only those books and supplies listed on the program list are permitted for purchase, unless pre-approved by the foundation.
- Scholarship funds cannot be used as reimbursement for items purchased prior to the award date.
- When accepting a foundation scholarship you agree that:
 1. Funds will only be used to further your education at Bates Technical College.
 2. You understand that you must notify the Bates Foundation office of any changes in your educational plan. Changes may affect your scholarship award.
 3. You authorize the Bates Foundation to access to your student records as needed and use the information included in your application for promotional purposes.
 4. You will write a thank you note to the donor.
 5. You will attend the spring Scholarship Luncheon in March 2015.

*If you have any questions or need additional assistance, please contact
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