

The following scholarships, along with their respective application and selection processes, are administered by the listed school or organization. Contact these entities directly (not CFCI) for more information.

ABCD Grant Family Scholarship Fund

Established by the Grant family in memory of Darrell Grant, known as 'The Cookie Man,' whose outgoing nature, kindness, and sense of humor made him a friend to all. This fund honors his memory by providing scholarships to graduating seniors from his alma mater, East Peoria Community High School.

East Peoria Community High School, (309) 694-8300

Alvin R. and Donna M. Haerr Fine Arts Scholarship Fund

Established to honor Alvin R. Haerr's 50-year legacy at Bradley University, encompassing his education, career, and pursuit of lifelong learning. This fund provides scholarships to students studying Fine Arts at Bradley University.

Slane College of Communications & Fine Arts, (309) 677-3707

Andy and Jamie Schliepsiek Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by the Schliepsiek and Bielenberg families in memory of Andy and Jamie (Bielenberg) Schliepsiek, who met and graduated from Richwoods High School. This fund honors their memory by providing scholarships to graduating seniors of Richwoods High School.

Richwoods High School, 309-693-4405

Billy Galindo Inspirational Scholarship Award

Established to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Illinois Valley Central High School pursuing a baccalaureate degree at a college, university, or trade school.

Illinois Valley Central High School, (309) 274-5481

Blumenthal Scholarship Fund of Rotary Club of Peoria

Albert Blumenthal and his family are Holocaust survivors who settled in Peoria after World War II. A 1951 graduate of Peoria High School, Albert received a scholarship from the Rotary Club of Peoria. To give back and support students with financial need pursuing higher education, Mr. Blumenthal and his wife established this scholarship in cooperation with the Rotary Club of Peoria.

Illinois Central College, icc.edu/scholarships

Brian Murphy Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by the Murphy family in memory of Brian Murphy to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Lewistown Community High School.

Lewistown Community High School, (309) 547-2288

Coach Tony Juska Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established to honor Coach Tony Juska, who led the 1954 Peoria (Central) High School football team to the school's first undefeated season and multiple championships. This fund provides scholarships to Peoria High School graduates and student-athletes demonstrating scholarship, leadership, and citizenship.

Peoria High School, (309) 672-6638

Dempsey Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established in memory of James H. Dempsey, a teacher and drama director at Peoria High School, to provide scholarships to students pursuing a career in teaching, theatrics, or the hard sciences (including, but not limited to: Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics, or Biology).

Peoria High School, (309) 672-6638

Dennis McPherson Scholarship Fund

Established by the family of Dennis Craig McPherson to honor his memory. Dennis was killed in Vietnam on November 11, 1967 while serving his country. This fund provides scholarships to graduating seniors of Gregory High School in Gregory, South Dakota.

Gregory High School, (605) 835-9672

Dennis R. Triggs Scholarship Fund

Established by the East Peoria Alumni Scholarship Fund to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of East Peoria Community High School pursuing post-secondary studies in Law or Public Service.

East Peoria Community High School, (309) 694-8300

East Peoria Community High School Scholarship Fund

Established in 1994 by loyal supporters of East Peoria Community High School to provide higher education scholarships for EPCHS graduates, selected by the EPCHS Scholarship Council.

East Peoria Community High School, (309) 694-8300

Elmer and Adolph Pletsch Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established to provide scholarships to Putnam County High School graduates who demonstrate academic achievement, an interest in agriculture, leadership skills, and strong character.

Putnam County High School, (815) 882-2800

EPWC Scholarship for Community Service in Memory of Peg Bahmfleth Fund

Established to provide scholarships to graduating seniors or graduates of East Peoria Community High School pursuing college or university degrees, professional accreditation or certification, or trade school programs.

East Peoria Community High School, (309) 694-8300

Gregory M. Williams Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by the friends and family of Gregory M. Williams to honor his memory. This fund provides scholarships to graduating seniors of Midwest Central High School enrolling as full-time students at Bradley University.

Midwest Central High School, (309) 968-6766

Harvey and Sue Jackson Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Stark County High School pursuing studies at an accredited two or four-year post-secondary institution located in Illinois.

Stark County High School, (309) 286-7100

Heidi Bowles Kenney M.D. Memorial Scholarship

Established to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Peoria Manual High School pursuing studies in science, technology, math, social justice, or advocacy for women and children at an accredited two or four-year institution.

Manual High School, (309) 672-6600

Janice and Gene Timm Scholarship

Established to provide scholarships to graduates of Delavan Community School District 703 who demonstrate a strong commitment to learning. Preference is given to students often seen as 'underdogs,' who may earn average grades but show determination and deserve the opportunity to pursue higher education.

Delavan Community School District, (309) 244-8285

Jenny Meek Memorial Fund

Established in memory of Jenny Meek, a 1997 Peoria High School graduate who excelled academically and was active in student council and drama while living with cystic fibrosis. This fund provides scholarships to graduating seniors of Peoria High School who reflect her spirit and accomplishments.

Peoria High School, (309) 672-6638

Jerry and Vinetta Hall Scholarship Fund

Established to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Pekin High School pursuing studies in food science or food preparation, with a strong desire to succeed and a commitment to community service.

Pekin High School, (309) 347-4101

Juliann Hollis Spirios Memorial Scholarship

Established to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Washington Community High School pursuing post-secondary studies in education, and preferably special education.

Washington Community High School, (309) 444-3167

Kenneth and Jane Hamm Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Lewistown High School pursuing studies in the fine or performing arts at an accredited two or four-year post-secondary institution located in Illinois.

Lewistown Community High School, (309) 547-2288

Linda "Lynn" Hohenbery Scholarship Fund

Established by Linda 'Lynn' Hohenbery's family to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Limestone Community High School. Lynn, who lost her battle with cancer in July 2006, was active in many Bartonville community organizations and a strong supporter of the school.

Limestone Community High School, (309) 697-6271

Little Giant Scholarship Fund

Established to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Canton High School who demonstrate active community involvement and outstanding leadership and citizenship.

Canton High School, (309) 647-1820

Mantz-Drake Family Scholarship Fund

Established to provide scholarships to benefit non-traditional students attending Indiana State University.

Indiana State University, (812) 237-2215

Mental Health Historic Preservation Society Scholarship Fund

Established to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Limestone Community High School pursuing mental health-related studies at a post-secondary institution.

Limestone Community High School, (309) 697-6271

Michael D. McCoy St. Jude Run Scholarship Fund

Established in honor of Michael D. McCoy to provide scholarships to current or former St. Jude patients or their siblings.

St. Jude Runs Office, (309) 566-3500

Peoria Academy of Science Scholarship Fund

Encourages excellence in science by providing scholarships to students with strong academic achievement in high school who plan to pursue further education in the sciences.

Peoria Academy of Science, peoriaacademyofscience.org/wordpress/scholarships

Sam Pendola Jr. Class of 1956 Track & Field Scholarship Fund

Established to provide scholarships to graduating seniors, one male and one female, from East Peoria Community High School who plan to continue their education while participating in college-level track and field.

East Peoria Community High School, (309) 694-8300

The Roy and Ada Romani Scholarship Fund

Established by the Romani Family to provide scholarships for graduating seniors of Washington Community High School interested in math and active in athletics.

Washington Community High School, (309) 444-3167

The Walter A. and Minna E. (Miché) Moehle Scholarship

Established in 1962 in honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Walter A. Moehle and Minna E. (Miché) Moehle to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Okawville High School based on career motivation and potential for scholarship, citizenship, and leadership.

Okawville High School, (618) 243-5201

Toby L. Quin Memorial Scholarship

Established by the Quin family in memory of Toby L. Quin to provide scholarships to graduating seniors from Washington Community High School pursuing an Engineering degree at Bradley University.

Washington Community High School, (309) 444-3167

Vicki Lynne Cox Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of East Peoria Community High School pursuing post-secondary studies in music education.

East Peoria Community High School, (309) 694-8300

W.F. Hardin Scholarship Fund in Memory of F.E. Hardin

Established to provide scholarships to students pursuing an education at Illinois Central College.

Illinois Central College, icc.edu/scholarships