



SOUTHWEST FLORIDA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

2021 Available Scholarships

These are general descriptions of Southwest Florida Community Foundation competitive scholarships for High School Seniors, Adult Learners, Undergraduate Students and Graduate Students. Completion of the FAFSA Form is required for all scholarships.

Complete the online application at www.floridacommunity.com/scholarships Monday, November 9, 2020 - Monday, January 11, 2021 (closes at 5:00 p.m.)

The online scholarship application includes prequalifying questions relevant to the selection criteria for each scholarship. If you have any questions about scholarships, please email Malaina Mote: scholarships@floridacommunity.com

To search for a specific scholarship, press Ctrl+F on your keyboard, type in the scholarship name and press enter.

SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTION	AWARD	WHO MAY APPLY?
<p align="center">Patricia Means Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for high school seniors who are graduating from a high school in Charlotte, Lee, Collier, Hendry or Glades County.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have a minimum of 2.0 unweighted GPA, but must not have an unweighted GPA higher than a 3.0. • Must enroll at a technical school, community college, college or university. • Must enroll full time. • Must be a United States citizen. • Must provide a copy of government issued ID or birth certificate to verify citizenship. Additional upload of ID or birth certificate is required. <p><i>Selected applicants will be called for an interview.</i></p>	<p align="center">\$10,000 <i>Renewable up to 4 years</i> Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p>Linda L. Mann Scholarship Fund for Music Majors</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a graduating high school senior who is planning to major in music education at Florida Southern College.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a graduating high school senior in southern Florida. • Must be majoring music. • Must attend Florida Southern College in Lakeland, Florida. 	<p align="center">\$1,500</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>

<p>The Tommy Bohanon Foundation Scholarship Fund To fund scholarships for Lee County high school seniors who participated in any aspect of sports during high school, demonstrates academic excellence and is committed to community service.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have participated in any aspect of sports, during high school, demonstrates academic excellence and is committed to community service. • Must provide verification of sports involvement. Additional letter from coach or athletic director verifying sport(s) involvement is required. <p><i>Selected applicants will be called for an interview.</i></p>	<p>\$10,000 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p>Richard S. Thompson and Marion L. Thompson Memorial Fund To fund a scholarship for Lee County students pursuing a post high school science education.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have an unweighted GPA of at least 3.5. • Must graduate from a high school in Lee County. • Must be pursuing a post-secondary science education. <p><i>Selected applicants will be called for an interview.</i></p>	<p>\$10,000 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p>Bobby Holloway Jr. Memorial Scholarship Fund To fund a scholarship for students who graduate from a Lee County high school and exhibit commitment to community service.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have an unweighted GPA of at least 2.5. • Must graduate from a high school in Lee County. • Must exhibit commitment to community service. • Must plan to attend a technical college, state college, community college or university. 	<p>\$2,500 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p>O. Fred and Bernadine Stuefer Scholarship Fund To fund a scholarship for graduating high school seniors in Lee County who pursue business or science upon entering college.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have an unweighted GPA of at least 3.0. • Must graduate from a high school in Lee County. • Must be pursuing a degree in business or science. • Must maintain at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA and pursue a business or science degree, to receive scholarship renewal. 	<p>\$2,000 <i>Renewable up to 4 years</i></p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>

<p align="center">Paul B. & Aline Flynn Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for students pursuing a degree, from a 4-year accredited college, in Communication or Journalism.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public or private high school in Charlotte, Collier, Lee, Hendry or Glades County. • Must pursue a degree in Communication or Journalism. • Must have an unweighted 3.0 GPA or higher. 	<p align="center">\$2,900 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p align="center">High School Seniors</p>
<p align="center">Cape Coral Mayor’s Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for students who reside in Cape Coral, FL and plan to attend a college, university or technical school.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a resident of Cape Coral, Florida. • Must plan to attend a college or university. 	<p align="center">\$1,000 <i>Renewable up to 4 years</i></p>	<p align="center">High School Seniors</p>
<p align="center">Cape Coral Mayor’s Scholarship Fund for Technical College</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for students who reside in Cape Coral, FL and plan to attend a technical college. This scholarship is renewable for each year of the recipient’s program.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a resident of Cape Coral, Florida. • Must plan to attend a technical college. 	<p align="center">\$1,000 <i>Renewable up to 2 years</i></p>	<p align="center">High School Seniors</p>
<p align="center">Chip Johnson Memorial Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for students who have completed 60 hours of college and plan to attend Barry University, Florida Gulf Coast University, Nova Southeastern University, Florida Southwestern State College or Hodges University.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have completed 60 semester hours of college and plan to continue study toward a 4-year degree at Barry University, Florida Gulf Coast University, Nova, Edison State College or Hodges University, or a regionally accredited college in the 5-county area. • Must have a GPA of 3.5 or above and an outstanding record of academic achievement. • Must live in the 5-county area served by the Community Foundation (Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry and Lee). • Must demonstrate leadership, community service and service to school. 	<p align="center">\$4,000 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p align="center">Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>

<p style="text-align: center;">John and Ellen Sheppard Humane Student Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for high school seniors who have a belief in a universal creator of life and are actively involved in school and student life, with a commitment to help others through volunteer work in the community, charitable organizations or religious organizations.</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public or private high school in Lee, Charlotte, Hendry or Glades County. • Must have a minimum 3.2 unweighted GPA. • Must acknowledge belief in a universal creator of life or higher power. • Must be actively involved in school and student life with a willingness and a commitment to helping others. 	<p style="text-align: center;">\$2,600 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Lewis B. Barber Memorial Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for books and tuition for students pursuing either a certification to teach the deaf and/or the blind or attending seminary or pre-seminary school to study Church Christian music or Christian Education.</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from public or private high school in Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry or Lee County. • Must pursue certification to teach deaf/blind or attend seminary/pre-seminary school. • Must maintain satisfactory grades. • Must acknowledge and express Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. 	<p style="text-align: center;">\$5,000</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Bonita Springs Area Chamber of Commerce / Ralph A. Richardson Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a graduate or high school senior of Estero High School, or the child of a current Bonita Springs Area Chamber of Commerce Member. Preference will be given to children of a current Bonita Springs Area Chamber of Commerce member.</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be the child of a current Bonita Springs Area Chamber of Commerce Member <i>or</i> a graduate/senior of Estero High School. • Must have an unweighted 3.0 cumulative GPA or higher throughout high school years and up to application date. • Must be planning to continue education at a vocation school, technical school, college or university. • Must exhibit a commitment to volunteering. • Must submit Bonita Springs Area Chamber of Commerce membership verification to receive preference. Additional upload of verification is required, to receive preference. 	<p style="text-align: center;">\$3,100 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>

<p>Dorothy Curtis Brown Scholarship Fund in Memory of Ann Nutt</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a student, early childhood program director or assistant director who will pursue advanced certification from an accredited college or university to become an administrator or director at a child care center.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must enroll at an accredited college or university in Southwest Florida. • Must want to obtain a Child Development Associate Certificate (CDA), Associate's Degree or Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education. • 	<p>\$1,000</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p>John & Ruth Childe Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a Lee County student with a physical disability to pursue higher education in a college, university or technical school.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from public or private high school in Lee County. • Must have a physical disability and the ability to state and describe disability in the application's essay questions. 	<p>\$1,900</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduates Graduates</p>
<p>Anne M. Fassett Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for men and women who have a physical disability and are seeking post high school educational opportunities at a college, community college or technical school level.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from public or private high school in Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry or Lee County; or, be currently enrolled or planning to attend a Florida state college, community college, or technical school. • Must have a physical disability. • Must use a wheelchair. 	<p>\$3,800</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p>Couse-Gram Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a Moore Haven High School student pursuing post-secondary education.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a Moore Haven High School senior. • Must be pursuing post-secondary education. 	<p>\$950</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>

<p align="center">Carol Patti McLaughlin Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a student pursuing a 4-year degree, at an accredited college or university, who has an unweighted GPA of 3.3 or higher, demonstrates community service and is from Lee, Charlotte, Glades or Hendry County.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a student in Lee, Charlotte, Glades or Hendry County. • Must be pursuing a 4-year degree at an accredited college or university. • Must have an unweighted GPA of 3.3 or higher. • Must exhibit community service. 	<p align="center">\$1,200</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p align="center">Doris W. Frey Memorial Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for students studying Christian Ministry/Youth Ministry, Education, Christian Counseling, Nursing or Medicine. Preference will be given to members and attendees off the Sanibel Community Church.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public or private high school in Charlotte, Collier, Hendry, Glades or Lee County. • Must pursue a degree in Christian Ministry/Youth Ministry, Christian Counseling, Education, Nursing or Medicine. • Must be committed to a life of Christian service. • Must demonstrate a commitment through action in ministering to others. • Must have recognized ability & academic performance with standard measures of grades & appropriate test scores. 	<p align="center">\$2,700 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p align="center">Bruce T. Gora Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund one scholarship to a high school senior or undergraduate student who is pursuing photography (digital or traditional), architecture or music (priority to a brass instrument player or trumpeter) at an accredited college, university or technical school in Florida.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public or private school in Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry or Lee County. • Must pursue a major in Fine Arts Photography, Architecture or Music at a Florida college, university or technical school. • Must have an unweighted GPA of at least a 2.5. 	<p align="center">\$1,200</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students</p>
<p align="center">Frances Harris Gresham Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a Lee County graduate, of a public or private high school, to attend college.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public or private high school in Lee County. • Must plan on attending college. 	<p align="center">\$1,400</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>

<p align="center">Immokalee Achievement Award Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for an Immokalee High School graduating senior who has or will be applying to a community college, or an advanced education trade school, for a course or courses leading to a specialized trade or job skill.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from Immokalee High School. • Must enroll at a community college or trade school in courses leading up to a specialized trade or job skill. 	<p align="center">\$1,000</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p align="center">George E. Judd Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for graduating Lee County seniors pursuing higher education in the fine or performing arts.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public or private high school in Lee County. • Must pursue a degree in fine or performing arts. 	<p align="center">\$1,000 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p align="center">Doc Keen Memorial Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a student who was an active member of 4-H or FFA for two consecutive years and attended a Clewiston or LaBelle High School.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from Clewiston or LaBelle high school. • Must pursue post-secondary education. • Must have been active member of 4-H or FFA for two consecutive years. 	<p align="center">\$750</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p align="center">Isabel Mayer Kirkpatrick Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for Lee County high school graduates with a “B” average.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from public or private high school in Lee County. • Must be well-rounded in terms of education, community service, sports and leadership activities. • Must have an unweighted GPA between 2.7 - 3.3. 	<p align="center">\$5,400</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p align="center">Ruth Messmer Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for women pursuing a business career in college.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from public or private high school in Lee, Charlotte, Glades, Hendry or Collier County. • Must be a woman. • Must be pursuing a business career in college. • Must be well-rounded in terms of education, community service and leadership activities. 	<p align="center">\$1,200</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>

<p>G. Napier and Ellen T. Wilson Scholarship Fund To fund a scholarship for an outstanding high school student who has volunteered at a Veterans Administration Hospital, Clinic or similar organization providing services to military veterans, to attend an accredited university, college or vocational technical institution.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public or private high school in Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry or Lee County. • Must have volunteered at a veteran’s administration hospital or clinic, or a similar organization that provides services to military veterans. • Must provide a letter of recommendation from the veteran’s facility or organization where the applicant volunteers. Additional upload of this letter of recommendation is required. 	<p>\$4,200</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p>Lee County Library Sciences Scholarship Fund To fund a scholarship for Lee County residents pursuing a Bachelor or Master’s degree in Library Science.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a resident of Lee County. • Must be pursuing a Bachelor or Master Degree in Library Science. • Must have completed at least 60 credit hours. • Must have an unweighted GPA of 3.0 or higher. 	<p>\$7,300</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p>Judge William J. Nelson Scholarship Fund To fund a scholarship for a student who will attend or attends the University of Florida.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a high school in Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry or Lee County. • Must have overcome adversity in some way. • Must attend the University of Florida. 	<p>\$1,800</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p>Chet and Janett Perry Rotary Club of Fort Myers Scholarship Fund To fund a scholarship for a student who is pursuing a career in Accounting.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be graduating from a public or private high school in Charlotte, Collier, Hendry, Glades or Lee County. • Must pursue a degree in Accounting. • Must enter college within a year following high school graduation. 	<p>\$900</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>

<p>Southwest Florida Deputy Sheriffs Association Fund To fund a scholarship for students who are dependents of an active Sheriff's law enforcement officer.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a high school in Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry or Lee County. • Must be pursuing post-secondary education. • Must be a dependent of an active Sheriff's Law Enforcement officer in Lee, Charlotte, Collier, Hendry or Glades County. • Must list name of Law Enforcement Officer on application. • Must provide documentation of Sheriff's Office employment. Additional upload of documentation is required. 	<p>\$1,400 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p>Mrs. Cathy Riedel Scholarship Fund To fund a scholarship for Cypress Lake High School seniors who want to pursue a career that involves helping those with special needs. Preference will be given to those who have participated in the Special Olympics and who have aided in ESE classrooms. This award is not restricted to education majors; any public service career, such as Law Enforcement, Fire and Rescue, Nursing, Law, Medicine, etc., is included.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a Cypress Lake High School student. • Must want to pursue a career related to assisting people with special needs. 	<p>\$1,000</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p>Jim Ilias Athletic Memorial Scholarship To fund a scholarship for a high school athlete who demonstrates excellence in athletics, academics, sportsmanship and moral character, and is pursuing post-secondary education.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a high school athlete in Lee, Charlotte, Collier, Hendry or Glades County. • Must be pursuing post-secondary education. • Must demonstrate excellence in athletics, academics, sportsmanship and moral character. • Must submit letter of recommendation from coach. Additional upload of coach's letter of recommendation is required. 	<p>\$1,000</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p>The Ricky Pigott Memorial Fund To fund two scholarships: (1) A high school senior who participated in the Cape Coral Youth Football Association and (2) A Mariner High School football player who is a graduating senior.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (1) Must have participated in the Cape Coral Youth Football Association. • (2) Must be a Mariner High School football player. 	<p>(1) \$1,500 (2) \$2,500</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>

<p align="center">City of Sanibel Employee Dependent Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for dependents of Sanibel City employees to attend a college or university.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a dependent of a Sanibel City employee. 	<p align="center">\$850 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p align="center">Jane H. Berkold Scholarship</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for graduates of Lee County public high schools in need of financial assistance.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public high school in Lee County. • Must have an unweighted GPA of 3.5 or higher. • Must need financial assistance. 	<p align="center">\$5,500 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p align="center">John M. & Mary A. Shanley Memorial Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for four years to students studying Medicine, Law, Dentistry, Education, Ministry, Engineering, Accounting, Agriculture, Architecture or Computer Science.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be studying Law, Medicine, Dentistry, Education, Ministry, Engineering, Accounting, Agriculture, Architecture or Computer Science. • Must graduate from a high school in Charlotte, Hendry or Lee County. • Must have an unweighted GPA of 3.0 or higher. • Must need financial assistance. <p><i>Selected applicants will be called for an interview.</i></p>	<p align="center">\$5,000 <i>Renewable up to 4 years</i> Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p align="center">Jordan Ashley Gutheim Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a four-year scholarship for a Lee County high school graduating senior, with preference given to an Evangelical Christian School graduate in Fort Myers, Florida, who plans to attend Florida State University.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a graduating high school senior, from Lee County, with preference given to Evangelical Christian School seniors, in Fort Myers. • Must be a resident of Lee County. • Must plan to attend Florida State University. • Must need financial assistance. 	<p align="center">\$2,000 <i>May be renewable up to 4 years.</i></p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>

<p>American Association of University Women- Mary Sue Gottcent Memorial Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a Lee County woman, 25 years of age or older, who is enrolled or will be enrolled in the State of Florida College/University System. <u>Priority will be given to the current awardee, for subsequent years, up to a maximum of four years.</u></p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a woman. • Must be 25-years-old or older. • Must be a resident of Lee County. • Must have an unweighted GPA of 2.75 or higher. • Must be enrolled, or plan to enroll, in Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University (FAMU), Florida Atlantic University (FAU), Florida Gulf Coast University (FGCU), Florida International University (FIU), Florida Polytechnic University (FPU), Florida State University (FSU), New College of Florida (NCF), University of Central Florida (UCF), University of Florida (UF), University of North Florida (UNF), University of South Florida (USF) or University of West Florida (UWF). • Must need financial assistance. 	<p>\$2,000</p>	<p>Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p>Judge Isaac Anderson, Jr. Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship to a two- or four-year regionally accredited college or university, for an African-American Lee County high school student.</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from public or private high school in Lee County. • Must be an African-American student. • Must maintain an unweighted GPA of 3.0 or higher. • Must demonstrate strong community ties, preferably to the local Dunbar community, through extracurricular activities, religious endeavors or community service. • Must plan to attend a two- or four-year regionally accredited college or university. • Must need financial assistance. <p><i>Selected applicants will be called for an interview.</i></p>	<p>\$1,300</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p>Carl E. Brooks Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for college bound students of one or more immigrant parents.</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from public or private high school in Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry or Lee County. • Must be the child of an immigrant parent. • Must provide parent's immigration card or birth certificate. <u>Additional upload of parent's immigration card or birth certificate is required.</u> • Must need financial assistance. <p><i>Selected applicants will be called for an interview.</i></p>	<p>\$2,900 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students</p>

<p align="center">James Bilder Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for Lee County high school students to pursue higher education. Preference will be given to students attending vocational/technical schools.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a graduate from a high school in Lee County. • Must need financial assistance. 	<p align="center">\$4,400 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p align="center">Howard P. & Magdalen K. Breitenbach Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a student who was either a service member of the United States Navy or is a child/grandchild of a service member who was in the United States Navy and is in need of financial assistance.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public or private high school in Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry or Lee County. • Must be either a former service member of the U.S. Navy or a child/grandchild of a U.S. Navy Service Member. • Must provide proof of service in the Navy. Additional upload of proof is required. • Must need financial assistance. 	<p align="center">\$9,200 Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p align="center">Ellen Sheppard Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a Lee County high school senior or a graduate currently enrolled in an accredited college or university, pursuing a degree in art (specifically visual arts—painting, photography, or sculpture) or nursing. Preference will be given to students who are in their first year of college; however, students at all class levels will be considered.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a high school in Lee County. • Must have a minimum 3.5 unweighted GPA. • Must pursue a degree in art (specifically visual arts—painting, photography or sculpture) or nursing. • Must need financial assistance. 	<p align="center">\$3,000</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p align="center">Alli D. Brett Scholarship for Nursing Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for Lee County students who pursue nursing. This scholarship is open to RN and BSN students.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a high school in Lee County. • Must pursue Nursing. • Must need financial assistance. 	<p align="center">\$2,000</p>	<p>High School Seniors Adult Learners Undergraduate Students</p>

<p style="text-align: center;">Julie Willard Mikell Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a Lee County high school senior, in need of financial assistance, to attend a 2- or 4-year regionally accredited college or university</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public or private high school in Lee County. • Must have a minimum 3.0 unweighted GPA. • Must plan to attend a 2- or 4-year accredited college or university in Southwest Florida. • Must demonstrate strong ties to the community through extracurricular activities, religious endeavors or community service. • Must need financial assistance. 	\$1,800	High School Seniors
<p style="text-align: center;">Doctors Ira and Udaya Dash Nursing Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a student who is studying nursing at Florida Gulf Coast University or Florida Southwestern State College.</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must reside in Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry or Lee County. • Must plan to attend or be attending Florida Southwestern College (FSW) or Florida Gulf Coast University (FGCU). • Must study Nursing. • Must need financial assistance. 	\$850	High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students
<p style="text-align: center;">David G. Robinson Arts Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a Lee County high school graduate who plans to study the arts at an accredited school.</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a high school in Lee County. • Must plan to study the arts. • Must be an industrious student with good moral character. • Must show leadership and community service. • Must need financial assistance. 	\$2,300	High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students
<p style="text-align: center;">William L. Graddy Law School Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for students who have completed their first year at an accredited law school.</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have completed first year of law school. • Must have an unweighted GPA of 2.8 or above. • Must have been a resident of Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry or Lee county for at least 3 years. • Must need financial assistance. 	\$900	Graduate Students

<p align="center">Matt Harmon Memorial Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for books and tuition for college-bound baseball players.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public school in Lee County. • Must be male. • Must have played baseball in high school. • Must need financial assistance. 	\$1,000	High School Seniors
<p align="center">Anne Sturrock Nursing Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a student pursuing nursing who is a member, or a child of a member, of St. Andrew Catholic Church in Cape Coral.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a member, or a child or a member, of Saint Andrew Catholic Church in Cape Coral. • Must pursue a career in nursing. • Must need financial assistance. 	\$7,750	High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students
<p align="center">Robert C. & Margaret A. Schikora Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for students who need financial assistance and have previously graduated from high schools, in Lee County, to pursue postsecondary educational opportunities.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public or private high school in Lee County. • Must have a documented 3.0 unweighted GPA. • Must be well-rounded, in terms of education, community service, sports and leadership. • Must need financial assistance. 	\$1,200	High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students
<p align="center">Robert A. Kleckner Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a high school, undergraduate or graduate student who is in need of financial assistance and is pursuing a career in finance or accounting.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a high school in Charlotte, Collier, Lee, Hendry or Glades County. • Must pursue degree in Finance or Accounting. • Must need financial assistance. 	\$2,600	High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students

<p align="center">Gerard C. Mehr Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a Southwest Florida student graduating high school or possessing a GED, or to adult learners seeking continued education from accredited colleges, universities or training from certified job training programs.</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must express desire to acquire new skills and goals to help others, in the application's personal essay. • Must live in Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry or Lee County. • Must need financial assistance. 	\$950	<p>High School Graduates GED Holders Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p align="center">Love of Bonita Empowerment Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for books, tuition and/or course fees for Bonita Springs residents who have been out of school for at least two years and plan to attend a college or technical school.</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a resident of Bonita Springs. • Must be out of high school for at least two years or received your GED. • Must need financial assistance. 	\$1,000	<p>GED Holders Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p align="center">Faye Lynn Roberts Education Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for women pursuing a career in technical studies, court reporting, computer training or nursing.</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be 21 years of age or older. • Must be a resident of Lee County. • Must be a single mother. • Must need financial assistance. 	\$750	<p>High School Graduates Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p align="center">Sanibel Community Church Scholarship Fund: Next Generation Fund Trust</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for a child or grandchild of a member of Sanibel Community Church.</p> <p><u>Eligibility Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a child or grandchild of a member of Sanibel Community Church. • Must show academic excellence and other abilities. • Must be a high school graduate; private, public or home schooled certified. • Must have a commitment to the Christian faith and lifestyle. • Must have a willingness to serve others in a church and community. • Must need financial assistance. 	\$2,000	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>

<p>Allen B. and Elizabeth W. Shevach Scholarship Fund for Lee County High School Graduates</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for deserving students who graduate from high schools located in Lee County.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a high school graduate of a Lee County High School. • Must need financial assistance. 	<p>\$2,250</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p>The William (Billy) R. Shevach Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for deserving student athletes from Fort Myers High School in Lee County. College athletics is not a requirement for the scholarship.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from Fort Myers High School. • Students must have lettered in at least one interscholastic high school sport. • Must need financial assistance. 	<p>\$2,300</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p>Frances H. Waldron Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for an Immokalee High School senior who plans to attend a college or university in Southwest Florida.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a graduating Immokalee High School senior. • Must have a 3.2, 3.3 or 3.4 unweighted GPA. • Must attend a college or university in Southwest Florida. • Must need financial assistance. 	<p>\$2,300</p>	<p>High School Seniors</p>
<p>Robert B. and Dorothy Pence Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for Lee County students who need financial assistance to attend college or technical school.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must graduate from a public or private high school in Lee County. • Must be an industrious student with good moral character. • Must need financial assistance. 	<p>\$1,800</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>
<p>Barbara's Friends Scholarship Fund</p> <p>To fund a scholarship for any child who has been or is currently being treated for or has received a full treatment protocol for a blood disorder or pediatric oncology diagnosis.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must had or have received treatment protocol for a blood disorder or pediatric oncology diagnosis. • Must receive(d) treatment at Golisano Children's Hospital of Southwest Florida. 	<p>\$20,000 <i>Renewable up to 4 years</i> Multiple Awards Available</p>	<p>High School Seniors Undergraduate Students Graduate Students</p>

