

University of California

Blue & Gold Opportunity Plan

- Benefits: System-wide tuition and fees combining all sources of scholarship and grant awards you receive
- Eligibility: California resident or have AB 540 status; total family income below \$80,000

<https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/tuition-financial-aid/types-of-aid/blue-and-gold-opportunity-plan.html>

Brandeis University

Myra Kraft Transitional Year Program

For students who have shown academic promise, tenacity, leadership, and resilience in their life experiences, but have had limitations to their pre-college academic opportunities. In their first year at Brandeis, students in the program take a mixture of Brandeis undergraduate courses and MKTYP-exclusive courses designed at the college level.

<https://www.brandeis.edu/admissions/apply/mktyp.html>

University of Maryland - BC

The Meyerhoff Scholars Program

- Benefits: Four-year scholarships, \$10,000 – \$22,000 (award range per year); robust student services throughout college
- Eligibility: Nomination-based application process; plan to pursue doctoral study in STEM
- Interested in the advancement of minorities

<https://meyerhoff.umbc.edu/prospective-students-2/>

Gettysburg College

STEM Scholars Program

- Benefits: Supportive mentoring during the crucial first two years; PC laptops for your exclusive use; engage in opportunities, like research, peer-mentoring, work-related internship with institutional industry partners
- Eligibility: U.S. citizen or lawfully admitted to the U.S. for permanent residence; intend to major in a STEM field; demonstrate financial need

<https://www.gettysburg.edu/s-stem>

UC San Diego

PATHS

- Benefits: 4-year scholarship up to \$10,000/year; ongoing mentorship; summer research and intern opportunities; interaction with community; philanthropic and STEM industry partners; personal wellness and holistic support
- Eligibility: Be admitted to a STEM major at UCSD; demonstrate commitment to character, culture and community, and interest in the advancement of historically underrepresented populations in the sciences; must commit to living on campus for the first two years of the program

<https://paths.ucsd.edu/>

Chancellor's Scholars Program

- Benefits: \$10,000 per year, up to 4 years; summer transition program; guaranteed university housing; faculty and peer mentoring; priority enrollment
- Eligibility: CA resident who apply to UC San Diego & demonstrate financial need are automatically considered for the scholarship

<https://students.ucsd.edu/finances/financial-aid/types/scholarships/freshmen/chancellors.html>

UC Berkeley

SEED

- Benefits: Housing for summer rising & first year; financial support including scholarships; faculty mentoring
- Eligibility: Interest in a STEM major; leadership and diversity/service involvement

<https://seedscholars.berkeley.edu/>

Regents' & Chancellor's Scholarship

- Benefits: Up to full need; guaranteed housing; priority class enrollment; faculty mentor; financial aid advising & more
- Eligibility: All students who apply to UC Berkeley are automatically considered for the scholarship.

<https://financialaid.berkeley.edu/regents-and-chancellors-scholarship>

Hoover High School Awards

See Mrs. Pringle in the counseling office

College scholarships are provided to qualifying students graduating from Hoover High School.

Stephen Effron Scholarship

The [Effron Scholarship Program](#) at Hoover High School was established in memory of Helen and Sol Price's nephew, Stephen Effron, who had attended Hoover High School. Scholarship applicants are eligible for either a \$20,000 maximum scholarship to a four-year college or university funded at \$4,000 per year for five years or \$2,000 for a two-year scholarship to a community college, trade or vocational school. Only current Hoover High students are eligible. Please visit the counseling office to obtain an application.

Addition Hoover ONLY Scholarships

- Hoover Foundation Scholarship
- Hoover Foundation Academy Scholarship
- Larry Hall Scholarship
- Larry Hall Academy Scholarship
- Lee Mongrue Memorial Scholarships
- Lee Mongrue Memorial Scholarship - Friends Fund
- Munoz Family Scholarship
- Jesus Morales Scholarships
- CADES
- AOIT Scholarship
- SABE Scholarship
- SJA Scholarship

Visit Hoover's Google [Classroom](#) for seniors to find scholarship applications.

Other Resources

Recommended Scholarships:

- Gates Millennium Scholars - <https://gmsh.org/>
- Questbridge - <https://www.questbridge.org/>
- Dell Scholarship - <https://www.dellscholars.org/>
- High School Laptop Scholarship Contest - <https://www.sdmts.com/inside-mts/events/high-school-laptop-scholarship-contest>

Recommended Scholarship Search Engines:

- College Greenlight - <https://www.cappex.com/greenlight/articles/scholarship-list>
- Chegg Scholarships - <https://www.chegg.com/scholarships#level=high-school>
- Scholly - <https://myscholly.com/>

Recommended Colleges That Offer Full Aid:

- 77 Colleges With Full-Ride Scholarships - <https://blog.collegevine.com/50-colleges-with-full-ride-scholarships/>
- Colleges that meet 100% demonstrated financial need - <http://blog.collegegreenlight.com/blog/colleges-that-meet-100-of-student-financial-need/>