

SCHOLARSHIP S 101



Where to find Scholarship Opportunities

★ School Counseling Office

- Folders on Cabinet next to door



- Colleges tab > Scholarships & Money > Scholarship List

★ Online Scholarship Search Engines

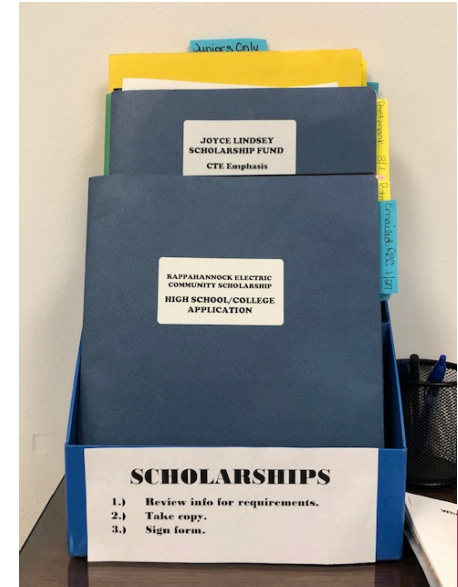


★ Place of Employment and Other Businesses

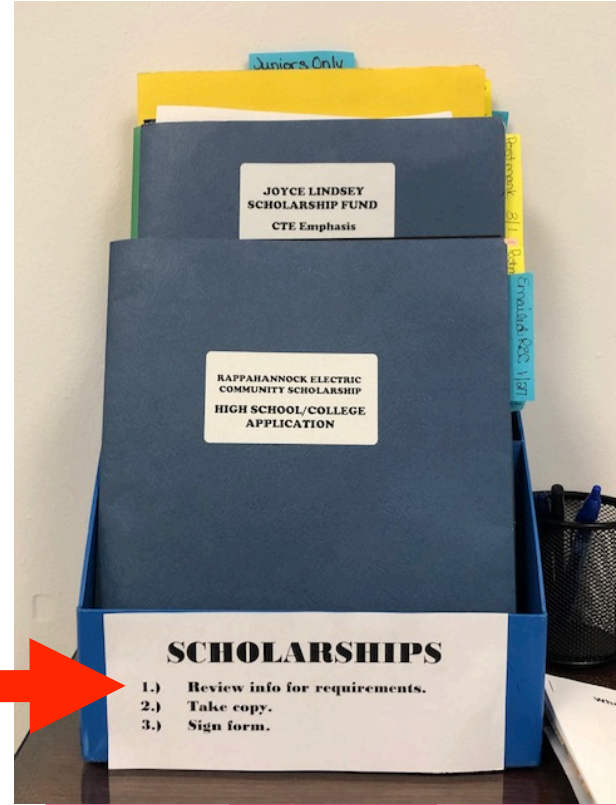
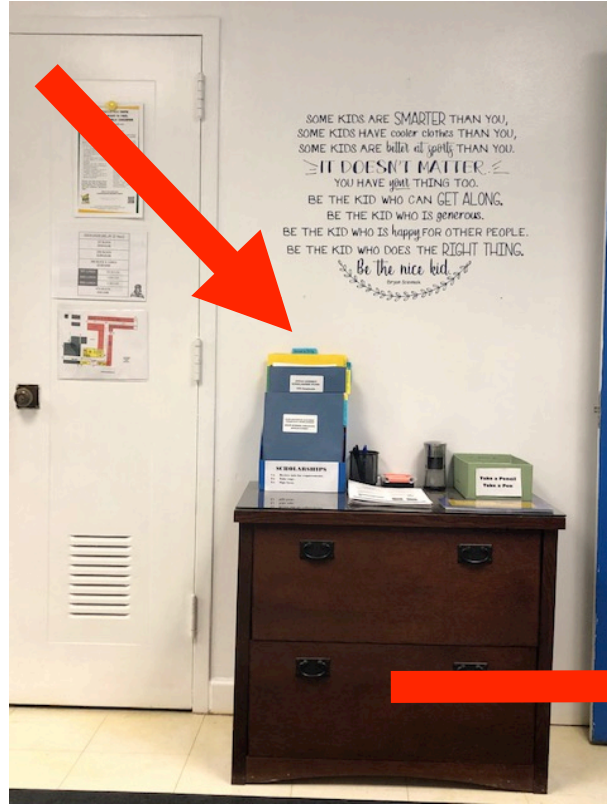
★ Community Service Organizations

★ Local Governments and Politicians

★ College you are attending



Where to Find - COUNSELING OFFICE



COUNSELING OFFICE

**GEORGE E. ALLEN
ACADEMIC
SCHOLARSHIP**

Application and/or Information

**THE GEORGE E. ALLEN ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP
(Sponsor: Allen and Allen)**

Due Date: Postmarked/Submitted by: March 1, 2018
Amount: \$1,500.00 each (15 awards in total)

- Criteria:
- 2018 high school senior
 - Application
 - Two Letters of Recommendation (see application for information)
 - Demonstrated Academic Progress (see application for information)

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Pursuing the Beyond Since 1900

The George E. Allen Academic Scholarship Application

Dear Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in the George E. Allen Academic Scholarship, which celebrates the life of our town's founder, George E. Allen. He overcame many challenges in his early life, including the tragic loss of his mother. He worked to support himself through college and law school, and went on to found Allen & Allen, one of the premier personal injury law firms in Virginia and in the country. The scholarship bearing his name is designed to recognize students who, despite obstacles or special challenges, have achieved high standards of performance.

Deadline: March 1

In fairness to all applicants, applications must be submitted or postmarked on or before March 1. The Allen Law Firm will award **fifteen \$1,500 scholarships** this year to students throughout Virginia, according to the following criteria:

1. The applicant must be a senior in a Virginia high school whose plans include advanced education through college, nursing, business, trade, technical training or similar program. Foreign plans are not required to be in Virginia.
2. The application must be completed in full, incomplete applications will not be eligible for consideration.
3. The applicant should possess good character, denoted by **two letters of recommendation**. At least one of the letters must be furnished by a teacher or guidance counselor.

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Sign Your Name

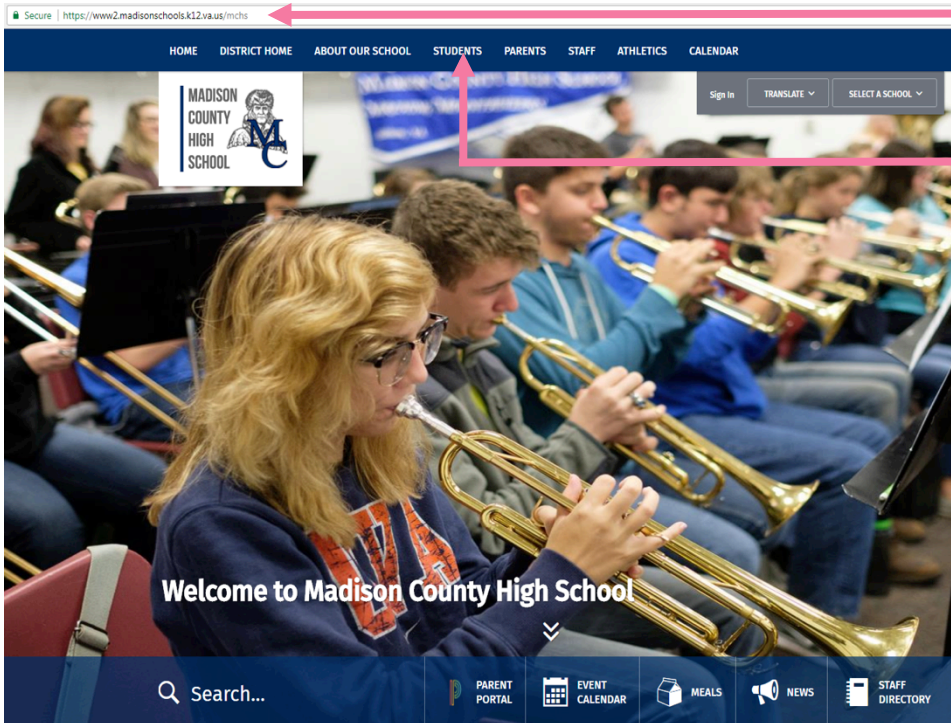
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Title

How and When to Submit

Dollar Amount & Number Available Criteria

Where to find - NAVIANCE

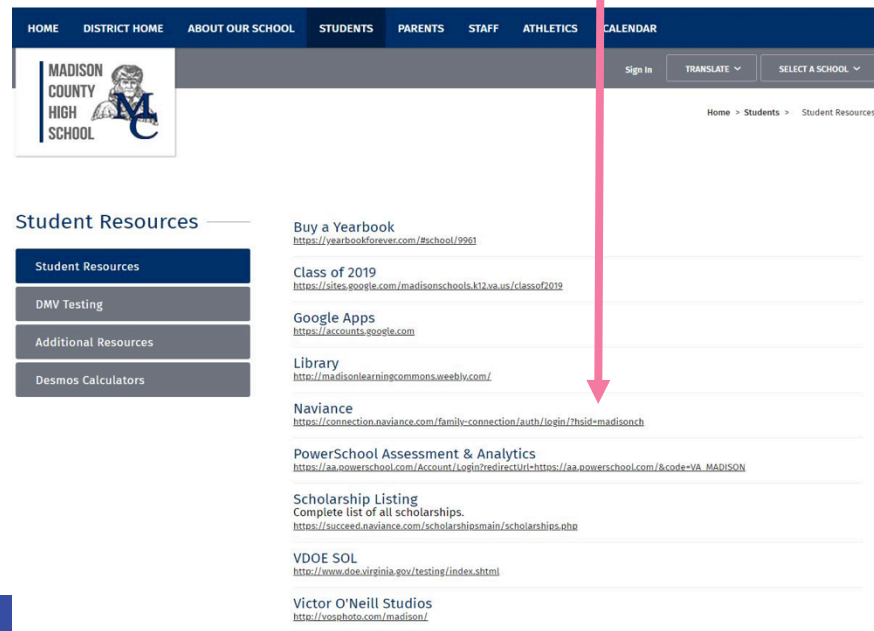


Go to MCHS Website:

<https://www2.madisonschools.k12.va.us/mchs>

Click on STUDENTS Tab

Click on NAVIANCE Link



Where to find - NAVIANCE

LOGIN !!!

If you need your Login Information come to the Counseling Office or you can reset from Naviance.



Welcome to Naviance Student

Email

Password

Remember me

[Forgot your password?](#)

Login

[Need additional help?](#)

Are you new here?

[I need to register](#)

Madison County High School
68 Mountainview Lane
Madison, VA 22727
pt: (540) 948-3785
<http://mchs.madisonschools.k12.va.us/>
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WELCOME

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Naviance | Student

Welcome, Demo Teal!

[Search for Colleges](#)

SEARCH

Class of 2019

Welcome Class of 2019

- It is time to review your career and college plans with your counselor
- Take a few minutes and enter the colleges that you are applying to under the Colleges Tab

[Read more](#)

Important To-Dos and Tasks

Relax, you have no overdue or upcoming to-dos and tasks. However, you can get ahead by going to My Planner to see what's next or create a goal or to-do.

[See All in My Planner](#)

My Favorites

COLLEGES
I'm thinking about

COLLEGES
I'm applying to

COURSES
I'm thinking about

CAREERS AND CLUSTERS
I'm thinking about

What's New

U.S. Marine Corps will be visiting your school on Monday, January 14th, 2019 at 9:40 am [more info](#)

Where to find - NAVIANCE

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COLLEGES
Home



COLLEGES
I'm thinking about



COLLEGES
I'm applying to

Find Your Fit >

Research Colleges >

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Click on Colleges Tab

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Scholarship Match

Scholarship List

Scholarship Applications

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Scholarships and Financial Aid

The list below contains scholarships or financial aid awards that may be relevant for you. Click the name of a scholarship to view more information. You may also check the scholarships for which you are submitting applications and then click "Add to My Applications"

81 Scholarships

Filters: All

Only show new since my last visit

Name	Deadline	Maximum Award	Merit based	Need based	Essay req	Service req
<input type="checkbox"/> \$500 Countdown to College Scholarship Sign-up	1/4	\$500				
<input type="checkbox"/> 1Dental Scholarship Drawing	12/31	\$500				
<input type="checkbox"/> AC Pro Veterans Scholarship	-	\$5,000				
<input type="checkbox"/> ACF Visionary Scholarship Program	5/1	up to \$5,000			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Armstrong Foundation Scholarship (LOCAL)	3/15	\$5,000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Autolist Used Car to Dream Car Scholarship (Quarterly Scholarship)	-	\$1,500			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Click on each Scholarship for Information and Requirements

Where to find - NAVIANCE

Name: Name of Scholarship

Category: Search Categories (Essay, Local, State, etc.)

Organization: Who Sponsors the Scholarship

Application Form: If there is a paper application, it has been attached so that it can be downloaded and printed.

Armstrong Foundation Scholarship (LOCAL)

Category
Local

Organization
MCHS Counseling Office

Primary contact
Karen Teal, Guidance Secretary/Registrar

Other contact information
N/A

Address
Madison County High School 68
22727 Madison, Virginia
US

Phone
5409483765

Fax
N/A

Email
kteal@madisonschools.k12.va.us

Website
N/A

Application form
ARMSTRONG SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2019.pdf

Deadline
3/15

Maximum award
\$5,000

Renewable
No

Award basis
Need based, Merit based

Description
- Seniors - Rank between 1 and 40 in the senior class - Have strong character, service and citizenship - Demonstrate financial need - Have attended MCHS for 4 years - 2 confidential letters of recommendation from Teachers and/or Community Leaders (not a counselor or principal)

Qualifications

Gender
N/A

Ethnicity
N/A

Contact Info: If you have Questions or for Submitting.

Website: For Information or Online Applications.

Deadline: Date Due for Submission

Maximum Award: Maximum amount that is being offered, some scholarships offer smaller increments up to that amount.

Description: Breakdown of the Criteria Required.

Application Breakdown - THE BASICS

★ Personal Information

- Contact Information
 - Name, Address, Phone
- High School Information
 - Name of School, Class Rank, GPA
 - Transcript
- Testing Information
 - SAT/ACT Scores



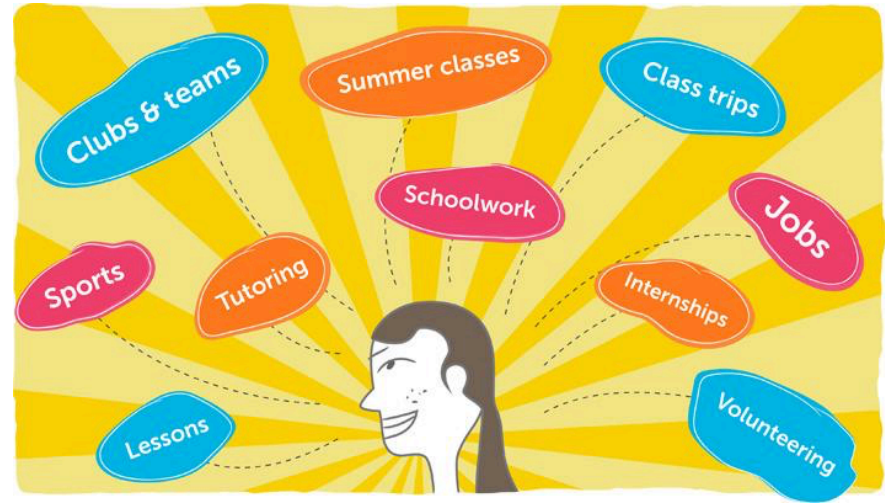
★ College Information

- Name of School Attending or those you have applied to
 - 4 year, 2 year, and Trade Schools
- Estimated Cost of Attending Chosen School
- What will your Major or Chosen Course of Study will be



Application Breakdown - ABOUT YOU

- ★ Extracurricular Activities
 - School Clubs/Organizations
 - Honors/Awards/Recognitions Received
 - Leadership Roles
- ★ Employment History
 - Employers and Dates of Employment
 - Internships
- ★ Community Service/Volunteer Activities
 - Places and Services Provided
 - Hours Logged
 - Honors/Awards/Recognitions



Application Breakdown - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

★ Financial Information

- Parents'/Guardians' Information
 - Employer Information and Occupation
 - Tax and Income Information
- Number in Household
 - All individuals that live with you and their ages
- Unusual/Extenuating Circumstances affecting Household Income
 - Parent Disability
 - Single Parent
 - Single Income
 - Other

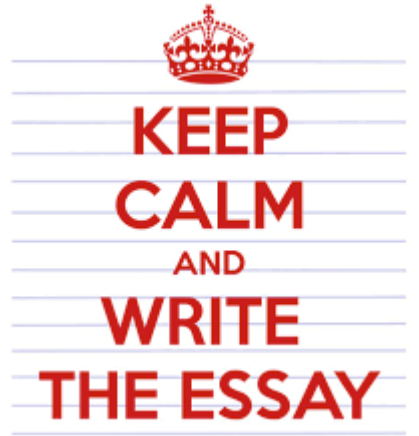


- FAFSA - Student Aid Report

Application Breakdown - ESSAYS

★ Essay Questions

- Most Scholarships have some form of Essay Question
- Pay Attention to:
 - Topic Requirements
 - What is the essay supposed to be about?
 - Length Requirements
 - Essays may have a minimum or maximum word count
 - Formatting Requirements
 - Essay may have requirements to margins, number of pages, and fonts.
- **Use Experiences and Inspiration to increase your Impact Factor.**
- **Proofread your Essays**



Application Breakdown - ESSAY EXAMPLES

- ★ Describe in detail what influenced your choice of study such as volunteer work, internships and/or persons and what you gained from this involvement?
- ★ How will obtaining a college or trade school education contribute to your immediate or long range career goals?
- ★ In what ways do you plan on financially contributing to your college or trade school



"I read your college application essay. First of all the word 'COLLEGE' has two 'L's."

Application Breakdown - RECOMMENDATIONS

★ Letters of Recommendation

- Non-Family Members
- Individuals who are familiar with your Academics and Extracurriculars
 - School Personnel - Teachers, Coaches, School Counselors
 - Community Figures - Community Service Leaders, Church Pastors, Employers
- Provide Information to Recommenders
 - Brag Sheets, Resumes, etc.
- **Give plenty of TIME for Recommenders**



Application Breakdown - WHEN, WHERE & HOW



★ Availability

- New Scholarships are Constantly Available
 - Always be searching and checking for new scholarships
- Rolling Scholarships
 - Some organizations pick new winners on a monthly or quarterly basis

★ Due Dates

- Some scholarships have short application windows
- Some are online only and have a specific time of day they are due by

★ How to Submit

- Pay attention to how it is to be submitted

Scholarship - DO's and DON'Ts

DO's

- ★ APPLY, APPLY, APPLY
 - Scholarships do not have to be paid back
- ★ SEARCH
 - Constantly look for new scholarships
- ★ READ INSTRUCTIONS
 - **Can be turned down or ignored if not completed correctly or is missing information.**
- ★ PROOFREAD
 - Proofread application and essays
- ★ CLEAN UP SOCIAL MEDIA
 - Do not have inappropriate content

DON'Ts

- ★ DON'T WAIT 'TIL LAST MINUTE TO SUBMIT
 - Don't rush your application, review your work.
- ★ **DON'T WAIT TO ASK FOR RECOMMENDATIONS**
 - You are not the only one asking.
- ★ DON'T ASSUME YOU WON'T GET ONE
 - Numerous scholarships available for all types of activities, community service, etc.
- ★ **DON'T PAY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS**

Which
scholarship do
you have ZERO
chance of
winning?

The one you
don't apply for.

[UNIGO.COM/OUR-SCHOLARSHIPS](https://unigo.com/our-scholarships)

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Reminder

Check Naviance and your emails frequently
for updates and emails from Ms. Teal.

