

BENZIE LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS

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The Husky Pup Scholarship	Benzie graduating senior! This scholarship recognizes one graduating Senior, from each of the four elementary schools. Platte River kids won't be left out!	4/15/2024 BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024 and Supplemental Essay
Peyton V. Burch Memorial Scholarship	Benzie graduating senior!	4/15/2024 BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024 and Supplemental Essay
Carroll Volpe Honorary Scholarship- Benzie Democrats	We will award up to 4 scholarships of \$1,000 each to High School Seniors in Benzie County public schools. The award is to be used toward a 2-year or 4-year college or university, or an accredited technical school.	4/15/2024 BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024 and Essay Contest (choose 1)
Zonta Scholarship	Scholarship Criteria: BC or Frankfort High School Graduating Senior Women. Zonta Essay Criteria	4/15/2024 BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024 and Zonta Essay Criteria
Masonic Lodge Scholarship	Offered to Benzie graduates - Masonic member affiliation (not required but ideal)	4/15/2024 BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024
Seabury Foundation Scholarship	Benzie graduating senior! - (STEM interest)	4/15/2024 BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024

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Paul T and Francis B Johnson	APPLICANTS MUST HAVE BEEN A RESIDENT OF BENZIE, LEELANAU, OR GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY FOR AT LEAST THREE OUT OF FOUR OF HIS OR HER HIGH SCHOOL YEARS (GRADES 9-12) WHICH INCLUDES YOUR SENIOR YEAR.	<u>Due May 15, 2024</u> <u>Print out application and mail - on your own.</u>
PEO Scholarship for Senior Women	PEO is a national women’s organization that strongly supports the advanced education of women. The scholarship is a one-time scholarship of \$1000 that is related to academic performance, demonstrated financial need, character, and participation in school and community activities.	<u>4/15/2024</u> <u>BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024</u> and <u>Essay and Application Checklist</u>
Mike Cicansky Memorial Scholarship	This scholarship is open to 2023 BCHS students planning to pursue a career, education, or licensing in the trades, including: building, electrical, HVAC, masonry, painting, plumbing, or welding.	TBA Application Pending
Congregational Summer Assembly	Open to any 2023 graduate of BCCS. Consideration given to financial need, scholastic ability, strong commitment to service within their community, and admission to an undergraduate or post graduate program at an accredited college or university or into a vocational program.	TBA
Delta Kappa Gamma	One \$500.00 scholarship may be awarded to a graduating senior who plans to major in education at a college or university. The local chapter, Beta Gamma of Delta Kappa Gamma, an international women’s educational honor society, administers and approves this scholarship.	<u>4/15/2024</u> <u>BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024</u> And <u>Delta Kappa Gamma Application and Personal Statement</u>
Frankfort American Legion Post 221 ScholarshipApplication part 1Application part 2 (Universal Application)	Open to 2023 graduates who meet the following:will be attending a college or university in the state of Michigan.are the immediate relative (child, grandchild or sibling) of a Michigan veteran who is, or qualifies to be, a member of the American Legion organization.	TBA

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Benzie Sunshine Rotary Scholarship	The Benzie Sunrise Rotary Club is pleased to inform you that we will award three scholarships, as listed above, to seniors graduating in 2024 from Benzie County Central High School. New this year, Rotary's Growing Our Own, is only for students planning to complete a certificate or 2-year degree. The scholarships will be awarded to students attending a recognized federally or state accredited technical school, community college or university.	<p><u>4/15/2024</u> <u>BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024</u></p> <p>And <u>BSR Scholarship Application with additional essay</u></p>
State Savings Bank Scholarship	Graduating Senior who will join the trades or attend college.	<p><u>4/15/2024</u> <u>BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024</u></p>
Crystal Lake Community Business Association Scholarship (CLCBA)	Graduating Senior who plans to attend college.	<p><u>4/15/2024</u> <u>BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024</u> and <u>CLCBA Essay</u></p>
Sons of the American Legion Post 221	Graduating Senior who will join the trades or attend college.	<p><u>4/15/2024</u> <u>BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024</u></p>
Chartwell's Food Service Scholarship	This scholarship is offered to a graduating senior who plans to pursue a career in culinary arts or a related field. Applicant must be admitted to a college or trade school for culinary arts, hospitality and tourism, dietetics or a related field.	<p><u>4/15/2024</u> <u>BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024</u> and <u>Chartwell Letter of Application</u></p>

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PERKS, HILLTOP, LYNN AND PERIN, AND VICTORIA'S FLORAL SCHOLARSHIP	Graduating Senior who plans to attend college.	<u>4/15/2024</u> <u>BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024</u>
Gwendolyn Lathwell Memorial Scholarship	Graduating Senior who plans to attend college.	<u>4/15/2024</u> <u>BCCS Common Scholarship Application 2024</u>



REGIONAL/MI SCHOLARSHIPS

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Grand Traverse Regional Community Foundation	<p>This organization manages more than 50 scholarships in our region, most of which use the same common application.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Benzie Central Legacy Scholarship Endowment • Benzie Central Science Scholarship Endowment • Kalee Bruce Memorial Scholarship Endowment • John Rowland Gehring Science Scholarship Endowment • John S.E. Dieckman Husky Scholarship Endowment • Fred Muller Scholarship Endowment • Dr. Roy Vomastek Memorial Scholarship Endowment • Women’s Auxiliary of Crystal Downs Country Club Scholarship Endowment • Traverse City Tourism Hospitality 	<p>March 1, 2024 Use the GTRCF Application. also See the full list of other scholarships and criteria.</p>
Cherryland Electrical Coopertive Scholarship	<p>Applicant’s parents or legal guardians must be a Cherryland Electric Cooperative member whose primary residence is in Cherryland’s service territory.-Applicant must be a high school senior with a minimum grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale.</p>	<p>April 5, 2024</p>
Better Business Bureau Trust Scholarship	<p>Open to current high school seniors in Western Michigan who demonstrate financial need.</p>	<p>March 29, 2024 Use BBBT Application</p>
West Shore Bank Scholarship	<p>Since 1898 West Shore Bank has been committed to helping families in the six-county area in which we serve improve their financial well-being. These counties include Mason, Manistee, Benzie, Muskegon, Oceana and Grand Traverse of Michigan. We’ve been Making A Real Difference in the lives of our community members from generation to generation. To Learn more about West Shore Bank and our mission please visit www.westshorebank.com</p>	<p>April 16, 2024 Use WSBS Application</p>

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<u>Skilled Trades Scholarship</u>	<p>The SET SEG Foundation believes in supporting Michigan public school students in the pursuit of enrichment opportunities that advance learning and create opportunities. With the shortage of skilled trade workers in Michigan, we want to help revitalize these career paths and support students in their professional pursuits by giving 20 scholarships each in the amount of \$500.</p>	<p>4/15/2024</p>
<u>American Legion Department of Michigan Scholarship</u>	<p>The American Legion Department of Michigan offers high school students several opportunities to gain valuable experience that will last a lifetime. At the same time, students can earn money for college or earn the needed community service points required on many college entrance applications, including the West Point Military Academy.</p>	<p>April 5, 2024. Send completed application and supporting documentation to: American Legion Dept. of Michigan Attn: Skilled Trades Scholarship 212 N. Verlinden Ave. Lansing, MI 48915</p>
<u>Golden Apple Scholars in Michigan</u>	<p>The Golden Apple Scholars program in Michigan is a teacher preparation program for students with the determination and drive to be outstanding teachers in Michigan Pre-K-12 grade schools. We support and prepare future teachers for immediate and lasting success in the most challenging teaching environments.</p>	<p>4/1/2024</p>
<p>University of Michigan</p>	<p><u>The U-M Club of Grand Traverse awards six to nine \$2,000 scholarships annually to local students enrolled full time at the University of Michigan. Students from Antrim, Benzie, Grand Traverse Kalkaska and Leelanau counties may apply for any or all scholarships at any point during their academic studies. Scholarship opportunities, guidelines, application and mandatory cover sheet can be accessed from the “UM Club GT Scholarship Application, 2024”</u></p>	<p>4/8/2024 <u>UMich application</u></p>

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<u>TBACU Invested In Scholarship</u>	Open to area graduating seniors who are credit union members.	March 1, 2024
<u>Michigan Achievement Scholarship</u>	The Michigan Achievement Scholarships are designed to help recent graduates from high schools in Michigan receive funds for continuing education. Eligible students could receive financial aid to attend a college or university with the Michigan Achievement Scholarship, or for a career training program with the Michigan Achievement Skills Scholarship.	Complete the <u>FAFSA!</u> See the website for other criteria.
<u>Michigan Scholarships and Grants</u>	The state of Michigan offers a variety of scholarships and grants for students. Take a look at our program detail pages for more information and to see which ones you may be eligible for. You can even search by county!	<u>Visit Website</u>
<u>Northwest Ed - Career Tech Scholarships</u>	Career Tech awards more than \$20,000 in academic and trades scholarships each year. Many scholarship opportunities are posted on this site as they become available, so students are encouraged to check back frequently.	<u>3/1 - 4/15</u> <u>Visit Website</u>
<u>Daughters of the American Revolution</u>	Each year the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) awards multiple scholarships to students showing dedication to the pursuit of higher education in diverse areas of study including history, economics, law, political science, medicine, nursing, occupational and physical therapy, elementary and secondary education, chemistry, math, science and English.	<u>Application Details of Scholarships</u>

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Distinguished Young Women of Michigan	Distinguished Young Women of Michigan is a state and national scholarship program that inspires high school young women to develop their full, individual potential through a fun, transformative experience that culminates in a celebratory showcase of their accomplishments. Contact Jan Sickle-Witte at (517) 260-0730	Visit Website: www.DistinguishedYW.org

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