



QUINCY HIGH
SCHOOL
SCHOLARSHIPS

2024-2025



QHS Scholarships At A Glance:

If you meet ALL of the criteria listed, check the box next to the name of the scholarship and complete the application process for each individual scholarship.

*Early College Program students who have not yet completed the 13th year, may apply only to Diane Cook Memorial, Quincy Alumni Association, BACC, & Chuck Cook Varsity Club Scholarships.

*Early College Program students who are completing the 13th year may apply to all scholarships unless otherwise noted.

The Quincy High School Scholarship packet is divided into the following sections:

1. Local Scholarships Requiring BCCF Application Hard Copies

- ❖ Due March 7th, 2025 to the Counseling office by 3pm. In the event there is no school on the due date, scholarships become due the day before.
- ❖ Must include QHS Cover Sheet correctly checked with each individual scholarship you are applying for.
- ❖ Once the deadline passes, the counseling office will distribute to the donors as needed.
- ❖ Each scholarship within this section requires the printed copy of your Branch County Community Foundation application.
- ❖ All Applications must be assembled, stapled, then submitted in the order of the checklist for each scholarship.
- ❖ Scholarship requirements are subject to change.

2. Local Scholarships No BCCF Application Required

- ❖ Must include QHS Cover Sheet correctly checked with each individual scholarship you are applying for.
- ❖ Each scholarship within this section has individual documentation required.
- ❖ All Applications must be assembled, stapled, then submitted in the order of the checklist for each scholarship.
- ❖ Scholarships in this section are to be turned into the counseling office by March 7th, 2025 unless otherwise stated. In the event there is no school on the due date, scholarships become due the day before.
- ❖ Once the deadline passes, the counseling office will distribute the completed scholarships where needed.
- ❖ Scholarship requirements are subject to change.

*** No BCCF Application documentation required for Section 2 scholarships.**

Section 1: Local Scholarships

Deadline for Local Applications

Friday, March 7th, 2025 by 3pm.

Below you will look through each individual scholarship requirement. If you meet ALL of the criteria listed, check the box next to the name of the scholarship.

☐ **Branch County Association of Realtors Cliffie Bowers Memorial Scholarship**

- Minimum GPA 2.5
- Must be entering the field of Business or Sales
- Financial need

☐ **Branch County Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel Scholarship**

- Must enter the education field
- Attend MARSP's meeting (usually in April) with a guest for lunch, to be honored.

☐ **Coldwater Early Bird Exchange Club Scholarship**

- Student Educational career goals – child related
- HS GPA minimum 2.5
- Show Financial need
- Graduate of a Branch County high school
- Letter of recommendation from teacher or employer
- Personal resume stating goals

☐ **Quincy Chamber of Commerce Scholarship**

- QHS Senior/Graduate
- Working toward 2 or 4 year degree
- Community service involvement
- Citizenship
- Minimum of 3.0 GPA



Chuck Cook Varsity Club Scholarship

- For members of Varsity Club
- Entering an institution of higher learning
- Citizenship
- No Early College Program students currently in 13th year

Diane Cook Memorial Scholarship

- **Staff nominations. You will not do anything for this scholarship unless specifically notified.**

Daughters of the Revolution- Good Citizen

- **Staff nominations. You will not do anything for this scholarship unless specifically notified.**



Quincy Alumni Association Scholarship

- Good academic standing.
- * Additional application sheet required. See Ms. Warner.



Larry Ostrander Memorial Scholarship

- Must be committed to attending a trade, vocational, or technical school to obtain a 2-year degree or certification.
- * Additional application sheet required. See Ms. Warner.



Cockrell, Shawn – Dare To Be Great Memorial Scholarship

- Any student may apply but wrestlers will be given first choice.
- No Early College Program students currently in 13th year
- Must be used within 1 year
- Must show proof of enrollment – for payment
- Financial need
- * Additional application sheet required. See Ms. Warner



FOEagles Auxiliary Scholarship

- Open first to: Children & Grandchildren of Eagles Aerie & Auxiliary #1907 members will be eligible for these awards.
- No Early College Program students currently in 13th year
- Not renewable.
- * Additional application sheet required. See Ms. Warner.

**** Only one application packet is needed to apply for the following three scholarships. ****



The Verbie E. Harkness Trust Scholarship

* Given every four years if it is renewed, if not, it can depend. Everyone should apply for this scholarship every year because the person that is supposed to renew it may not apply to renew it.

- Student must maintain a “B” average for preceding academic year
- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Renewable for four years
- High moral character/Volunteering
- * Additional application sheet required. See Ms. Warner.



Clement Malovey Trust Scholarship

- Scholastic ability
- Renewable if work continued
- Employed 12 months prior to application for seniors / employed 24 months prior to application for 13th year.
- Financial Need.
- * Additional application sheet required. See Ms. Warner.



Percy & Helen Taylor Trust Scholarship

- Must be a resident of Branch County
- Student must maintain a B average for preceding academic year
- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- High moral character
- * Additional application sheet required. See Ms. Warner

Application Check

list within Section 1:

***Each application packet should include the items listed below. Once you have completed each item, place a check on the appropriate line.**

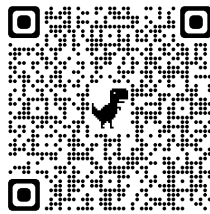
- _____ **Cover Sheet with Correct Scholarship marked**
- _____ **BCCF (Branch County Community Foundation) Application** **First you must apply electrically and then add a hard copy to each scholarship listed in this section.**
- _____ **Transcript Containing GPA and ACT/SAT Scores (from the Counseling Office)**
- _____ **Student Aid Index (SAI) from FAFSA**
- _____ **Resume**
- _____ **Personal Essay**
- _____ **2 Letters of Recommendation**
- _____ **1 to 3 pieces of awards or achievements**
- _____ **Additional application sheet is applicable**



2024 Instructions for Applying for Branch County Community Foundation Scholarships
Go to www.brcofoundation.org to apply

Note: By completing the BCCF application electronically, you apply to other scholarships then listed in this packet. To utilize the BCCF application as needed for Section 1 scholarships, print hard copies and attach as requested. Please read the How to Apply Instructions **completely** before submitting any scholarship applications. Applications are to be submitted electronically as noted in the instructions.

An expression of interest or the provision of an application should not be considered a guarantee of funding. All scholarship requests go through a complete review process before any funding decision is made.



*If you have any technical difficulties while filling out the application, you may contact their staff at 517.278.4517 or by email: info@brcofoundation.org

****PLEASE NOTE:**

Early Middle College (13th Year)

13th year students are eligible. Early College seniors not yet in 13th year may NOT apply.

Application Portal will **OPEN** December 16th.

The Application Portal will **CLOSE** March 7th by 3pm.

The Scholarship Award Breakfast is **TBD**

Section 2: Local Scholarships

Due dates listed with each scholarship.

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*** No BCCF Application documentation required for Section 2 scholarships.**

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☐ **Cockrell, Shawn R. – Memorial Scholarship**

Deadline: March 7th, 2025 by 3pm

Requirements:

- Any athlete that has or will have completed a sport their senior year may apply but wrestlers will be given first choice.
- Financial Need
- Applicants may reapply annually.

☐ **Harold & Jane Schultz Scholarship**

Deadline: March 7th, 2025 by 3 pm

Requirements:

- Commitment to a trade school or nursing program
- Show financial need
- Graduate of Quincy High School

☐ **Quincy Athletic Boosters Scholarship**

Deadline: March 7th, 2025 by 3 pm

Requirements:

- Enclose Boosters Scholarship Cover Sheet
- Have participated in at least 2 varsity athletic sports at Q.H.S.
- Proof of acceptance to a college, university or technical education center
- Must include 2 letters of recommendation from Quincy H.S. coaches or assistant coaches (current or previous) addressing the sportsmanship and sports leadership of the student
- **Must include a 1 page essay on “The Importance of Athletics in High School”**
- Extra-curricular and civic leadership activities will also be considered in making an assessment of the student’s chance of success.

☐ **Marine Corps League Branch Area Detachment #763 Scholarship**

Deadline: POSTMARKED BY May 1, 2025

Requirements:

- Qualified applicants pursuing full time undergraduate or technical training at a full time recognized institution.
- Sons, daughters, step-sons, step-daughters, or spouses, and grandchildren of Marine Corps League active members which are in good standing qualify.
- Sons, daughters, step-sons, step-daughters, grandchildren of Marines of Fleet Marine Force (FMF) Corpsmen and Chaplains who have lost their lives in the line of duty.
- Any honorably discharged Marine in need of rehabilitative training not provided in government programs. Supersedes 2-year, 4-year or trade school programs for prior Marines only.
- ANY needy boy or girl seeking further education or training.

☐ **Quincy Historical Society Scholarship**

Deadline: April 1st, 2025 by 3 pm

Requirements:

- Open to Graduating Seniors
- No Early College Program students currently in 13th year

☐ **The Flying Club of Branch County Aviation Scholarship**

Deadline: March 7th, 2025 by 3pm

Requirements:

- Open to Graduating Seniors and up to those 25 years of age who are pursuing an aviation related career.
- Must hold a minimum of a “C” average
- Resident of Branch County
- Prior recipients are encouraged to reapply.