

# 2024 - 2025 Scholarship Application

All Scholarships issued by The Scholarship Fund of Concord and Carlisle are based on financial need. If you will be attending a college that meets 100% of unmet need as their financial aid policy, it is very unlikely that you will be eligible for an award from The Scholarship Fund of Concord and Carlisle.

This application will be treated in strict confidence. The information on this application may be shared with the selection committees and the various organizations who fund awards through The Scholarship Fund of Concord and Carlisle. In addition, it is our policy to publish the names of all award recipients on our website as well as in our town report to Concord and Carlisle. If you receive an award and wish to remain anonymous, please email the [Award Committee Chair](#).

**Eligibility:** To be eligible for consideration, you must be a current or past resident of Concord (MA) or Carlisle (MA), or have attended school in either of these towns.

How to apply:

- 1) Complete this application form with care. It is the Awards Committee's first impression of you as a candidate for financial assistance.
- 2) Please do not submit your application until you are able to complete all of the information. That includes your college choice and financial details.
- 3) **Deadline:** Your application must be completed and submitted by May 1, 2024.
- 4) **Interview:** Interviews will be scheduled for Thursday May 9, 2024. All awards are need-based. Students with demonstrated financial need who have completed their applications on deadline will receive email notifications of an exact interview time for May 9, 2024. Interview schedules will be posted in Guidance offices and College Counseling offices.

Applicants who miss their interview or send in a late or incomplete application will not be considered for a scholarship. Failure to check your email for your interview time does not excuse you from your obligation.

**SAVING YOUR APPLICATION TO FINISH LATER:** If you would like to save the information you have put into your application and finish the application later there is a spot to do that on each page. Just click YES and NEXT to save and then click the submit button. When you return please uncheck YES to continue on to the next page. You can save your work and return multiple times.

Your application will not be considered complete until Section 6 is signed with your name and date.

Please send any questions regarding this process to our email address at [Info@thescholarshipfundofcc.org](mailto:Info@thescholarshipfundofcc.org).

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\* Indicates required question

1. Email \*

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2. Permanent email (if address listed above is a school email).

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### Available Scholarships

Completion of this application and submission of all the supporting documents will result in your being considered for one or more of the Named Scholarships listed here.

<https://www.thescholarshipfundofcc.org/named-funds>

You will also be considered for scholarships sponsored by these local organizations.

<https://www.thescholarshipfundofcc.org/list-of-current-affiliates>

3. Last Name \*

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4. First Name \*

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6. Phone \*

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7. Gender Preference/Preferred Pronouns

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8. Home Address \*

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9. City/Town \*

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10. State \*

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11. Zip \*

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12. Current School \*

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13. Class (YOG) \*

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### Mailing Address

Only fill out this section if your mailing address is different than the address given above.

14. Street Address (Mailing Address)

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15. City/Town (Mailing Address)

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16. State (Mailing Address)

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17. Zip (Mailing Address)

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18. Select yes below to save your work now and continue later. Make sure you click next for either answer.

*Mark only one oval.*

Yes, I would like to save my work now and continue later

No, I would like to continue to the rest of the application

## College Information

Please tell us about your interests, awards and the colleges you applied to.

19. Are you the first generation in your family to attend college? \*

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20. Please List all college to which you have applied in order of your preference. Note, next to each college name indicate any from which you have received acceptance (ACC) \*

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21. In order to match you with a specific award, we would like to know about your interests. List your most significant hobbies, extra-curricular and community service activities in-school and out. Indicate any leadership roles you may have held. Please do not attached a resume. \*

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22. Please list any honors, or special recognition (including honor roll) that you have received from any source (include name of organization and year).

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23. Please discuss briefly any academic and/or career plans you currently have. We realize that you may not have concrete plans this early but we are interested in what interests you! \*

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24. Select yes below to save your work now and continue later. Make sure you click next for either answer.

*Mark only one oval.*

Yes, I would like to save my work now and continue later

No, I would like to continue to the rest of the application

#### Parent or Guardian Information

25. Name (Parent 1 or Guardian) \*

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26. Address \*

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27. City \*

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28. State \*

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29. Occupation \*

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30. Employer \*

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31. Phone \*

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32. Email \*

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33. Marital Status (Parent 1) \*

*Mark only one oval.*

- Married
- Separated
- Divorced
- Widowed
- N/A

34. If Parent 1 is deceased please indicate their date of death.

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35. Name (Parent 2)

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36. Address

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37. City

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38. State

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39. Occupation

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40. Employer

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41. Phone

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42. Email

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43. Marital Status (Parent 2)

*Mark only one oval.*

Married

Separated

Divorced

Widowed

N/A

44. If Parent 2 is deceased please indicate their date of death

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45. Select yes below to save your work now and continue later. Make sure you click next for either answer.

*Mark only one oval.*

- Yes, I would like to save my work now and continue later
- No, I would like to continue to the rest of the application

### Financial Information

46. Please list your (student) most recent job(s). Also, tell us how much money you (student) expect to save for college \*

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47. Are there any extenuating circumstance The Scholarship Fund of Concord and Carlisle Awards Committee should take into consideration when reviewing your application? These might include, for example, the number of siblings in college next year, recent college graduates, illness or death in the family, the care of extended family, recent job loss, divorce or separation, or military deployment.

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48. Please list the college you have chosen to attend \*

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49. Please list your expected college graduation year \*

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50. Please detail any financial aid packages you will be receiving for the 2024-2025 academic year. This includes loans, grants, and any kind of scholarship. \*

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### College Cost of Attendance

Limit responses to numbers, no symbols or commas

51. Tuition \*

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52. Room & Board \*

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53. Required Fees \*

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54. Total College Costs - this is the total of the above costs. (A) \*

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55. Did you receive a letter from your college telling you about your aid package? If so, please upload it here.

Files submitted:

What funds will you use to pay your college bill?

Please use numbers only, no symbols or commas

56. Scholarships/Grants \*

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57. Loans \*

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58. Parents/Family \*

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59. Total (B)- this is total of scholarships/grants/loans family \*

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60. Unmet Need (Total College Costs A - Total B) = \*

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61. Select yes below to save your work now and continue later. Make sure you click next for either answer.

*Mark only one oval.*

Yes, I would like to save my work now and continue later

No, I would like to continue to the rest of the application

## FAFSA & Transcript

### FAFSA

Complete the [Free Applications for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#) by clicking on the link. It may take up to four weeks for your FAFSA request to be processed. Plan accordingly.

After fully completing and submitting the FAFSA you will receive a report from the federal government called the FAFSA Submission Summary with a calculation of the Student Aid Index (SAI). Please make a copy of your Submission Summary to upload below.

62. Please upload your Submission Summary. (Your application will not be considered complete until it is uploaded)

Files submitted:

63. Please have your school mail us a transcript to this address: The Scholarship Fund of Concord and Carlisle 34 Walden St Unit 217, Concord MA 01742-2542. If your school is unable to mail us a transcript please upload a pdf of your transcript.

Files submitted:

64. Select yes below to save your work now and continue later. Make sure you click next for either answer.

*Mark only one oval.*

- Yes, I would like to save my work now and continue later
- No, I would like to continue to the rest of the application

### Signature

Your signature indicates that all the information is true and accurate.

65. Signature (Type your name) \*

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66. Date \*

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*Example: January 7, 2019*

APPLICATIONS AND SUPPORTING MATERIALS NOT SUBMITTED VIA THIS FORM BY MAY 1ST, 2024 WILL BE MARKED INCOMPLETE AND WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

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