

Capac High School Scholarships 2024

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Andy Beam Memorial Scholarship (HS)
Capac and Lapeer HS seniors pursuing a degree which will benefit youth including education, social work, counseling, law, law enforcement , etc. Essay response. Award amount: \$500 - \$1000
Harry Bussell Scholarship (HS)
Capac High School seniors who demonstrate outstanding community service. <i>BWMC students are not eligible to receive the award.</i> Essay response. Award amount: \$500 - \$1000
Capac Educational Endowment Scholarship (HS)
Capac High School seniors who are pursuing a degree in education . <i>BWMC students are not eligible to receive the award.</i> Essay response. Any major. GPA ≥ 3.00 . Award amount: \$500.
Capac Youth Scholarship (HS)
High-achieving Capac High School seniors. <i>BWMC students are not eligible to receive the award.</i> Essay response. Financial need is a consideration. Any major. Award amount: \$1000.
Marion & Robert Fischer Scholarship (HS)
Capac High School seniors. Essay response. Financial need is a consideration. Any major. Award Amount: \$1000 - \$1500
Hilda M. Hill Memorial Scholarship (HS and PHS)
Seniors and recent graduates of Capac, Almont, and Imlay City. Students are eligible to receive up to two awards. Financial need is a consideration. Essay response. Any major. GPA ≥ 2.00 . Award amount: \$1000 - \$1500.
Hilda M. Hill Memorial Vocational/Technical Scholarship (HS and PHS)
Seniors and recent graduates in Capac, Almont, and Imlay City who plan to enroll in vocational, technical, or skilled trades programs. Students are eligible to receive up to two awards. Financial need is a consideration. Essay response. GPA ≥ 1.50 . Award amount: \$1000.
Russell W. Ligon Memorial Engineering Scholarship (HS and PHS)
Seniors/recent graduates in seven school districts who plan to pursue a degree in engineering or computer science . Letter of Recommendation. Students are eligible to receive up to four awards. Essay response. GPA ≥ 3.00 . Award amount: \$1000.
McGeorge Memorial Scholarship (HS)
High-achieving Capac High School seniors. Essay response. Any major. GPA ≥ 3.50 Award amount: \$1000.
Michigan Professional Insurance Agents Scholarship (MIPIA) (HS and PHS)
High school seniors and recent graduates throughout the State of Michigan who are planning to major in Insurance/Risk Management . Students are eligible to receive up to four awards. Award Amount: \$1000-\$2000
Ruth M. Sayles Memorial Scholarship Four-Year Award
High-achieving Capac High School seniors pursuing a four-year degree, full-time students. <i>BWMC students are not eligible to receive the award.</i> Essay response. Financial need is a consideration. Any major. GPA ≥ 3.00 Award Amount: \$2000 per year times four years.
George S. Souten Performing Arts Scholarship (HS)
Armada, Capac, Imlay City, and Romeo high school seniors who are planning to major and/or minor in performing arts . Strong performing arts background throughout high school. Essay response. Award amount: \$1000.
Vera Souten Medical Field Scholarship (HS)
Armada, Capac, Imlay City, and Romeo high school seniors who are planning to major in a medical field . Essay response. Award amount: \$1000.
Leadership in Philanthropy Scholarship (HS)
HS seniors who have actively participated in 4CCF Youth Advisory Committee for two or more years. Award amount: \$1500 - \$2500
John & Susan Zwiernik Scholarship Four-Year Award
Capac High School seniors. Essay response. Financial need is a consideration. Any major. Award amount: Up to \$4000 per year times four years.

Attention Blue Water Middle College, STEMM Academy, Early/Middle College, and dual enrollment students: DO NOT apply for Four County Community Foundation scholarships until the year you require tuition payments.

After December 1, visit www.4ccf.org/scholarships and set up an account. Complete instructions for using the online platform are available on the scholarship page. If you experience any problems, email program@4ccf.org and I will contact you.

- **FIRST VISIT:** Click on Register. Select the role of “Student.” Enter your first and last name. Enter a permanent email address and a password. Create User.
- **SUBSEQUENT VISITS:** After the initial registration, you will sign in with your email and password.

NOTE: All communications (including payment requirements) will be sent to the email address that you provide when you register your account. Use a permanent email address that you check regularly, not your school email address. All follow-up documents will be sent to your registered email account.

Essay Response: (Your Story) All 4CCF scholarship applications require students to share their story in a narrative form using complete sentences and paragraphs. Your Story enables review committees to learn more about you. Sharing details about yourself provides the committee with a sense of who you are, how you spend your time, what your circumstances are like, and how Postsecondary Education opportunities support your life goals. Start thinking and writing about the following:

- *Majors:* Some scholarships are only offered when pursuing specific majors. Choose up to 3 majors.
- *Activities and Achievements:* academic groups, extracurricular clubs, music, athletics. Include leadership roles and awards
- *Community Involvement:* Ways in which you interact and impact your community. Include community service and volunteerism through scouting, church groups, etc.
- *Special Concerns:* Include any circumstances that present difficulty, such as financial hardship, learning challenges, family challenges, health challenges, obstacles and adversity.
- *Goals and Future Plans:* Include ways a scholarship award will help you achieve your goals.

If you are awarded a scholarship

If you are awarded a scholarship from Four County Community Foundation, you will receive information at your senior awards ceremony in May. You are required to complete and return the *Grant Agreement* to us, along with proof of enrollment, such as an invoice or class schedule. Most students send the Grant Agreement and proof of enrollment to the Foundation in AUGUST, as soon as they have their class schedule or an invoice for the Fall semester. Keep track of your documents. If you lose something, email the office for a new one.

When I receive the two documents, a check will be sent directly to your college or university. The college will apply the scholarship to your account in two payments, for the Fall and Winter semesters.

If your plans change

If your plans change and you do not need to use your scholarship award for the Fall Semester, contact our office as soon as possible. The Foundation is willing to hold your award for the second semester, or even the following year, but you must email the Foundation to explain your plan for using the funds.

Apply while in college

The Hill, Ligon, and MIPIA scholarships all allow for you to compete as a college student, so plan to re-apply in 2025, 2026, and 2027. **Good Luck and Go Chiefs!**

