# **Capac High School Scholarships 2025-2026**

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All applications are due by 11:59 p.m. on March 1, 2026

Award amounts are estimates only.



## **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. **Award amount:** \$500 - \$1000

### Harry & Irene Bussell Memorial Scholarship (HS)

Capac High School seniors who demonstrate outstanding community service. Award amount: \$500 - \$2000

### **Capac Educational Endowment Scholarship (HS)**

Capac High School seniors who are pursuing a degree at an accredited college or university.

Award amount: \$500

#### Capac Youth Scholarship (HS)

Capac High School seniors with a GPA of 2.5 or greater planning to pursue any major. Award amount: \$1000.

### Marion & Robert Fischer Memorial Scholarship (HS)

Capac High School seniors planning to pursue any course of study. Award Amount: \$500 - \$2500

#### Hilda M. Hill Memorial Scholarship (HS and PHS)

Seniors and recent graduates of Capac, Almont, and Imlay City with a GPA of 2.00 or greater, pursuing any course of study. Students are eligible to receive up to two awards. **Award amount**: \$1000 - \$2500

#### Hilda M. Hill Memorial Vocational/Technical Scholarship (HS and PHS)

Seniors and recent graduates of Capac, Almont, and Imlay City who plan to enroll in **vocational, technical, or skilled trades** programs with a GPA of 1.50 or greater. Students are eligible to receive up to two awards.

Award amount: \$1000 - \$2000

#### The Donald Koning Scholarship (HS and PHS)

\*Year-Round Trades School Scholarship\*

Capac High School seniors and recent graduates pursuing a career in the skilled trades. A letter of recommendation is required.

Award amount: TBD

## Russell W. Ligon Memorial Engineering Scholarship (HS and PHS)

Seniors and recent graduates in seven school districts planning to major in **engineering or computer science** and have a 3.00 or greater GPA. Letter of recommendation is required. Students are eligible to receive up to four awards. **Award amount:** \$1000

#### McGeorge Memorial Scholarship (HS)

High-achieving Capac High School seniors with a GPA of 3.50 or greater planning to attend a college or university.

Award amount: \$1000.

## Harry C. Moore Memorial Scholarship (HS)

Capac HS seniors who have earned a varsity letter in any sport, including Quiz Bowl and have a GPA of 3.00 or greater. Two letters of recommendation are required. **Award amount:** \$1000

#### The Pond Guy Scholarship (HS and PHS)

Children or grandchildren of The Pond Guy employees and current employees at The Pond Guy pursuing any kind of post-secondary education with a GPA of 3.5 or higher. **Award amount:** TBD

# Ruth M. Sayles Memorial Scholarship Four-Year Award

High-achieving Capac High School seniors, with a GPA of 3.00 or greater, pursuing a four-year degree in any major as a full-time student. **Award Amount:** \$8000 (\$2,000 per year)

### 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** with a strong performing arts background throughout high school. **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.

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: \$500 - \$2500

## John & Susan Zwiernik Scholarship

Capac High School seniors pursuing any course of study. Award amount: \$1,000

Attention early/middle college, and dual enrollment students: DO NOT apply for Four County Community Foundation scholarships until the year you require tuition payments.

## To apply:

After December 1, visit <a href="www.4ccf.org/scholarships/apply">www.4ccf.org/scholarships/apply</a> and set up an account. Complete instructions for using the online platform are available on the scholarship page. If you experience any problems, send an email to <a href="mailto:mbrown@4ccf.org">mbrown@4ccf.org</a> or call (810) 798-0909.

- FIRST VISIT: Click on "Create New Account." Please use a <u>permanent email address</u> to create your logon credentials. A tutorial with step-by-step instructions on how to create an account and apply can be found on the portal's home page.
- SUBSEQUENT VISITS: After the initial registration, you will sign in with your email and password.

**NOTE:** All communications 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 high school email address. All follow-up documents will be sent to your registered email account.

**Essay Response:** All 4CCF scholarship applications require students to share their story in a narrative form using complete sentences and paragraphs. Your essay responses enable 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 attending a college or trade school supports your life goals. Start thinking and writing about the following:

- Majors: Be prepared to explain why you're pursuing a particular major or course of study.
- Activities and Achievements: Detail your involvement in academic groups, extracurricular clubs, music, athletics and include information about leadership roles you've held and awards you've received.
- **Community Involvement**: Describe the ways in which you interact and impact your community through community service and volunteerism either individually or as a member of a group.
- **Special Concerns**: You have an opportunity to explain any difficult circumstances in your life, such as financial hardship, learning challenges, family issues, health concerns, obstacles and adversity.
- Goals and Future Plans: List the ways a scholarship award will help you achieve your goals.

## Other information you'll need when applying

- Academic Information: Your cumulative GPA, an unofficial transcript, your ACT/SAT scores if you took either test
- Financial Information: FAFSA Student Aid Index (SAI) report or a document stating why you did not complete a FAFSA form; the number of other scholarships you've applied for; the total value of other scholarships you have already received

## If you are awarded a scholarship

To learn more about the scholarship award process, visit 4ccf.org/scholarships.

# Apply while in college

Several of our scholarships allow for you to compete as a college student, so plan to reapply in coming years.