College Board Opportunity Scholarships

The College Board has a scholarship program that awards scholarship opportunities to students planning to attend college for the fall of 2023. The College Board Opportunity Scholarships program helps guide students through the college planning process with a chance to earn scholarships for each step they complete. Please sign up for the program and complete the first scholarship by adding at least six schools to your college list on BigFuture™. https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/

MAC Construction Scholars Program

MAC Construction Scholars Program offers five \$1000 renewable scholarships each year for students interested in pursuing degrees in Civil or Mechanical Engineering, Construction Management, Mechanical Engineering Technology, or Construction Engineering & Management. Students must have 3.0 GPA and planning to attend a college/university in Indiana or Kentucky. Please see Mr. Wilson for an application before March 31, 2023.

LifeSpring Scholarship Program

LifeSpring is offering one 12th grader in each of the following counties a \$500 scholarship: Clark, Crawford, Dubois, Floyd, Harrison, Jefferson, Orange, Perry, Scott, Spencer and Washington. Applicants must submit an essay on their plan to pursue a career in healthcare or public service including career goals. Applications can be found at https://www.lifespringhealthsystems.org/lifespring-foundation-of-indiana-scholarship/ Deadline for submission is April 14, 2023

Harrison County Hospital Foundation Scholarship

Students who are residents of Harrison and Crawford County and planning a career in the healthcare field are invited to apply for the Harrison County Hospital Foundation Scholarship. Applications are due April 1, 2023 and can be found at https://hccfindianascholars.communityforce.com/Funds/Search.aspx

Clark County REMC Scholarships

Clark County REMC is offering twenty \$1,000 scholarships to attend IUS, Ivy Tech and Purdue Polytechnic and one \$2,500 scholarship to attend any Indiana college or university for students who reside in a Clark County REMC member household. The selection will be based on SAT scores, class rank and extra-curricular activities. The application deadline is March 3, 2023. Please see Mr. Wilson for an application.

Indiana Sheriffs' Association Scholarship

The Indiana Sheriffs' Association will be awarding forty \$750 scholarships to qualified students who are pursuing an education and career in the criminal justice field. Applicants must be an Indiana resident and be current member, dependent child or grandchild of a current member of the Indiana Sheriffs' Association. Application deadline is April 1, 2023. Please see Mr. Wilson for an application.

Encourage App

The Encourage app combines goal setting and milestone tracking with resources for exploration, career planning and paying for college. The app provides support, tools and advice to help students define their goals, outline their journey, set milestones and help prepare for success. Learn more at encourageme.com

Learn More Indiana

Learn More Indiana offers opportunities for students to look into all colleges and universities in the state of Indiana. See a complete list of all Indiana 2 and 4 year colleges, including a map, or narrow your search to fit size requirements, location or major. https://learnmoreindiana.org/college/choosing-a-college The site has links to most schools with opportunities for virtual tours.

Test Preparation for College Admission Tests

ACT Academy is a free personalized online learning tool and test practice program. It allows learners to develop a study plan based on previous test scores or platform diagnostics. To use this test prep tool, visit www.act.org/academy

Get personalized practice recommendations for the skills you'll need for the SAT, plus eight official practice exams from College Board. Visit https://www.khanacademy.org/test-prep/sat

College admissions testing

College entrance exams provide feedback on academic strengths and college preparedness to Colleges and Universities around the country. Results of one or both tests may be required for admission to most institutions of higher learning. Students are encouraged to take entrance exams at least twice. The following are scheduled national dates of testing for each as well as registration deadlines:

SAT - www.collegeboard.org

Test date May 6, 2023 Register by April 7, 2023 Test date June 3, 2023 Register by May 4, 2023

ACT – <u>www.actstudent.org</u>

Test date April 15, 2023 Register by March 10, 2023
Test date June 10, 2023 Register by May 5, 2023
Test date July 15, 2023 Register by June 16, 2023

FSA ID

The FSA ID — a username and password — has replaced the Federal Student Aid PIN and must be used to log in to certain U.S. Department of Education websites. Your FSA ID confirms your identity when you access your financial aid information and electronically sign Federal Student Aid documents. If you do not already have an FSA ID, you can create one. Please see the instructions on how to set up a FSA ID under Helpful Tips on the Financial Aid & Scholarships link to the right of the Counselors' Home page, https://caschools.us/indiana/indiana-upper-school/counselors-indiana/financial-aid-scholarships-indiana/

CLEP Exams

CLEP Exams are a great way to earn college credit at a fraction of the cost of a college course. You can earn credit for up to 8 college courses by taking free online courses at https://modernstates.org/
To learn more about CLEP exams, visit https://clep.collegeboard.org/?SFMC_cid=EM203001-
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