

New Manchester High School College and Career Center Scholarship News, Important Dates / Information February 2022

SENIORS, IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY, PLEASE FILL OUT YOUR FAFSA. College deadlines for FAFSA are rapidly approaching!!! Go to: www.fafsa.gov

Top FAFSA Tips

- → Read all questions and instructions carefully
- → Meet all deadlines
- → Check your email (including spam) regularly for any messages from Federal Student Aid or the college(s) you listed on your FAFSA Form
- → Get free assistance and answers to questions: 1-800-433-3243

JUNIORS, IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY, You should be preparing to take your SAT and/or ACT for the first time. In order to register for the tests, you will need to create your own personal SAT account, and your own personal ACT account. Done properly, the process of registering should take a student about 45 minutes the first time they do so, for both the SAT and the ACT.

More information can be found at sat.org/register, and act.org/bts

New Manchester High School will host "<u>ACT Test Day</u>" at our school on Tuesday, March 29, 2022. The fee will be \$46.00, and students <u>will not</u> be able to use fee waivers to cover the cost. Payment may be made on our school website. Please contact Miss Mattox, with any questions.

<u>IMPORTANT</u>: Ordering Official Transcripts - Deadline before February Break

Students planning to order an official transcript(s) to be released through Georgia Futures, or to be mailed to a college(s), before we leave for our break in February, will need to order and pay for the transcript(s) no later than Tuesday, February 8, for mailing, and no later than Thursday, February 10, to be requested for release through Georgia Futures.

ASVAB TEST Wednesday, March 16, 2002

Take the ASVAB! It's not just for those students, who are interested in the military. It is a great career assessment. Students who are at least 17 years of age may take the test, by going into google classroom, click on "Class Room" at the top, and scroll down to College & Career to select ASVAB to sign-up for it. Also, another great resource for helping to make decisions about what to study in college, is by going on GA Futures Website, and clicking on "Career Exploration."

CCI (College and Career Institute) Dual Enrollment Elective Programs

What is CCI? The College and Career Institute, located on the West Georgia Technical College Campus in Douglasville, provides high school elective programs through dual enrollment, for students from all Douglas County High Schools. (This means space is limited) Students must be on track to graduate, and may not be a member of FAME. CCI programs take the place of all other electives. Students only take their two core classes at NMHS, and are off campus ½ of the day, when they attend CCI.

REGISTRATION STEPS:

<u>Step One</u> - Sign up for Apply to CCI Reminds for all Apply to CCI announcements and admissions updates.

Text @nmhsapply to 81010

<u>Step Two</u> - Attend an "Apply to CCI Night" to see the school and get help with registration.

Upcoming APPLY to CCI Nights:

- Tuesday, February 8th 5pm to 7pm
- Tuesday, March 22nd 5pm to 7pm
- Tuesday, April 12th 5pm to 7pm

Students and Parent(s) are strongly encouraged to attend one of the Apply Nights, where they can tour the school, ask questions about the programs offered, and also take care of required registration paperwork. Students are also encouraged to bring their social security number with them for paperwork.

<u>Step Three</u> - Submit a dual enrollment application to your program's post-secondary institution. Students applying for FinTech should submit an

application to GA Highlands. Students applying for all other CCI Programs should submit a WGTC DE application.

Step Four - Submit an online CCI program application.

Students will need a parent to complete the application. *First Year CCI students should complete the CCI Program Application. **Students currently or previously enrolled in any CCI program should complete the Advanced Level Program Application.

<u>Step Five</u> - Complete the 22-23 SPA/funding application with your parent on GAFutures.org

Both sections (parent and student) of the SPA/funding application will need to be completed <u>BEFORE</u> you can be registered for your program.

Advanced level students (year 2+) will also need to complete the GSFAPPS

<u>Step Six</u> - Complete the DCSS Dual Enrollment Participation Agreement. You will need your parent to complete the agreement with you.

<u>Step Seven</u> - Follow your school's procedure for CCI during the 21-22 registration. CCI programs will require <u>ALL</u> of your electives for the school year.

<u>Step Eight</u> - Continue to watch Remind and your DCSS email for CCI admission updates.

Acceptance notifications will be sent out to students in May via DCSS email. If you do not receive an admissions notification by the end of May, please contact the CCI.

Scholarships

<u>Douglas-Carroll-Paulding Counties Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta</u> Sorority, Incorporated Scholarship

Deadline: Completed application packets are due by February 4, 2022 **Scholarship awards must be claimed and expended by March 15, 2023, or automatically forfeited. Criteria:**

1. Graduating senior residing in and attending a high school in Douglas, Carroll, or Paulding Counties.

- 2. Have a minimum of 2.5 on 4.0 scale.
- 3. Acceptance to a college or university.

For more information go to: scholarships@dcpdst.org

Five Pearls Book Scholarship

Deadline: Application will close on February 4, 2022

Award: Five (5) book scholarships to help five female students

Eligibility: Must be a female graduating from a Douglas County Public High School for

2021-22 academic year. Questions can be emailed to:

fivepearlsscholarship@gmail.com

McDonald's HACER National Scholarship

Deadline: February 7, 2022

Award: \$5,000.00 to \$100,000.00

Eligibility: High School Senior, Legal U.S. Resident, Must be younger than 21, Minimum GPA of 2.8, Must be eligible to attend a two-year or four-year college or university with a full-time course of study, Must disclose other scholarship programs applied for, Must enroll and attend an accredited institution in the academic year after your selection. (verification will be needed, as scholarship funds will go directly to the schools), Must have at least one parent of Hispanic Heritage.

https://www.mcdonalds.com/us/en-us/community/hacer.html

2021-2022 Hispanic Scholarship Fund (HSF) Scholarship Program

Award: Scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$5,000-will be awarded to 10,000 outstanding students

Phase I of the HSF Scholarship Application in NOW Open! – only takes 30 minutes to an hour to complete, as no essays or recommendations are required for Phase I.

Deadline: Phase I: February 15, 2022, 5:00 PM PT

Eligibility: Must be of Hispanic heritage, U.S. citizen, permanent legal resident, DACA, or eligible non-citizen (as defined by FAFSA). Minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale, plan to enroll full-time in an accredited, not-for-profit, four-year university or graduate school, in the U.S., during the fall of 2021. Submit FAFSA or state based financial aid forms (if applicable)

This could be the opportunity of a lifetime! To get started, students should visit HSF.net and create a MyHSF profile.

Dr. Alisa Nichilson at Arbor Place Eye Care Scholarship

Deadline: March 15, 2022

Award Amount: A one-time scholarship for \$750.00

Eligibility: Be a senior graduating in 2022, Have a 3.5 GPA, Be a resident of Douglasville, Write a personal statement of at least 250 words, Have a letter of recommendation, Be enrolling in college by Fall 2022, Plan to major in something in the medical field. https://www.arborplaceeyecare.com/scholarship-fund

The Bridging the Dream Scholarship for High School Seniors Deadline: Seniors may apply now through February 28, 2022

Award Amount: (25) \$10,000 scholarships

Eligibility: Must be a high school senior planning to enroll in a two-or four-year degree, professional certificate, or vocational training program. Seniors who excel inside and outside the classroom and demonstrate financial need may apply.

www.salliemae.com/landing/bridging-the-dream.

The Completing the Dream Scholarship

Deadline: February 28, 2022

Award Amount: (185) gap scholarships worth up to \$2,500 each

Eligibility: Minority students and those from underserved communities who are on track to graduate but ar at-risk of not completing due to financial emergency or unpaid school bill. www.salliemae.com/landing/completing-the-dream.

Bobby Tillman Scholarship Application - Offered by BFAM, Inc.

Deadline for Applications: All applications and recommendation letters must be postmarked no later than **March 31, 2022.**

Awards: 1st Place - One time monetary gift(s), certificate(s), medal(s), and (70) community service hours.

2nd and 3rd Place - Certificate(s), medal(s), and seventy (70) community service hours.

Application Packets are available by request via email - bfaminc1107@gmail.com.
Application Packets may also be obtained from Mrs. Morris in the College & Career Center (D1113).

Douglas County Chamber Foundation Leadership Scholarship

Deadline: Application packets <u>must be received</u> by the Chamber office by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 22, 2022. Emailed or Faxed applications will not be accepted.

Award Amounts: One \$1,000 Scholarship and One \$500 Scholarship Eligibility:

- → Student must be a graduating senior living in Douglas County;
- → Student must have a cumulative 3.5 grade point average or higher;
- → Student must plan to attend an institution of higher learning;

- → Student needs to have demonstrated leadership experience through school, community activity and/or work experience;
- → Student must submit two recommendation letters, one by a representative from school and one by a member of the business community; and
- → Student must write a 500 word essay on a leader he/she admires and the leadership qualities that leader exemplifies.

For Application Packets and more information, go to: https://www/douglascountygeorgia.com/leadership/

<u>LaJolla Mom Communications Scholarship</u>

Application Deadline: April 1, 0222. The recipient will be notified individually by April 15, 2022.

Award Amount: One student will be selected to receive \$500 in scholarship funds based on their essay response to why they are interested in pursuing a career in the communications field.

Eligibility: Undergraduate or high school senior applicants must be majoring in a communications field of study and attend or be planning to attend an accredited college during the 2022 academic year.

Link to apply: https://lajollamom.com/scholarships/

The Georgia Energy and Industrial Construction Consortium (GEICC) Schol.

Deadline: Application must be submitted in its entirety no later than 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 2, 2022.

Award Amount: A minimum of five (5) - \$1,000 scholarships are available.

To learn more and to access the application, please visit: https://

www.getintoenergyga.com

2022 We the Students Essay Contest!

Deadline: April 15, 2022 at 11:59 p.m. E.T.

Award Amount: The grand prize is \$7,500 and a scholarship to the Constitutional Academy summer program in Washington, DC.

This year's Essay Topic: "How does an understanding of natural rights and respect build a free society?"

https://billofrightsinstitute.org/we-the-students-essay-contest

<u>Private Tutoring At Home Scholarship</u>

Deadline: May 1, 2022 Award Amount: \$1.000

Eligibility: Any female-identifying undergraduate or graduate student studying education, or a high school senior who plans on studying education. Must be a U.S.

citizen or permanent legal resident.

https://www.privatetutoringathome.com/the-future-female-educators-scholarship.

"B. Davis Scholarship"
Deadline: May 21, 2022
Award Amount: \$1,000

The creators of the "Student Award Search Aid" website are offering a

scholarship for 2022.

Abbott and Fenner Scholarship Program

Deadline: June 12, 2022 Award Amount: \$1,000

Students will submit an essay on the topic that appears on the scholarship page of their

website. Full details are also available there. http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm

Please visit: http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm to read about us and to apply for our scholarship.

<u>www.scholarshipowl.com</u> - Students fill out an application, and this source searches for compatible scholarships.

Fill out a **Free UNIGO Profile** to discover your personalized list of possible scholarship awards. Go to: https://www/unigo.com/scholarships

Seniors Interested in Skill Trades

The Lincoln College of Technology (LCT) Annual Scholarship Award Program is for high school seniors graduating in 2022. The student must be in good standing with their high school at graduation and must earn a high school diploma in order to take advantage of any award mondy.

LCT will award a \$1,000 scholarship to 2022 high school seniors who score between 39-46 on the scholarship aptitude test. A \$2,000 scholarship will be awarded to 2022 high school seniors who score between a 47-55 on the aptitude test.

The high school scholarship assessment is the first step in determining if you are eligible for a Lincoln College of Technology Scholarship. **All tests must be taken by**

May 31, 2022, to receive a scholarship through the LCT High School Scholarship Program.

For more information: www.lincolntech.edu/hs-scholarship

Georgia Power's PAID Summer Internship

Program Details: This is a paid internship, \$15.00/hour (there is no overtime or mileage reimbursement). The program is approximately 8 weeks, with a preferred start in June 2022. Schedule: Monday through Friday - 7:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. (may vary based on work location and team).

Work location: TBD - There will be a reporting location, but the student will ride with crew members to various work locations daily. The student should be prepared to be out with crews most days and return to the office location by 3:30. Every aspect of the internship will be closely supervised and evaluated by a full-time Georgia Power employee.

Job Scope:

- Develop a general knowledge of power lines construction standards
- Work with crews daily doing basic work activities
- Use basic hand tools: shovel, cant hook, post hoe diggers, and other basic tools
- Help prepare overhead and underground materials for installation
- Assist with power outage restoration if they occur during scheduled work hours
- Interact with customers while in the field with various teams (Lineworker, Transmission, Metering or Network Underground)
- Time designated for CAST (Construction and Skills Trade test) prep and soft skills training

Student Worker Requirements:

- Must be 18 years of age or older. If less than 18 years old a consent form must be signed by a legal guardian or parent (sent upon request)
- Valid driver's license and a clean driving record
- Responsible individual with reliable transportation to and from work
- Ability to read, understand, and follow procedures, rules, and regulations
- Ability to perform physically demanding activities while working outside in all conditions
- Must pass pre-employment screenings (drug testing, criminal background check, and physical)
- Must be drug free and follow safety protocol if prescription drugs(s) are required
- Ability to comprehend basic safety rules and not be afraid to ask questions

- Positive attitude, strong work ethic, willingness to take the initiative and follow instructions
- Have an interest and aptitude in linework & other essential jobs in Power Delivery or Shared Services

Dress Code: (all will be provided) - Steel toe work boots & appropriate jeans and shirts

An Important GOAL!

Get a higher education for as little money as you can!

For a student who plans to start off at a 4-year college or university, and plans to live on campus, the following costs will be incurred:

Tuition – this is the cost per credit hour for classes a student will take

- Ø Room/Board this is the cost for a student to live on campus, in a dorm
- Ø Meal Plan this is the cost for a student to eat, while living on campus, and it is mandatory.
- Ø Student Fees this is a mandatory fee for students at any college
- Ø Books
- Ø Extra living expenses that a student might have

For a student who plans to attend a community college, the following costs will be incurred:

- Ø Tuition this is the cost per credit hour for classes a student will take
- Ø Student Fees this is a mandatory fee for student at any college
- Ø Books
- Ø Gas to drive back and forth to class

Every student and parent should think on these things, while making the decision for the best fit for the student.

Lastly, even if a student does not begin college with HOPE Scholarship, it can be applied for after 30 credit hours (typically 2 semesters), and a GPA of 3.0