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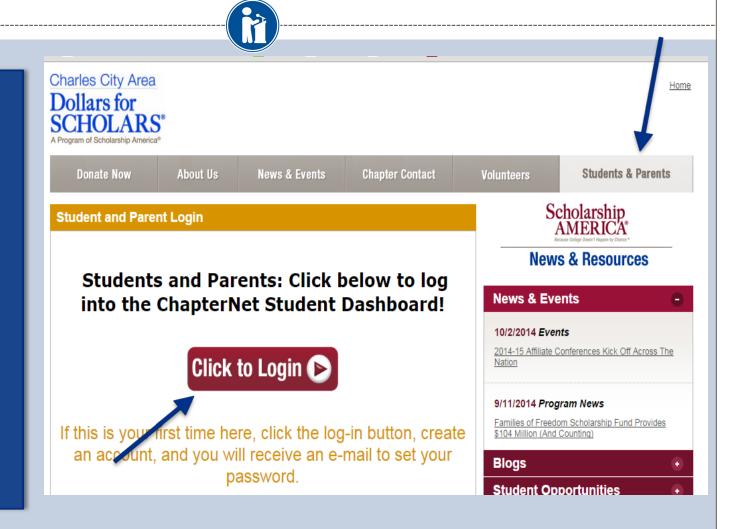
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Creating Your Profile

- Visit ANY affiliate website.
- Click on the student & parent login tab.
- Click the red Click to Login button

Creating Your Profile

![Scholarship America Dollars for Scholars Student Center screenshot]

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The Scholarship America Dollars for Scholars Student Center

Welcome to the Scholarship America Dollars for Scholars Student Center! By creating a free profile you will automatically get access to Scholarship America's valuable resources, and you'll have the opportunity to match to and apply for relevant scholarships. If you live in a community with a Dollars for Scholars affiliate, that matching list will include their local awards; if you don't, you'll still match to scholarships from partners like Fastweb, and others.

In addition to scholarships, you'll find college guidance, financial aid advice, video tips and much more. And don't forget: Scholarship availability is constantly changing, so make sure you return to your profile often.

If you already have an account in the system, enter your email address and password below to login. If you do not remember your password, please click "Forgot Password" to retrieve your password. If you don't already have an account, please click here.

Student Login

Email Address
Password

Login

Forgot Password?

Parents

Parents: Click Here to Log In

Counselors

Counselors: Click Here to Log In

References

References: Click Here to Log In

- If you're a new student, create your account here.

- If you already have an account, log-in here.

Creating Your Profile

Welcome To Scholarship America Student Center

Thank you for your interest in Scholarship America-Dollars for Scholars scholarship programs. To create your account profile you need to provide us with some basic information and then you'll receive an email with your login information.

To get started, find your high school in the list below using the available filters and click the Choose This School button to the right of it.

- If you are/were **home schooled** enter "Home Schooled" into the High School Name field and select the option that appears.

- If you received your **GED**, please enter "GED" into the High School Name field and select the generic GED option that appears.

- If you graduated from an **international high school**, please enter "International School" into the High School Name and select the Not in USA filter in the State drop down and select the option that appears.

- If you **CANNOT FIND YOUR HIGH SCHOOL**, please click on the gray Support tab on the left side of the screen, complete the form and be sure to include your school's name and location so we can add it to our database.

| High School Name | Tartan | City | | State | -- Show All -- ▼ | ZIP | |

Showing 1 record(s).

High School Name	City	State	ZIP	
TARTAN SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	OAKDALE	Minnesota	55128	Choose This School

- Start by entering the name of your high school.

- If your school name returns too many results, you can filter by the city/state/zip code your school is located in.

- Click on "Choose This School" when your high school appears.

Creating Your Profile

Step 2: Fill Out Your Basic Information

Please complete the following items. All items with a double star (**) are required before the form can be submitted.

Submit | Cancel

** Legal First Name	
** Legal Last Name	
** Primary State or Province	-- Select --
** Primary Address Line 1	
Primary Address Line 2	
Primary Apartment	
** Primary City	Search
** Primary County	-- Select --
** ZIP or Postal Code	
** Which school district do you reside in?	Search
** Birthdate (mm/dd/yyyy)	
** Email Address	
** Confirm Email Address	
** Primary Phone Number	
Primary Phone Text Capable - check box	☐
** Current Grade Level	-- Select --
** Year Graduated/ Expected Graduation from High School	-- Select --
** Race	-- Select --
** Ethnicity	-- Select --

** I understand that my online profile contains confidential personal data. I hereby authorize Dollars for Scholars to review the information in my profile for the purpose of determining my eligibility for scholarships. I also understand and agree that Dollars for Scholars may transfer, store and process my profile data in any of its offices in conjunction with the selection process for a scholarship. I verify that I have read, understand, and agree to the guidelines for this program. By registering for an account, I consent to the statement above and to the guidelines for the Dollars for Scholars program, and I consent to receive relevant electronic communications from Scholarship America.

Submit | Cancel

- Fill in all the fields with the appropriate information.
- Read the terms and conditions, check the box to agree to them and the hit the submit button.
- An email will be generated to you with your login information. Check SPAM if you don't see the email in your inbox within a few minutes.

Email and Login Info

Dear Sterling Archer ,

Thanks for registering for the Scholarship America Dollars for Scholars student center. Please follow the link below and use the information listed to get log into your account. When you first log in, you will be prompted with a popup asking you to set your password at which point you can set it to whatever you want to use going forward. After you set your password, you can complete your profile and start submitting to scholarships!

Login page: https://public.dollarsforscholars.org/index.php?action=userLogin
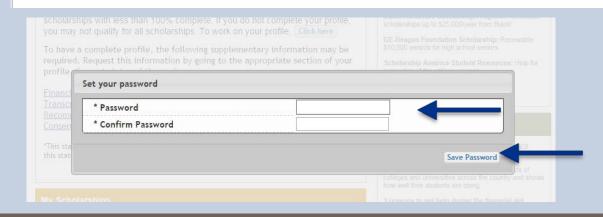
Email:: dbearth7@scholarshipamerica.org
Temporary Password: a74c720274af10cffb39

Instructions for completeing the profile can be found here.

If you have any questions or run into any issues while completing your profile, you can reply to this email with the details of your question/issue and we will get back to you as soon as we can.

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scholarships with less than 100% complete. If you do not complete your profile, you may not qualify for all scholarships. To work on your profile, Click here

To have a complete profile, the following supplementary information may be required. Request this information by going to the appropriate section of your profile.

Set your password

| * Password | |
| * Confirm Password | |

Save Password

- The email you received will provide you a link back to the login page as well as a temporary password to use to get logged in.

- When you first log in using the info provided, you will be prompted with a popup asking you to set your password. Enter whatever password you want to use going forward and hit the Save Password button.

Welcome to the Student Dashboard!

The Dashboard lets you:

- View your progress and follow the link to work on your profile when incomplete.

- View your chapter matches and links to their websites

- View the status of the information that comes from 3rd parties.

- Link to national news and resources.

- Search for scholarships!

Your Student Profile

- When following the link to work on your profile you will be taken here into the first section of your profile.
- Notice the progress bars and color matches your level of completeness.

Student Profile: Basic Information

Basic Info

My Information

- Basic Info
- Additional Info
- Schools
- GPA
- Class Rank
- Test Scores
- Activities
- Awards
- Employment
- Documents
- Parent/Guardian Info
- Financial Info
- Essays
- References/Transcripts
- Help

My Scholarships

My Opportunities

My Scholarship News

My Resources

You must complete all the double starred (**) items in order to submit the form and you must complete all of the single starred (*) items to move your progress towards 100%. All other items are helpful in matching to scholarships, but optional.

[Click here] to change your email address.

** Legal Last Name ❓	Archer
** Legal First Name ❓	Sterling
Middle Name	
Middle Name 2	
Salutation	-- Select -- ▾
Suffix	
Preferred Name/ Nickname	
** Country	
** Primary State or Province	Minnesota ▾
** Primary Address Line 1 ❓	123 test
Primary Address Line 2	
Primary Apartment	
** Primary County	DAKOTA ▾
** Primary City ❓	Search Unselect
	◉ SOUTH SAINT PAUL
Primary City (if not found in above list)	
** ZIP or Postal Code	55075
** Which school district do you reside in? ❓	Search Unselect
	◉ NORTH ST PAUL-MAPLEWOOD SCHOOL DIST 622
* Time at Current Address	
* Email Address ❓	dbearth7@scholarshipamerica.org
** Primary Phone Number	651-561-5111
Primary Phone Text Capable - check box	☐
Alternate Phone Number	

- Items marked with a double star ** are required to move on from each section.

Student Profile: Additional Information

Additional Info

My Information

You must complete all the double starred (**) items in order to submit the form and you must complete all of the single starred (*) items to move your progress towards 100%. All other items are helpful in matching to scholarships, but optional.

Basic Info
Additional Info
Schools
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My Scholarships

[−] Hide **Demographics**

* * Birthdate (mm/dd/yyyy)	03/08/1990
* * Gender	-- Select -- ▼
* * Ethnicity	Non-hispanic ▼
* * Race ?	Caucasian ▼
Citizenship Status	-- Select -- ▼
Citizenship Country	Search
Do you have dual citizenship?	-- Select -- ▼
First Generation to Attend College?	-- Select -- ▼
Highest Level of Education Completed	-- Select -- ▼
Have you been subjected to any school or legal disciplinary action?	-- Select -- ▼
Primary Language	-- Select -- ▼
Primary Language Spoken at Home	-- Select -- ▼

[−] Hide **Other Information**

Drivers License Number	
Sexual Orientation	-- Select -- ▼
Disabled?	-- Select -- ▼

- Items marked with a single star * are part of your completion percentage. Complete all these fields to get to 100% completion.

Student Profile: Schools

Schools

My Information

- Basic Info
- Additional Info
- ▸ Schools
- GPA
- Class Rank
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My Scholarships

You must complete all the double starred (**) items in order to submit the form and you must complete all of the single starred (*) items to move your progress towards 100%. All other items are helpful in matching to scholarships, but optional.

☐ Hide   Grade Level

** Current Grade Level | Senior in High School ▼ |

☐ Hide   High School Information

** Year Graduated/ Expected Graduation from High School | 2015 ▼ |

** High school you graduated from/expect to graduate from/last attended   [Search] [Unselect]
◉ TARTAN SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL - OAKDALE, Minnesota

I received my GED   ☐

☐ Hide   College Information

* College Application Status | -- Select -- ▼ |

College Application Status If Other   [   ]

* What type of post-secondary institution (if any) are you attending/plan to attend? | -- Select -- ▼ |

* Anticipated Year Graduation from College | -- Select -- ▼ |

* Intended/Current Major 1 | -- Select -- ▼ |

Intended/Current Major 2 | -- Select -- ▼ |

Intended/Current Major 3 | -- Select -- ▼ |

Be complete and accurate!

This will lead to more scholarship opportunities.

Student Profile: GPA

GPA

My Information

You must complete all the double starred (**) items in order to submit the form and you must complete all of the single starred (*) items to move your progress towards 100%. All other items are helpful in matching to scholarships, but optional.

- Basic Info
- Additional Info
- Schools
- **GPA**
- Class Rank
- Test Scores
- Activities
- Awards
- Employment
- Documents
- Parent/Guardian Info
- Financial Info
- Essays
- References/Transcripts
- Help

My Scholarships

** GPA information available	I have high school GPA information only ▼
My school does not calculate GPA on a 4.0 scale	☐
My school uses weighted GPAs	☐
Grade 9 GPA ❓	
Grade 10 GPA ❓	
Grade 11 GPA ❓	
Grade 12 GPA	
** Cumulative HS GPA ❓	/4.0

Save and Continue   Save and Go To Dashboard

Accuracy is important!

- Data will be compared to your transcript.

- To convert percentages to a 4.0 scale, click the box "My school does not calculate GPA on a 4.0 scale."

Student Profile: Class Rank

Class Rank

My Information

- **Basic Info**
- **Additional Info**
- **Schools**
- **GPA**
- ▸ **Class Rank**
- **Test Scores**
- **Activities**
- **Awards**
- **Employment**
- **Documents**
- **Parent/Guardian Info**
- **Financial Info**
- **Essays**
- **References/Transcripts**
- **Help**

You must complete all the double starred (**) items in order to submit the form and you must complete all of the single starred (*) items to move your progress towards 100%. All other items are helpful in matching to scholarships, but optional.

| * Does your school rank students? | -- Select -- ▼ |
| * Class Size | |

Save and Continue   Save and Go To Dashboard

- Class Rank is used along with GPA information.
- If your school ranks students, you will need to indicate the system used
- If your school does not rank students, select "No".

Student Profile: Test Scores

Test Scores

My Information

- **Basic Info**
- **Additional Info**
- **Schools**
- **GPA**
- **Class Rank**
- ▸ **Test Scores**
- **Activities**
- **Awards**
- **Employment**
- **Documents**
- **Parent/Guardian Info**
- **Financial Info**
- **Essays**
- **References/Transcripts**
- **Help**

My Scholarships

Click the "Enter Test Information" button to complete this section. If you do not have any test scores to enter, you will have the opportunity to indicate that. Please enter all test scores you want to be reviewed for scholarships. Make sure to include all of your SAT or ACT scores, as it may affect your eligibility for scholarships.

[✚ Enter Test Information] [I don't have any test scores]

* Test Name	Score Date	* Score

[Save and Continue] [Save and Go To Dashboard]

Click this button to enter ALL your test information!

Student Profile: Activities

Activities

Click the "Enter Activities Information" button to complete this section. Please list all school activities in which you have participated during the past 4 years (e.g. student government, music, sports, etc.) as well as all community activities in which you have participated without pay during the past 4 years (e.g., Red Cross, church work, etc.). Make sure to include all of your activities, as it may affect your eligibility for scholarships.

My Information

- Basic Info
- Additional Info
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- Financial Info
- Essays
- References/Transcripts
- Help

My Scholarships

+ Enter Activities Information   I don't have any activities

* Activity Name	* Activity Type

Save and Continue   Save and Go To Dashboard

- Enter ALL school and non-school related extra curricular activities (church, sports, volunteering, etc.).

- Scoring depends on the completeness of your profile.

Student Profile: Employment

Employment

My Information

- Basic Info
- Additional Info
- Schools
- GPA
- Class Rank
- Test Scores
- Activities
- Awards
- ▸ Employment
- Documents
- Parent/Guardian
- Financial Info
- Essays
- References/Tra
- Help

My Scholarships

Field	Input
* * Employer	
Position	
* * Start Date ❓	📅
* * Current Position?	-- Select -- ▾
* * Hours Per Week ❓ *Ranges will not be accepted-- please enter the average hours per week.*	
Amount Earned ❓	$ ___ per hour
* * Total months of employment ❓	
Notes	

Save and add another   Save   Cancel

- Enter all your employment information.

Student Profile: Parent/Guardian Information

Information

- Basic Info
- Additional Info
- Schools
- GPA
- Class Rank
- Test Scores
- Activities
- Awards
- Employment
- Documents
- Parent/Guardian Info
- Financial Info
- Essays
- References/Transcripts
- Help

Because you are under 18, you must receive permission from a parent/guardian to compl[...] scholarship application process. Use the form below to enter information about your parer[...] and then click the "request consent" button - this will send an email to your parent asking [...] grant you permission to continue with the scholarship process.

In the rare case that you are emancipated from your parents, you would not be required t[...] parental permission. If you believe that you qualify, Click here to see if you meet the crit[...]

Consent Status: **Not started**

** Primary Parent First Name	
** Primary Parent Last Name	
Relation	
** Primary Parent Phone Number	
** Primary Parent Email Address	

Request Consent from Parent/Guardian | Save and Go To Dashboard | I am legally emancipated

- If you're under 18, you need parental consent to apply for scholarships. Enter your parent information and request consent.

- If you are over 18, you do not need consent but can still enter your parent information.

- If you are legally emancipated you can click here.

Financial Information

Financial Info

My Information

- Basic Info
- Additional Info
- Schools
- GPA
- Class Rank
- Test Scores
- Activities
- Awards

In order to be considered for scholarships that make decisions based on need, you must provide information about your or your family's financial situation. Please provide the information asked for below. If you do not provide the information below, you will not be eligible for any needs based scholarships.

Test123 uses EFC for their need based scholarships. This number is found on the SAR you received after completing the FAFSA. To learn more about FAFSA EFC, follow this link, http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/.

* FAFSA EFC

[Save and Continue] [I do not wish to include financial information]

Financial Info

My Information

- Basic Info
- Additional Info
- Schools
- GPA
- Class Rank
- Test Scores
- Activities
- Awards
- Employment
- Documents
- Parent/Guardian Info
- Financial Info

In order to be considered for scholarships that make decisions based on need, you must provide information about your or your family's financial situation. Please provide the information asked for below. If you do not provide the information below, you will not be eligible for any needs based scholarships.

Test requests your parent fills out our financial form for their needs based scholarships. Enter your parent info below to request the information. Your parent will receive an email with further instructions on completing this task.

Parent Information

- * * Primary Parent First Name
- * * Primary Parent Last Name
- Relation
- * * Primary Parent Phone Number
- * * Primary Parent Email Address

[Request Info from Parent] [I am legally emancipated] [I do not wish to include financial information]

- In order to be considered for need based scholarships, you need to provide financial info.

- What you see in this section depends on what your local chapter asks for. You may be asked to provide your EFC or your parent's information they can provide more detailed financial information.

- If your local chapter does not use financial info, the instructions will inform you of this.

Student Profile: Essays

Points are awarded to applicants based on how well they are able to express their goals and plans for the future. In addition, some students have lived through circumstances that should be understood by the committee reviewing the application.

The two following essays give you the opportunity to tell the selection committee something about yourself that is not found in all the data above. Please take the time to complete these essay questions. Please reach out to your local chapter to confirm length requirements.

Goals and Aspirations Essay: Please describe your plans as they relate to your educational and career objectives and future goals.

* Goals Essay

Unusual Circumstances Essay: Please describe how and when any unusual family or personal circumstances have affected your achievement in school, work experience, or your participation in school and community activities.

* Unusual Circumstances Essay

Save and Continue   Save and Go To Dashboard

- Provide an essay on your goals and aspirations.

- Provide an essay on any unusual circumstances you may have experienced in your life.
- Confirm with your local chapter the length they would like the essays to be.

Student Profile: Transcripts & References

Transcript Requests

Scholarships require the submission of a school transcript or at least verification by a school official. For High School transcripts, enter the name and contact information of your guidance counselor. Once you are finished, press the "Request Transcript Information" button to request a transcript.

Transcript Information from Counselor: **Not started**

➕ Add Counselor/Registrar Information

Please note: If you want to include additional transcripts from previous schools, please upload them to the additional documents area (unofficial is fine).

Recommendation Request

Scholarships require the submission of a recommendation by a person of your choosing. Please enter the name and contact information of your selected reference. Once you are finished, press the "Request Recommendation" button to request a recommendation be completed.

Recommendation from Counselor or other Reference: **Not started**

➕ Add Reference Information

Save and Look for Scholarships   Save and Go To Dashboard

- Click to add your counselor/registrar information to request transcript information.

- Click to add reference information to request a recommendation.

- After you've requested the info, you can search for scholarships!

Student Profile: Finding Scholarships

SCHOLARS

Your Chapter Matches click below to view their website
NA9999 - National Scholarships - DFS
Test123 - Test123
Test - Test

My Information

Your profile is 100% complete.

To work on your profile, **Click here**

To have a complete profile, the following supplementary information may be required. Request this information by going to the appropriate section of your profile. Current status of these pieces are:

Transcript Information from Counselor: **Submitted**
Recommendation from Counselor or other Reference: **Submitted**
Consent from Parent or Guardian: **Over 18; consent not required**

My Scholarships

To search and submit to scholarships or accept scholarships you've been awarded **Click Here**

Check this section often, as scholarships open and close all the time. When new scholarships open for which you qualify, they will automatically populate this area. We recommend you check back weekly so that you do not miss any new opportunities.

My Opportunities

Look here for announcements from your Chapter

Buick Achievers Scholarship Program: Renewable scholarships up to $25,000/year from Buick

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship: Renewable $10,000 awards for high school seniors

Scholarship America Student Resources: every step of the college process.

Read More

My Scholarship News

Look here for news from Scholarship America

Mapping Out College Choices: plots hundreds of colleges and universities across the country and shows how well their students are doing

3 reasons to get help during the financial aid process: Here are three reasons why you may not want to undergo the financial aid process alone.

Faculty Tips for First-Gen Students:

Read More

- When you've completed all your info, you can begin your scholarship search!

Scholarship Matches

Welcome, Dave 1
Your Chapter Matches click below to view their website
NA9999 - National Scholarships - DFS
Test - Test

Thank you for searching for scholarships in our system. Any questions you see below will further verify your eligibility for scholarships. Failure to answer the questions will eliminate you from consideration. Please note, if you have incorrectly answered any of these questions and want to change your response, please contact support@scholarshipamerica.zendesk.com.

Submit Cancel

⊟ Hide | **Affiliate Custom Eligibility**

Did you volunteer at the phone-a-thon this year? ○ Yes ○ No
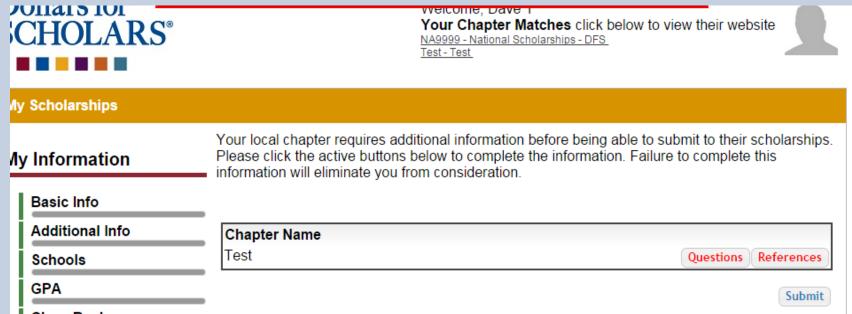Were you a part of the mentoring program at your school? ○ Yes ○ No

Submit Cancel

Some chapters have additional questions you will need to answer to help verify your eligibility. Please note not all chapters have these types of questions, whether or not you are prompted with this screen depends on your local chapter.

Scholarship Matches

- Additionally, some chapters require you to complete additional open ended questions and/or provide additional references. Click the active Questions and/or References buttons here to complete the additional info. As with the last screen, whether or not you are prompted to complete this additional info depends on your local chapter.

Student Profile: Scholarships!

Below are the open scholarships that you match to.

NOTE: You must submit to a scholarship in order to be eligible for it.

NOTE: Some scholarships require additional information from you before you will be able to submit. This will be indicated by an active Essays or References button. Click on the active buttons, complete the information and the Submit App button will activate. If the Essays and References buttons are not active on a matched scholarship, no additional information is required.

NOTE: If you see a button that reads "no longer eligible", then your profile or the scholarship requirements have changed and you are no longer eligible for that scholarship. To check this, click the "Verify Eligibility for all Scholarships" button below.

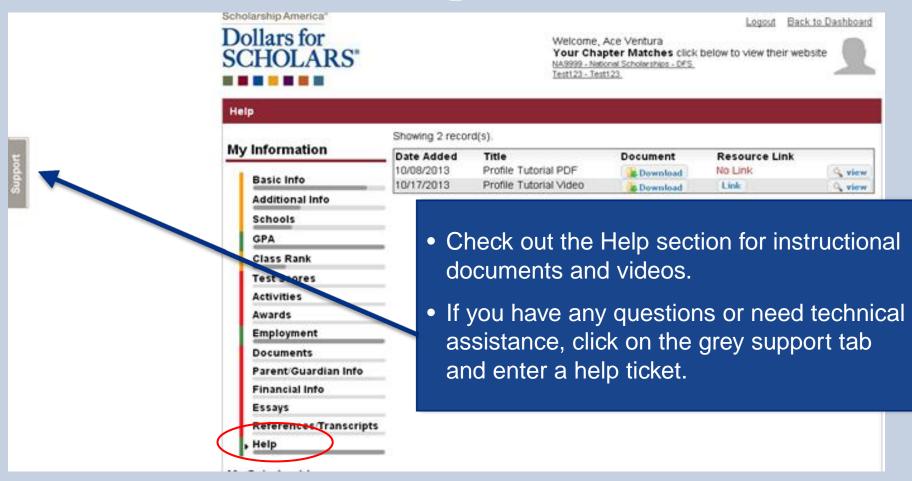| Submit all scholarships without custom questions | Verify Eligibility for All Scholarships |

Scholarship	Close Date				
Community Service Award - 2015	12/31/2014	View	Essays	References	Submit App
leadership - 2015	12/31/2014	View	Essays	References	Submit App

Chapter Name				
Test		Questions	References	Documents

- Additional essay or reference information may be required before submitting some applications for certain scholarships. The Submit App button will activate once these are complete.

- If no further info is required, the Submit App button will already be active and available to click.

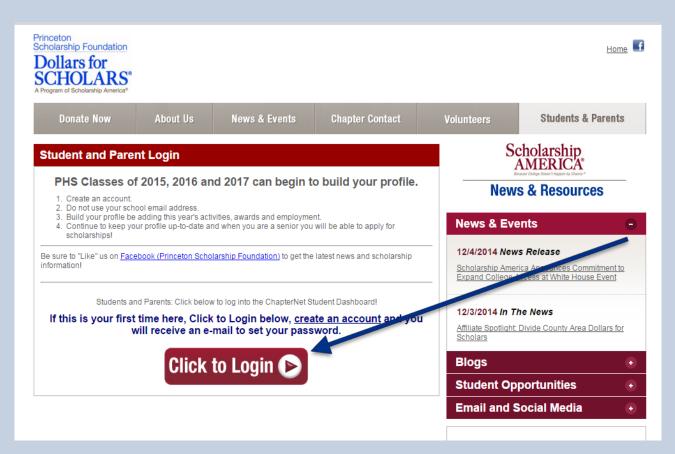- To submit for a scholarship, you MUST click the "Submit App" button!

Need Help?

- Check out the Help section for instructional documents and videos.

- If you have any questions or need technical assistance, click on the grey support tab and enter a help ticket.

Access

- You can get back to your profile at any time via the button on your local chapter Students & Parents page.