



The Southeast Virginia Community Foundation offers the following scholarship opportunities for 2021:

- **Al Taylor Memorial Scholarship:** Two \$7,500 scholarships for graduating seniors or college students who graduated with a minimum 2.5 GPA from a high school in Portsmouth, Chesapeake, Suffolk, Newport News and, Isle of Wight County. Applicants must exhibit qualities of leadership, citizenship and, service and must participate in extra-curricular activities, volunteer in community activities, or be employed. Applicants must attend an accredited college or university. ***Application deadline: May 15.***
- **Armed Forces Scholarship:** One \$2,000 scholarship for the dependent of an active duty enlisted (E1-E9) Coast Guard or Navy personnel stationed in Portsmouth, Virginia, or the child/grandchild of a retired E1-E9 living in Portsmouth; graduating high school senior, accepted or enrolled in an ACE-accredited community college or four-year college or university with a GPA of 2.5 or higher. This scholarship is renewable. Previous recipients may apply for additional scholarships as long as they have a 2.5 GPA or higher. ***Application deadline: May 15.***
- **Calder S. Sherwood Memorial Scholarship:** Six \$2,000 scholarships will be awarded altogether. Two graduating seniors from each of the three Portsmouth public high schools will be chosen. The scholarship will be renewable for a total of four years as long as the student meets the following criteria: 1) maintain a 2.5 GPA at a Virginia college or university that is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Universities, 2) enroll full time with a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester, and 3) submit official transcript and fall schedule to the scholarship office by June 30th of each year for renewal consideration. Students will be selected by the scholarship committee at their high school. Each applicant must be of good character, be in the upper 20% of their class, and show financial need on the application. The deadline for this scholarship varies from year-to-year. ***Please apply for this scholarship through your school's scholarship counselor.*** ***Application deadline: March 29.***
- **C.H. Jordan Memorial Scholarship:** Scholarship award(s) available to students who are members of Third Baptist Church in Portsmouth, Virginia and who are pursuing a college or seminary education. The number of scholarships awarded and their amounts vary from year-to-year. ***Please apply for this scholarship through the Third Baptist Church in Portsmouth.***
- **Eastern Amateur Golf Scholarship:** Two \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to a graduating High School seniors in Portsmouth, Chesapeake and Suffolk who were members and played on their high school's varsity golf team their senior year. ***Application deadline: May 15.***



- **Foskey-VanDyck Scholarship:** One \$1,000 scholarship available to Portsmouth and Western Branch High School seniors pursuing a degree (in preference order) in music education, music, or at James Madison University with the award being based on financial need. **Application deadline: May 15.**
- **Horace Savage Scholarship:** Two \$1,000 scholarships available every other year (2019, 2021, 2023, etc.) for I.C. Norcom High School seniors to attend a Virginia ACE-accredited institution of higher learning. **Application deadline: May 15.**
- **Jarrold B. Shivers Memorial Scholarship:** One \$1,500 scholarship for (in order of preference) police officers, children of deceased police officers who were not killed in the line of duty, and children of current police officers. **Application deadline: May 15.**
- **Josef D. Collins Memorial Scholarship:** One \$1,000 scholarship available to an I.C. Norcom High School senior pursuing a degree in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math) or Arts at an ACE-accredited community college or 4-year college or university. Selection will be based on the following criteria: financial need, academic merit, and community service. **Application deadline: May 15.**
- **Portsmouth Service League “PSL” Scholarship:** Two \$1,500 scholarships for women residing in Portsmouth, Virginia who are pursuing a higher education at an ACE-accredited community college, technical school, professional program, or 4-year college or university. One scholarship requires that an applicant be a high school senior of Portsmouth Public Schools. The other applicant can be any woman living in Portsmouth who is trying to advance her education in any program. All applicants must have a proven record of community service and one of the references must be from a Community Service supervisor. Note: Active/sustaining/provisional members of the PSL are not eligible to apply. **Application deadline: May 15.**
 - The requirements for a **graduating high school senior** are as follows: (1) applicant must have a letter of acceptance from educational institution (2) a reference from the individual supervising their community service or from the organization where they performed their community service (3) a second reference (4) a one-page statement, special essay (see below).
 - The requirements for a **college student** or **non-traditional student** are as follows: (1) applicant must have a college transcript or equivalent report from the last educational institution attended (2) a reference from the individual supervising their current community service (3) a second reference. Applicants who were awarded this scholarship as a high school senior are welcome to re-apply as a college student with the above requirements.



- **Susan Berry Reitelbach Memorial Scholarship:** One \$1,500 scholarship available to a graduating senior at any Chesapeake high school with a minimum 2.5 GPA. The student must display a love of libraries and for helping other readers through volunteering in a Chesapeake Public Schools library, Chesapeake Public Library, and/or other media centers. The student must be enrolled in a Virginia college or university. Application deadline: May 15.
 - **W. Clayton Robertson Memorial Scholarship:** One \$1,000 scholarship available to an applicant who meets the following criteria: 1) Portsmouth, Chesapeake, or Suffolk, Virginia high school student pursuing an undergraduate degree at any ACE-accredited Virginia College or University in the pre-medical and/or pharmaceutical field with a 3.0 GPA or higher, or 2) Virginia resident attending the Medical College of Virginia for an advanced degree in the medical or pharmaceutical field with a 3.3 GPA or higher. Each applicant must meet GPA requirements or show financial need on the application. This scholarship may be renewed if the above requirements are maintained. ***Application deadline: May 15.***
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Combined Scholarship Application

The Southeast Virginia Community Foundation offers the following scholarship opportunities for 2021. **Please place a check mark next to each scholarship for which you are applying.**

Note: Application deadlines vary so be sure to check for your particular scholarship. Generally, the application deadline for most scholarships is **May 15** at 11:59pm.

- Al Taylor Memorial Scholarship
- Armed Forces Scholarship
- Eastern Amateur Golf Scholarship
- Foskey-VanDyck Scholarship
- Horace Savage Scholarship – only available during odd numbered years (i.e.2021,2023 etc)
- Jarrod B. Shivers Memorial Scholarship
- Josef D. Collins Memorial Scholarship
- Portsmouth Service League “PSL” Scholarship
- Susan Berry Reitelbach Memorial Scholarship
- W. Clayton Robertson Memorial Scholarship



Requirements:

- Minimum of 2.5 GPA, unless otherwise noted
- Official high school transcript and SAT/Achievement scores
- Two letters of reference
- FAFSA 2019-2020 Student Aid Report (SAR), if applicable
- 1-page essay describing your educational dream, how you plan to impact the future; and any special circumstance or information that may be helpful to the Selection Committee. If the scholarship for which you are applying has its own essay, this essay is not required.

Additional Required Essays:

- **Portsmouth Service League “PSL” Scholarship:** How do you live PSL’s vision statement, “To empower innovative women to lead and serve while leaving a positive legacy on the community and each other?” (250-500 words)
- **W. Clayton Robertson Memorial Scholarship:** Why do you wish to go into the medical or pharmaceutical field?
- **Foskey-VanDyck Scholarship:** What is your goal and what support system do you have to achieve your goal? Why have you chosen music or music education as your focus?

Return application to:

The Southeast Virginia Community Foundation
1435 Crossways Blvd, Suite 300
Chesapeake, VA 23320

Applicant Information:

Full Name:

Social Security: _____

Date of Birth: ___/___/___

Address:



Email Address:

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) address (if different):

Parent's Military Command: _____ Rank: _____

Parent is a police officer: yes no District:

Full Name:

Relationship:

Education Information:

High School:

Cumulative GPA: _____

College Choices:

1st Choice:

Tuition: \$ _____/year Accepted Pending

2nd Choice:

Tuition: \$ _____/year Accepted Pending

3rd Choice:

Tuition: \$ _____/year Accepted Pending



What field of study are you considering?

Why are you considering that field?

Is this a five-year program? Yes No

Financial Information:

Applicant's annual income: \$_____ Parent(s) annual income: \$_____

Applicant's financial assets (529 Plans): \$_____

Number of children currently in college: _____

Other financial considerations:

Please provide a listing of scholarships applied for or awarded:

Scholarship:

Amount Awarded: \$_____ Renewable: Yes No

Scholarship:

Amount Awarded: \$_____ Renewable: Yes No

Scholarship:

Amount Awarded: \$_____ Renewable: Yes No



Provide a supplemental list of all school activities in which you have participated (e.g. clubs, sports, student government, honor societies, band, etc.); include each year participated.

I certify that the information I have provided in this application is accurate and is subject to verification by the Southeast Virginia Community Foundation's Selection Committee representatives at its discretion. I understand that the Foundation reserves the right to provide this application information to additional scholarship selection committees if determined appropriate.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___