

# CLASS OF 2021 SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION!!

**ALL SRTC SENIORS** interested in scholarships should complete and submit the **SRTC Scholarship Application** to Ms. Breton in the office (A-113) by **April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021**. This can be turned in directly to the office, emailed to [dbreton@sanford.org](mailto:dbreton@sanford.org), or mailed to SRTC (100 Alumni Blvd, Sanford, ME 0473) and received by the deadline. The scholarship application will be available on the SRTC website (<https://www.sanford.org/o/sanford-regional-technical-center>) under Menu- Current Students and Parents. Applications are also available by emailing Mrs. Bartlett ([jbartlett@sanford.org](mailto:jbartlett@sanford.org)) or in paper form in the Career Planning Center...just stop by!

The SRTC scholarship committee will review all applications. The information provided will be kept confidential and only used for the intended purposes. Winners will be announced at the SRTC Spring Recognition night ceremony.

There are some excellent **local Maine scholarships** coming up this spring. Be sure to watch deadlines and know that some of these require extra time for essays, recommendations, and transcripts.

- Due 3/1/21: **MAINELY CHARACTER SCHOLARSHIP** [www.mainelycharacter.org](http://www.mainelycharacter.org) (varying amounts, \$2,500-\$5,000). For senior graduating from Maine high school, demonstrating courage, integrity, responsibility and concern for others.
- Due 3/19/21: **MAINE SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS** [www.mespe.org](http://www.mespe.org) (two awards of \$3,000) for students pursuing engineering.
- Due 4/1/21: **MES RICHARD H. PIERCE Memorial Scholarship** [www.mesfoundation.org](http://www.mesfoundation.org) (\$5,000 awards) Maine student entering 2 or 4 year college
- Due 4/13/21 **MAINE BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB- Jean Hammond Memorial and Lemieux-Lovejoy Youth Scholarships** <http://bpwmefoundation.org/scholarship-program/> (\$1,500 each) for a female student from Maine with financial need.
- Due 4/16/21 **MAINE BLUE COLLAR SCHOLARSHIP foundation** <https://mainebluecollar.com/> (many recipients, range \$500-\$2,500) for those pursuing education or a career in the trades, including traditional trades, culinary, Health and EMS, and other CTE areas. Award can be used for education or for tools in your trade.

A booklet of more scholarship suggestions can be obtained from Mrs. Bartlett. Stop by the Career Planning Center or email [jbartlett@sanford.org](mailto:jbartlett@sanford.org) for a copy.

More scholarship opportunities:

- Your high school's counseling/guidance office will usually have their own applications for local scholarships
- Check for scholarships from your employer or your parent's employer
- Check with local civic and faith-based organizations
- Search on the FAME scholarship search site <https://www.famemaine.com/education/topics/paying-for-college/maine-scholarship-search/> (especially for Maine-based scholarships)

Tip: Search for scholarships based on a particular trait (students with a disability, students with a particular interest or intended major, students with a particular heritage or background)

Some of the more highly recommended national college scholarship search sites:

College Board Scholarship Search: <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search>

Finaid.org: <https://finaid.org/scholarships/>

Fastweb: <https://www.fastweb.com/>

IGrad: <https://fame.igrad.com/scholarships>