Community Scholarships

In 2023, San Diego Foundation (SDF) awarded more than $4 million in scholarships to over 1,000 students, making SDF the largest private non-university scholarship provider in San Diego County.

Opportunities are available for San Diego County residents pursuing a higher education locally and nationally. Apply if you have:

- Commitment to your education
- Potential for success in college
- Minimum GPA of 2.0 for many scholarships
- Participation in community service, extracurricular activities and/or work experience
- Financial need (including middle income families)

Applicants can be:
- Graduating high school seniors
- Career/technical school students
- Community college students
- Current undergraduate students
- Graduate, medical and professional students
- Adult re-entry students

Attending:
- Four-year universities
- Community colleges
- Career/technical schools
- Graduate, medical and professional schools
- Teaching credential programs

Application Deadlines
- **Application Open:** Wednesday, January 17, 2024
- **Application Closes:** Wednesday, March 6, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. PST
- **Applicants Notified:** By June 1, 2024

FAFSA or CA Dream Act must be completed in order to apply.

To learn more about the Community Scholarships Program, please contact the Scholarships team at scholarships@sdfoundation.org. Scan the QR code on the right to sign up for email updates.