

SCHOLARSHIPS AND CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

APRIL 2023 EDITION



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REMINDERS

Seniors:

- Do you need to work on your applications, resumes, college essays or scholarships? Sign up for our Guidance Department through our Google Classroom. The Class code is **e275ae5**. Within the classroom you will find links to everything you might need for your 12th grade year and beyond.
- Type up your resume and have it ready for when you apply for jobs, college and scholarships.
- Sign up for the SAT if you need to at www.collegeboard.org. The deadline to register for the SAT on May 6, 2023 is April 7, 2023.
- Visit colleges you are interested in, attend college fairs and open houses. A few places may still hold virtual open houses and tours only.
- Begin applying to colleges. Prepare your application carefully. Follow the instructions and **PAY CLOSE ATTENTION TO DEADLINES!** Be sure to ask your counselor and teachers **at least two weeks** before your application deadlines to submit the necessary documents to colleges (your transcript, letters of recommendation, etc.).
- Tell your school counselor if you apply to college online... your transcript needs to be sent out. TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS are completed online through the Western Wayne website. You must request a transcript for each college you plan to apply to.
<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=-M0Gw4bbJkS-8S7t8I4RAILbistrVsepPqWu8rjPT2I5UOE52SjRHHVzg3WIAxWkk2RFNHUEXUVktOUS4u>
 - Your first transcript is sent certified mail at no cost to you. If you need additional transcripts for other applications, you will be charged \$5.00 each. (Cash, check, or money order payable to Western Wayne School District)

Juniors:

- Begin researching college and career options...SmartFutures through Clever is a great place to start.
- Set up an account on College Board (www.collegeboard.org). Do the SAT question of the day.
- Volunteer for activities that matter to you and reflect your personality. Volunteering looks great on a college application and adds to your quality of life.
- Start thinking about signing up for the May 6th SAT exam.
- Once you get your PSAT results, link it to Khan Academy for SAT test prep.

Sophomores:

- Get involved in activities outside the classroom. Work towards leadership positions in the activities that you like best. Become involved in community service and other volunteer activities.
- Begin researching college and career options...SmartFutures through Clever is a great place to start.
- Once you get your PSAT results, link it to Khan Academy for SAT test prep.

Freshmen:

- Get involved with extracurricular activities!
- Begin researching college and career options.... SmartFutures through Clever is a great place to start.

IMPORTANT DATES!

- April 3rd: Last Day of the Third Quarter
- April 3rd-6th: Spirit Week
- April 6th: Early Dismissal-Noon
- April 7th-10th: No School-Easter Break



There are no upcoming college visits in the month of April. We highly recommend for junior students to schedule on-campus college visits at this time. For more information about college visit dates and sign-ups, students can visit the websites of the colleges that interest them.

Career Spotlight

Web Developer



Brief Job Description

Web Developers create and maintain websites. Web developers also test websites for interface layout, functions, and navigation for usability. Web developers can specialize in front-end development, working on user-side features; back-end development, working on data storage and security; or full-stack web development, which entails working on both front-end and back-end processes.

Education

Educational requirements for web developers and digital designers varies, ranging from an associate's degree to a bachelor's degree. A bachelor's degree in computer science or web development is the traditional path for aspiring web developers. While those with associate degrees can snag entry-level web developer positions, some employers prefer candidates with bachelor's degrees.

More Info

Web developers typically do the following:

- Meet with clients or management to discuss the needs, design, and functionality of a website or interface
- Create and test applications, interfaces, and navigation menus for a website
- Write code for the website, using programming languages such as HTML or XML
- Work with other team members to determine what information the site will contain
- Work with graphics and other designers to determine the website's layout
- Integrate graphics, audio, and video into the website
- Monitor website traffic
- Create prototypes and mockups of websites or applications
- Design and develop graphics

Web developers enjoy a wealth of benefits, including the potential for remote work. These professionals enjoy competitive salaries as well, earning a median annual wage of \$77,200. Web developers are also in demand, with projections showing a faster-than-average 13% job growth for these positions from 2020-2030.

Key Skills

- Computer literacy
- Strong numeracy skills
- Strong creative ability
- Attention to detail
- Strong communication skills
- Excellent problem-solving skills
- A logical approach to work
- The ability to explain technical matters clearly
- An interest in technology

Colleges and Universities that Offer Degrees for Web Development

Franklin University

New York University

Duquesne University

Community College of Philadelphia

Luzerne County Community College

Wilmington University

Boston University

University of Maryland

Purdue University

Northwestern University

Bucknell University

SMARTFUTURES



SmartFutures.org

- * 75 Career Readiness Artifacts
- * Career Plan and Portfolio
- * Portable Between Schools
- * Customized to Pennsylvania
- * Seamless REMOTE solution

Smart Futures is a Pittsburgh-based non-profit software development organization in the field of education and workforce development. Our mission is to provide schools and education agencies with SmartFutures.org, an online career planning and portfolio platform that helps all students be ready for post-secondary success.

SmartFutures.org uses Pennsylvania's Academic Standards for Career Education and Work as a blueprint for the software's development. Implemented in hundreds of schools and agencies in our home state, SmartFutures.org now serves as a proven framework to delivering career planning, skill credentialing, and eMentoring within any classroom in the United States.

Use your Clever Account to log-in!

Imagining Tomorrow
How would you Engineer
Your Tomorrow?

Engineering Expectations Program

How Do you see
your Future?

EOC Talent Search Program
Helps you prepare:
Academically, Career Related
& So Much More...

Register:



Meets the
1st Wed.
of the
month at
4:30 pm

Monthly Virtual Sessions

To Explore All
Engineering
Disciplines

Mentorship

with Professionals
& Current College
Students

Field Trips

Virtual &
In-person Trips

SIGN UP!

570-331-6755 OR TEXT 570-947-1443



www.eocinc.org

**Must become a member of the program to participate.

CAREER EXPLORATION **EOC does that!**

Monthly Career Exploration Groups-

- Medical Mentorship Monday
- Engineering Expectations
- Art Careers
- Future Business Leaders
- Culinary Arts
- Understanding the "Therapies"
- Social Work & Social Services
- First Responders

Groups meet once per month throughout the year-do not have to attend all sessions

Sign up:
<https://eocinc.org/sign-up>

Groups: meet virtually-Includes Focused Field trips & Community Volunteer Options



SAT/ACT Test Dates & Fees 2022-2023

Fee waivers are available for the SAT and ACT test. Students who receive free or reduced lunch may qualify. See your School Counselor for details.

SAT

Register online at www.collegeboard.org

Registration fee- \$60.00

TEST DATES	REGISTRATION DEADLINES
August 27, 2022	July 29, 2022
October 1, 2022	September 2, 2022
November 5, 2022	October 7, 2022
December 3, 2022	November 3, 2022
March 11, 2023	February 10, 2023
May 6, 2023	April 7, 2023
June 3, 2023	May 4, 2023

ACT

Register online at www.act.org

Registration fee- \$88.00 (plus Writing) or \$63.00 (no Writing)

TEST DATES	REGISTRATION DEADLINES
September 10, 2022	August 5, 2022
October 22, 2022	September 16, 2022
December 10, 2022	November 4, 2022
February 11, 2023	January 6, 2023
April 15, 2023	March 10, 2023
June 10, 2023	May 5, 2023
July 15, 2023	June 16, 2023

Boost your exam scores—get into your Dream School

Self-Paced SAT/ACT Prep Program

The Pennsylvania Area Health Education Center
(AHEC) is pleased to offer the
Princeton Review SAT/ACT Prep Program
to high school students



This \$299 program is

Available to students for \$60

when they register through the PA AHEC

Other SAT Prep Programs:

- Khan Academy with your College Board log-in.
- Princeton Review – SAT Prep. Local location is University of Scranton. Log onto <http://www.princetonreview.com/college/sat-test-prep>
- Kaplan Testing Centers offers SAT prep classes in the Pittston/Wilkes-Barre Area. Log onto www.kaptest.com for details.
- SAT Practice. <https://sat.collegeboard.org/practice/>
- SAT prep courses are available at Penn State Worthington campus. Call 570-963-2600.
- SAT prep courses are available at Wilkes University. Call 570-408-5615.



YOUR STANDARDIZED TEST SCORES

Meets Mondays

4:30-5:30

Via Zoom

You must Register:

<https://form.jotform.com/ToolsEOC/VirtualSATClass2021>

and have completed and filed EOC or Talent Search Program
paperwork for the current year.

Have Questions?

(570) 331-6755 or email Carolyn@eocinc.org

Focus will be on SAT and ACT Standardized Tests

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about all of our amazing programs!

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EDUCATIONAL
TALENT SEARCH

CLEP

Shorten Your Path to a College Degree. **Western Wayne High School is an ONLINE TESTING SITE for CLEP!!!!** **What is CLEP?** CLEP (College Level Examination Program) is the most widely accepted faster **credit-by-examination program** in the United States today, helping students of all ages earn college degrees faster by getting credit for what they already know. By receiving a satisfactory score, you can earn from **3 to 12 college credits** toward your college degree for each CLEP you take, depending on the exam subject. **SAVE TIME.** Get college credit for what you already know. Be rewarded for what you've learned through independent study, advanced high school courses, noncredit adult courses, or professional development. CLEP offers 33 examinations in five subject areas. The tests cover material usually taught in a two-year degree program or in the first two years of a four-year program. Exams contain mainly multiple-choice questions. College Composition and a few other exams contain other types of questions and essays. For a complete list of CLEP tests and to schedule a testing time please see Mr. Fitzsimmons in the school counseling office.

College Applications

What is **Early Action**?

Early action is the early admission program in which applying early will get you an early answer. This program usually asks students to apply by November 1 and the college responds with a decision by mid-December. However, you are not required to make your decision until the regular May reply date, giving you time to compare financial aid packages between colleges. Early action is non-binding, which means you do not have to attend the college if you are accepted. The advantage of the early action program is that you find out whether you are accepted sooner rather than later, giving you time to enjoy the last few months of your senior year without having to worry about being accepted into college.

What is **Early Decision**?

Early decision is similar to early action in that you can apply early (usually by November 1) and get an early answer from your college about acceptance (usually around mid-December). However, with early decision, there is a catch. Early decision plans are binding. This means that if you apply to a college via the early decision process, you must attend that college if accepted and offered an adequate financial aid package. Thus, you can only apply to **one** early decision school. You can, however, apply to other colleges under regular admission. If you are accepted by your early decision college, then you must withdraw all other applications. Keep in mind that early decision may not be your best option if you want to compare financial aid packages between colleges. Early decision colleges usually offer students a better chance of admission if they apply early. When you research schools with the early decision option, check out the acceptance rates for students who apply early decision versus regular admission. The early decision acceptance rates are usually higher.



Have you heard of 4 or more?

Have you heard about [4 or More™](#)? It is a College Board initiative designed to inspire, assist, and reward you as you encourage all students to apply to at least four colleges. Over 5,000 of your counseling colleagues nationwide have already joined the movement and are benefiting from the tools and resources they have received.

Why should students apply to four or more colleges?

Studies show that students who apply to two colleges, rather than just one, are 40 percent more likely to enroll in college, and applying to four colleges increases the likelihood that the college they choose will be a good fit for them — academically, socially, and financially.



Western Wayne's Procedures for Submitting College Applications



1. Students applying to a college directly **online** should notify their school counselor.
2. Some college/universities will waive the applications fee if you visit their campus. Other colleges/universities have free online college applications. Students having financial difficulties covering the application fee should see their guidance counselor.
3. **TRANSCRIPT REQUEST- CURRENT STUDENTS:** Students must complete an official Western Wayne **TRANSCRIPT REQUEST** form giving permission to send the student's transcript and test scores. Applications are not considered complete without your transcript. **TRANSCRIPT REQUEST** forms are available on the Western Wayne website (under Guidance) or on the opening page under Guidance Resources.

TRANSCRIPT REQUEST FORMS

- 1) **Western Wayne Website**
- 2) **Click on DEPARTMENTS**
- 3) **Click on Guidance**
- 4) **Click on TRANSCRIPT REQUEST FORM**
- 5) **Complete the form**

The first request you make is **FREE**. All subsequent requests are **\$5.00**. Bring the check, money order, or cash into Mrs. Sgarlata in the guidance office. Your transcript will be sent certified. Please allow one week to process transcript requests! **PLAN AHEAD**.

4. **TRANSCRIPT REQUEST- FORMER STUDENTS** Please follow the instructions above. In addition, if YOU ARE A PREVIOUS STUDENT, a letter requesting the transcript must be submitted with your signature. The letter can be attached electronically with this request or sent to the Western Wayne Guidance Department, 1970A Easton Turnpike, Lake Ariel, PA 18436. The request will not be processed until the letter is received.
5. Your transcript includes your SAT and ACT scores. Check to make sure guidance has your most up to date scores. A few colleges require that you have your SAT/ACT sent directly from the College Board/ACT program (Penn State is one). It is your responsibility to have the scores sent. Questions...see your guidance counselor.
6. Fee waivers are available for most colleges if you received a fee waiver for the SAT or ACT. See your guidance counselor for an application fee waiver. If you are paying an application fee by check or money order, please bring it to guidance and we will attach it to your transcript. Most colleges allow you to pay by credit card when you complete

your application online. Checks and money orders must be made out to the college you are applying to. DO NOT pay for college application fees with cash!

7. Students requesting Counselor Letters of Recommendation must request the letter at least **TWO WEEKS** in advance.
8. In most instances **Early Decision** applications should be submitted around November 1st. This can vary so watch your dates! Regular Decision applications should be submitted as soon as possible. If you are uncertain about application deadlines see your guidance counselor.
9. **Mid-year grades** will be sent to colleges that require them. It is the student's responsibility to notify the guidance office about sending out midyear grades.
10. Final transcripts will be sent to the college that the student will attend. **FINAL TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS** will be given to seniors at the end of the school year. *Remember, college admissions representatives review all senior year grades very carefully.*

**Students and parents are encouraged to contact their
School Counselor with any questions or concerns.**

NEED HELP?

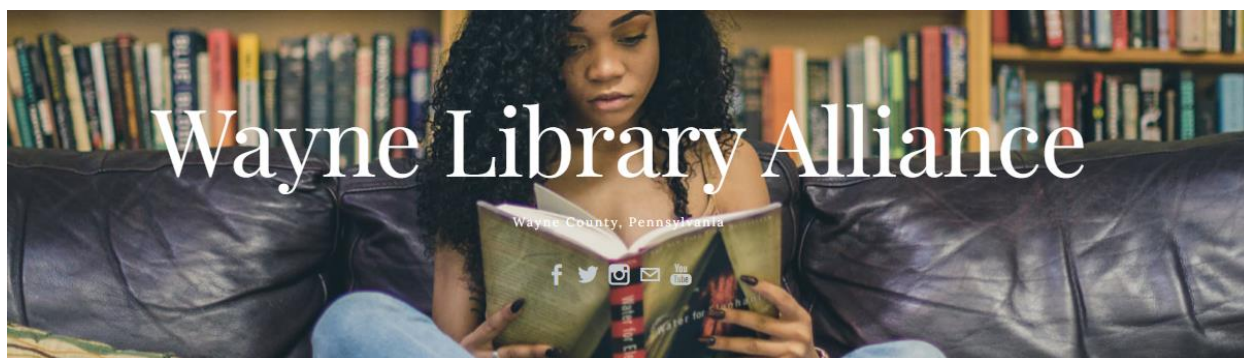
Many parents see college as a necessity for their children and starting early and saving regularly can make all the difference. **Upromise** is a college savings network sponsored by America's leading companies. Simply, when you buy a product or service from a participating company, they contribute a portion of your spending into an Upromise account for your loved one. Best of all, it's absolutely **FREE!** Just register at www.upromise.com

The **Wayne County Public Assistance** provides services to eligible clients. Anyone residing in Wayne County meeting eligibility may apply for Medical Assistance, Food Stamps, Cash Assistance, and Home Energy Assistance. Call 570-253-7100. Application can also be processed on the Internet at www.compass.state.pa.us

Job Applicants interested in applying for **PA State Civil Service Jobs** should log onto www.scsc.state.pa.us

Information & Referral County-Wide System Now residents can call WINFO Line at 253-5986 or 866-253-5986 (for those out of the local calling area) for any human service referrals. This free, confidential line is available for assistance Monday-Friday from 9:00am-4:00pm. Email information requests can be sent to iandr@co.wayne.pa.us Since 1998, the Wayne County Human Services Agency has worked on the development of a computer program capable of storing and retrieving information concerning services, eligibility, access, etc., so it may be quickly retrieved by topic in response to a caller's question on what human services are available. To date, over 700 agencies with thousands of services have been entered into this system.

The Wayne County Office of Behavioral & Developmental Programs & Early Intervention launched a new Crisis Line on Thursday, July 1, in partnership with the [Center for Community Resources](#) (CCR). Through the toll-free number, **1-833-557-3224 (1-833-55REACH)** CCR provides mental health crisis intervention services, both telephone and mobile, 24 hours a day/7 days a week. Beginning on July 1st, individuals calling Wayne Crisis will reach a live, compassionate, and caring crisis counselor. Individuals calling Wayne Crisis can talk to the crisis counselor on the phone or request that the counselor come to see them in the community. For more information or questions please contact John Nebzydoski at 570-253-9200 or jnebydoski@waynecountypa.gov .



Wayne County Public Library

www.waynelibraries.org

1406 Main Street

Honesdale, PA 18431

T: (570)253-1220

F: (570)253-1240

Email: wcpublib@waynelibraries.org

- ✓ Reserve and renew items online
- ✓ Get live homework help
- ✓ Practice skills and tests on Learning Express
- ✓ Search the countywide catalog
- ✓ Use POWER library for business, health, research, online books for kids & 24/7 chat with a librarian
- ✓ Access E-Books and E-Magazines
- ✓ Learn a language
- ✓ Use digital and financial literacy databases
- ✓ Access teen health and wellness database



Center for
Community
Resources
Connecting People to Services

Wayne County Crisis Services

DON'T BE THE ONE, CONNECT WITH SOMEONE...



For 24/7 Crisis Services:
Call 1-833-557-3224
or TEXT #63288

What is Crisis Intervention?

- Crisis Intervention provides intervention, assessment, support, screening, and referral services 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- Services for anyone who calls, chats, texts, or requests a Crisis Intervention Specialist to come to their home, school or community.
- Follow-up support and referrals to other community providers

When is Crisis Intervention Available?

- Mobile Crisis services are offered 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- Telephone, Chat and Texting Crisis services are offered 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days per year at:

1-833-557-3224

ccrinfo.org

Text #63288

Services are free and confidential

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline:

1-800-273-TALK

Wayne County Drug & Alcohol Commission



The Wayne County Drug & Alcohol Commission is a public non-profit agency. The Commission is fully licensed by the Pennsylvania Department of Health, and the Bureau of Drug & Alcohol Programs. The Wayne County Drug and Alcohol Commission is committed to providing prevention, early intervention, and comprehensive drug-free treatment services to the Wayne County area.

Contact Information: (570) 253-6022

HOTLINE TO REPORT UNDERAGE DRINKING

Put a stop to underage drinking, before it starts and before it leads to tragedy. Someone always knows about an underage drinking party. Callers to **888-UNDER-21** can report underage drinking parties that are planned or in progress. You can also report establishments that are selling or serving alcohol to those under 21 and people who are manufacturing and selling false identification.

8th Annual Community Resources Fair For Transitioning Students with Special Needs



Wednesday, April 26, 2023

Goodwill Industries
925 Prospect Ave.
Scranton, Pa. 18505

Target Audiences:

*Students with Disabilities *Parents *Transition Counselors *Guidance Counselors
*Special Education Teachers

*This event will feature employers, agency, and higher education representatives who can assist students with disabilities as they transition out of high school.

*Also featured will be experts on transportation programs, Social Security benefits, vocational rehabilitation supports, financial advisors related to persons with disability.

Session Schedule (Both sessions are geared for students and parents):

9:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.: Schools Scheduled – Carbondale, Blue Ridge, Mt. View, North Pocono, Lackawanna Trail, NEIU, Lakeland, Montrose, Susquehanna, Elk Lake, Scranton, Valley View, & MyCil TSC AM Program

12:15 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.: Schools Scheduled – Old Forge, Riverside, Abington, Dunmore, Merakey, MyCIL TSC PM Program, & Mid Valley

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED - INTERESTED PARENTS CAN ATTEND ANY OF THE SESSIONS, AND BRING YOUR CHILD WITH YOU. PLEASE REGISTER BY CALLING DAVE GENOVESE AT 570-558-2728 or by emailing at david.genovese@ssdedu.org *If Special Accommodations are needed, please refer to this when RSVPing by April 14th.

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INTEGRATED HEALTH SYSTEM

*Wellness Days is back
for the 3rd year in a row!!!*



These regional retreats will be for Youth and Young Adults between the ages of 16-29 years old and will be held on 4 different dates at separate locations across the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at NO COST attendees. This will be an opportunity for youth and young adults and their support person(s) to get outside and enjoy some activities including:

- Educational opportunity on the topic of advocacy and influencing the opinions and decisions of people and organizations
- Leadership and team building activities
- Fishing, hiking, music, art, workshops, food, and more
- There will be limited activities for parents and/or support staff
- Each attendee between the ages of 16-29 will receive a Youth MOVE PA SWAG BAG & a "Wellness Days T-Shirt!"

Dates & Locations:

June 20, 2022

Presque Isle State Park

Erie, PA

June 22, 2022

Keystone State Park

Derry, PA

July 11, 2022
Nocamixon State Park
Quakertown, PA

July 13, 2022
Tobyhanna State Park
Tobyhanna, PA

For information on how your organization can sponsor, donate, or be a vendor at one or more of these amazing events please go to: [Youth MOVE PA - Wellness Days \(wildapricot.org\)](https://youthmovepa-wellnessdays.wildapricot.org) or contact us at ympa@youthmovepa.org



YOUTH MOVE PA
MOTIVATING OTHERS
THROUGH VOICES OF EXPERIENCE

WELLNESS DAYS 2023

ALL EVENTS ARE FREE AND WILL BE HELD FROM 9:30AM TO 3:30PM

Events for Youth & Young Adults between the ages of 16 to 29

JOIN US THIS SUMMER!

ACTIVITIES INCLUDE

- Educational opportunity on the topic of advocacy
- Leadership & Team Building Activities
- Art, music, fishing, hiking, workshops and more
- Vendors and community resources will be in attendance
- Get a one of a kind "Wellness Days" T-Shirt & Swag Bag

CONTACT US TO BE A SPONSOR OR VENDOR

717-221-1022 | ympa@youthmovepa.org | [yopa.org](https://youthmovepa-wellnessdays.wildapricot.org)

DATES & LOCATIONS

- JUNE 20, 2023**
 - Presque Isle State Park
 - Erie Runners Club Pavilion Beach #1
 - [REGISTER HERE](#)
- JUNE 22, 2023**
 - Keystone State Park
 - Pavilion #1
 - [REGISTER HERE](#)
- JULY 11, 2023**
 - Nocamixon State Park
 - Lot 1 Pavilion
 - [REGISTER HERE](#)
- JULY 13, 2023**
 - Tobyhanna State Park
 - Pavilion
 - [REGISTER HERE](#)

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beacon health solutions | Bucks County PA

FAMILY MEMBERS, CAREGIVERS, & SUPPORT STAFF ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND! (EVERYONE ATTENDING MUST REGISTER)

Register Here

[Register for June 20th](#)

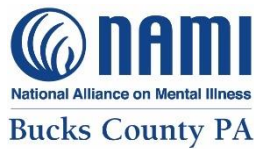
[Register for June 22nd](#)

[Register for July 11th](#)

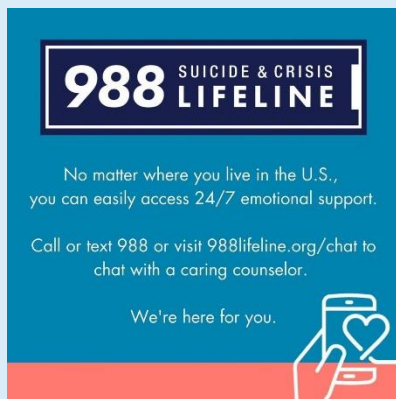
[Register for July 13th](#)

[Download Flyer](#)

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS:



[Youth MOVE PA](#) | [717-221-1022](tel:717-221-1022) | ympe@youthmovepa.org | [Home \(wildapricot.org\)](http://Home(wildapricot.org))



988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline

Call or Text 9-8-8

We can all help prevent suicide. The Lifeline provides 24/7, free and confidential support for people in distress, prevention and crisis resources for you or your loved ones, and best practices for professionals in the United States

[Lifeline \(988lifeline.org\)](http://988lifeline.org)

[988 Partner Toolkit | SAMHSA](#)

MEDICAL ASSISTANT COURSE



Johnson College's Continuing Education Medical Assistant program prepares learners to assist physicians by performing the functions related to the clinical aspects of a medical office.

Instruction includes preparing patients for exams and treatment, routine lab procedures, pharmacology, taking and documenting vital signs, basic phlebotomy, the 12-lead EKG, and the cardiac life cycle.



August 29 - May 3, 2024 | Tues./Thurs. 8:30 AM - 12:40 PM
at the Johnson College Scranton Lemon Street Lab

Tuition - \$5,000

Funding is available through CareerLink for those who qualify.

For more information: call 570-702-8979 or email continuinged@johnson.edu



At Pitt, you'll find countless opportunities to do college your way, starting with your official campus visit. We have a variety of in-person and virtual program options to answer your questions and help you discover why Pitt could be a good fit for you. No matter which university program type you choose, you'll have the opportunity to experience what it feels like to be a Pitt Panther as a new student.

Schedule a visit: <https://admissions.pitt.edu/visit/schedule/>



We are excited to share that we are accepting applications from current high school sophomores and juniors for our [Iacocca Global Entrepreneurship Intensive \(IGEI\)](#)! This program will be hosted on Lehigh's campus from **June 25 – July 22, 2023** in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

Your students can join a group of emerging leaders from across the U.S. and around the world to create diverse teams and solve a real problem facing a company or organization. Through the entrepreneurship intensive, they'll be able to do a dive deep into focus areas like sustainability, population health or business.

The curriculum is led by faculty from across the university and throughout the worldwide Iacocca Institute network. It also includes contributions from and collaboration with Lehigh's Baker Institute for Entrepreneurship, Creativity & Innovation, the Lehigh@NasdaqCenter and the Mountaintop Initiative.

For more information and to apply, visit go.lehigh.edu/igei

The early decision deadline for this program is February 19, 2023. After that date, we will admit qualified applicants on a rolling basis until the program maximum is reached.



You are invited to ask your students to submit an application to this one-week, on-campus program that introduces a diverse population of students from different ethnic and social backgrounds to the traditional fields of engineering, including Chemical, Civil and Environmental, Computer and Electrical, and Mechanical Engineering. Students also will be introduced to unique aspects of Villanova's College of Engineering, which include international service learning, Sustainable Engineering and Engineering Entrepreneurship. Lectures and hands-on laboratory experiments are taught by Villanova engineering faculty, and daily guest speakers will bridge academia and industry.

In addition to this introduction to engineering, the NovaEdge program includes a presentation on the college admissions process.

Program Details:

- The 2023 Program Dates are July 8 – July 15.
- Participants stay on campus during this one-week summer program.
- Open to rising sophomores, juniors and senior high school students.
- The program cost is \$775 that includes room and board and can be paid in full once the student is selected into the program.
- Registration is not complete until required forms are received.
- If your student is selected, a deposit will be due to secure your student's spot in the program.
- Find more information and the application link on the [NovaEdge Program Information](#) site.
- If you have questions, contact Dr. Stephen Jones at s.jones@villanova.edu.

GUIDE YOUR STUDENTS TO PRE-COLLEGE



For more than 60 years, Syracuse University has been providing rising high school sophomores, juniors and seniors with the opportunity to explore potential majors and careers in its renowned pre-college programs.

In Summer College, your high school students can choose from over [100 college-level courses](#) offered on campus, online or in a hybrid format. As a Summer College student, they will:

- Build their resume or portfolio
- Enhance their college applications so they stand out to college admissions
- Test out a major
- Earn a Certificate of Completion and a Syracuse University credit or noncredit transcript

The scholarship deadline is March 1, 2023, and the final application deadline is May 1, 2023. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis and courses fill quickly, so please encourage your students to [apply soon!](#)

Feel free to reach out if you have any questions by phone 315.443.5000 or [email](#). We're happy to connect with you or your students to guide them along their pre-college journeys!

-The Pre-College Team

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Marywood University is offering two new exciting opportunities for students interested in dual enrollment programs.

Beginning this summer, Marywood's Momentum dual enrollment program is offering all courses at a newly reduced rate of \$95 per credit. This includes summer, fall, and spring semester courses.

Marywood is also awarding a fully paid scholarship for one summer course to seven students enrolled in the Momentum program. Students will only be responsible for the \$80 registration fee and books. This summer course will be offered June 12 through July 15, 2023. Many summer courses are conveniently offered online.

This scholarship is only available for public school students and will be offered to the first seven students who [apply](#) and qualify. In order to qualify, students must be a rising junior or senior in high school and have a 3.0 GPA or higher.

For more information, please contact Eddie Perry, Senior Admissions Counselor at edperry@marywood.edu or 570-348-6234, extension 2498.

Marywood's Momentum program provides qualified high school students with the opportunity to earn college credits while completing requirements for high school graduation. Students choose from a wide variety of courses during the summer, fall, and spring semesters. Dual enrollment courses use the same curriculum, assessments, and instructional materials as other college-level courses.

- Earn college credits
- Save money on tuition
- Gain advanced standing in college through transfer of credits
- Use credits to fulfill high school graduation requirements
- Experience academic challenges

IS A CAREER AS AN ORIENTATION & MOBILITY SPECIALIST RIGHT FOR YOU?



WHAT IS AN ORIENTATION & MOBILITY SPECIALIST (O&M)?

An O&M Specialist is a trained expert who specializes in working with individuals who are blind, have low vision, or who have visual limitations. An O&M Specialist assists individuals in achieving their life goals for education, employment, hobbies, and independence.

IF YOU HAD A CAREER AS AN O&M SPECIALIST, WHERE COULD YOU WORK?

You might work in a school, a home, or in the community.



IN A SCHOOL, you would:

- Teach students to travel safely and independently using strategies such as tactile map and long cane skills.
- Collaborate with professionals (for example, occupational and physical therapists) and family members to structure the environment to promote safe and independent travel.
- Assist students with recreational and physical education activities to promote inclusion with peers.



IN A HOME, you would:

- Motivate students to engage in purposeful movement to explore their environment.
- Help a family create routines that promote safe and independent exploration of a student's home environment.
- Co-create plans with families for independent travel across the home, school, and community.



IN THE COMMUNITY, you would:

- Assist a student in exploring a variety of modes of transportation, such as a bus or a train.
- Show a student how to use a smart phone, magnifier, telescope, or other technology to navigate public places, such as restaurants and grocery stores.
- Teach a student to cross busy streets to get to an after-school job or a friend's house.
- Help a student locate places and things in their environment, such as the bus stop or the coffee shop.

YOU MIGHT ENJOY THIS WORK IF YOU LIKE TO:

- Connect with others
- Explore new environments
- Build confidence in others
- Solve problems creatively
- Teach people to be as independent as possible
- Stay physically active. O&M Specialists are always on the move!

VOICES FROM THE FIELD: MEET A CERTIFIED O&M SPECIALIST (COMS)

“Every day, I get to engage in creative problem-solving in constantly changing environments. This ultimately leads to student independence.”

Autumn Booths, COMS
Capital Area IU 15

Scan the QR code to
watch the interview.



HOW TO BECOME AN ORIENTATION & MOBILITY (O&M) SPECIALIST IN PENNSYLVANIA:

1. Complete a bachelor's degree.
2. Enroll in a university program for three to four additional semesters, which includes a practicum/internship.
3. Take a test to earn a credential.
4. Apply for certification as a Certified Orientation and Mobility Specialist through the Academy for Certification of Vision Rehabilitation and Education Professionals (ACVREP).

Higher education opportunities in Pennsylvania for Orientation & Mobility Certification:

- Solus University, Blindness and Low Vision Studies Programs
Elkins Park, PA 19027
tinyurl.com/mrx88ujb
- University of Pittsburgh, Visual Impairment and Blindness Studies Programs
Pittsburgh, PA 15260
tinyurl.com/225epx84

Pennsylvania programs typically offer distance education classes, with in-person components, and offer grants and/or stipends for tuition.



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IS A CAREER AS A TEACHER OF STUDENTS WITH VISUAL IMPAIRMENTS RIGHT FOR YOU?



WHAT IS A TEACHER OF STUDENTS WITH VISUAL IMPAIRMENTS (TVI)?

A TVI is an expert who teaches students to explore the world by learning how to interpret what they hear, feel, and smell. A TVI works with educational teams to enhance students' learning by adapting activities and materials. They also interact with community services in support of students and their families.

WHERE COULD YOU WORK AS A TVI?

You might work in a school, a home, or in the community.



IN A SCHOOL, you would teach students to:

- Read and write braille.
- Use technology, such as a magnifier or laptop, to access classroom materials.
- Scan a bulletin board to locate important information, such as vocabulary words and schedules.
- Roleplay conversational skills to help them talk with friends.
- Interpret tactile maps and graphs.
- Advocate for their needs and accommodations.



IN A HOME, you would assist students with:

- Identifying sounds in their environment to know what is happening around them.
- Increasing literacy skills by adapting books for the student and the family to read.
- Improving independent living skills, such as how to organize clothing and prepare meals.



IN THE COMMUNITY, you would provide students with:

- Opportunities for recreational activities with peers, such as playing basketball with a friend.
- Access to after-school activities, such as robotics and swimming.
- Guidance on career options and suggestions for possible employment opportunities.
- Assistance in locating places and things in their environment, such as their school campus or a coffee shop.

YOU MIGHT ENJOY THIS CAREER FIELD IF YOU LIKE TO:

- Work with individuals of varying abilities and ages
- Work one-on-one with children
- Explore and use the latest technologies
- Collaborate with others
- Build close relationships with children and their families
- Travel to new places and have a variety of experiences from day-to-day

VOICES FROM THE FIELD: MEET A CERTIFIED TVI

“[Students who are blind] can do tons of things...and it's amazing when you see them actually do those things. To think you had the smallest piece in that is just incredible. It's a great feeling.”

Holly Russell
Western Pennsylvania
School for Blind Children

Scan the QR code to
watch the interview.



HOW TO BECOME A TVI IN PENNSYLVANIA:

The two most common pathways to becoming a TVI include:

- OPTION 1** — Pursue a Bachelor of Science degree in Special Education/Visual Impairment through Kutztown University. Kutztown is the only PA university to focus specifically on preparing teachers of the visually impaired.
- OPTION 2** — First, earn a Bachelor of Science degree in Education/Special Education from a college or university. Then, enroll in a graduate and certification program in Blindness and Visual Impairment through either Salus University or the University of Pittsburgh.

Grants and scholarships are often available for students interested in pursuing TVI certification.

University Preparation Programs Offering Certification as a Teacher of the Visually Impaired in Pennsylvania:

- Kutztown University, Department of Special Education
Kutztown, PA 19530
<https://www.kutztown.edu/academics/colleges-and-departments/education/departments/special-education/programs/bachelor-of-science-in-special-education-visual-impairment.html>
- Salus University, College of Education and Rehabilitation
Elkins Park, PA 19027
<http://www.salus.edu/Colleges/Education-Rehabilitation/Low-Vision-Rehabilitation-Programs.aspx>
- University of Pittsburgh, Vision Studies Program
Pittsburgh, PA 15260
<https://www.education.pitt.edu/academics/visual-impairment-and-blindness>



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Students are invited to join Wilkes University's **Air Force ROTC Open House**, on Thursday, March 30, from 3-6 p.m. Learn how AFROTC can help pay for college, develop your leadership skills, and launch your career!

The open house is geared toward high school students and college students with at least 3 years left of their degree program, as well as their families. In addition to Wilkes University, our detachment has students enrolled at many partner schools in the area including Bloomsburg University, East Stroudsburg University, King's College, Marywood University, Misericordia University, University of Scranton, Penn State (Hazleton, Scranton, Schuylkill, Wilkes-Barre), and Luzerne County Community College.

Here's the tentative schedule:

3:00 - 4:00 PM **Social Hour** - light refreshments will be provided

4:00 - 6:00 PM **Open House** - informational presentations, leadership activities with cadets, parent Q & A

Questions? We're happy to help. Call (570)408-4860 or email rotcdl@wilkes.edu.

Summer Camps 2023

Registration Now Open



Registration is now open for those Lacawac's Summer Day Camps



If you are a student considering a major in pharmacy, you can learn more at **RxExperience**, a four-day virtual camp, offered by Wilkes University's Nesbitt School of Pharmacy. The camp will be offered once a week, via Zoom on Wednesday evenings, March 15 to April 5.

High school students will get a behind-the-scenes look at pharmacy through educational sessions and fun, hands-on lab activities, all from the comfort of their own home! We'll send everything students need for lab activities and hands-on learning.

Additionally, high schoolers will learn how to prepare for and apply to the Nesbitt School of Pharmacy, get a glimpse at life as a pharmacy student at Wilkes and hear about the variety of rewarding career paths available to pharmacists.

Students can register now; space is limited!

You can use the following link to register: <https://apply.wilkes.edu/register/?id=5be45a59-d990-430b-a939-b7c289ac0ded>

Getting Started Camp Cadet

Camp Cadet is a summer camp for boys and girls from Pennsylvania between the ages of thirteen to fifteen. The camp is held at various locations throughout the State and staffed by Troopers, local police officer's and many other volunteers. The goal of Camp Cadet is to introduce participants to the diverse criminal justice system and establish a positive relationship with law enforcement personnel.



Camp Cadet is open to all youth and is structured similar to training at the police academy. All participants who attend camp cadet are addressed as "Cadet" during the week. Cadets are required to participate in all scheduled events. The camp focuses on discipline, self-esteem, teamwork, drug and alcohol education, violence prevention and many other issues facing today's youth.

Troop R (Lackawanna, Pike, Susquehanna, Wayne Counties)
Camp Cadet will be held **Sunday July 23, 2023 until Friday July 28, 2023.**

Please refer to our "[FAQ's Frequently Asked Questions](#)" Page before emailing or calling us as most all questions can be answered through this website. Thank You



The Camp Cadet Call of Honor is read to the Cadets when they first arrive at camp. As cadets, they are asked to memorize the Call of Honor during their week long stay. When they successfully repeat the Call of Honor by memory

to an instructor, they will then repeat the Call of Honor as a group at their graduation ceremony.



Link for more information: https://www.trooprcamp-cadet.org/?fbclid=IwAR1kyYvSvk_g0a2gsLqaPpLnG8ogi_YBww0E05Ub-mqBQ4uc8CC6AxCVoNz0



With students struggling to afford a degree, now is the crucial time to engage families and educate individuals about the variety of options to help them achieve the degree they aspire for. Our team at **AffordableColleges.com** recognized this need and curated a series of resources that delve into saving for college, financial aid and free tools, which can be of use to individuals seeking financial assistance for school. Take a look here:

529 Plan Guide:

<https://www.affordablecolleges.com/resources/college-savings-plans/>

Financial Aid Guide:

<https://www.affordablecolleges.com/resources/financial-aid-guide/>

SCHOLARSHIP WEBSITES

College Board: <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college/scholarship-directory>

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

Finaid: <http://www.finaid.org/>

I'm First: <http://www.imfirst.org/>

Unigo: <https://www.unigo.com>

Scholarship America: <https://scholarshipamerica.org/students/browse-scholarships>

Student Scholarships: <https://studentscholarships.org>

College Xpress: www.collegexpress.com

Free Scholarship Search: <https://www.salliemae.com/college-planning/tools/scholarship-search>

Scholarships.com: www.niche.com/colleges/scholarships

*****Deadlines vary and new scholarships can pop up at any time!**



GUARD SCHOLARSHIPS

The high price of tuition doesn't have to stand in the way of a great education. The Army National Guard provides financial assistance to students who wish to attend college and enlist in the Guard, with two major scholarships for full-time students: the Dedicated Army National Guard (DEDNG) scholarship and the Guaranteed Reserve Forces Duty (GRFD) contract.

To receive one of these scholarships, you must be involved in the Simultaneous Membership Program (SMP) with a National Guard unit while in school and have a letter of acceptance from a local Guard unit stating that they will accept you in an SMP status. Following graduation, cadets begin a new Military Service Obligation (MSO) contract and serve eight years in the Guard, which includes training.

DEDICATED ARMY NATIONAL GUARD (DEDNG) SCHOLARSHIP

The DEDNG scholarship is available for up to four years but does not allow simultaneous use with the Chapter 1606/MGIB-SR or Chapter 1607/REAP GI Bills. Recipients receive full tuition or full room and board (flat rate of \$10,000 per year), plus up to \$1,200 for books, and are paid a monthly stipend of \$420 for 10 months each year. In addition to a monthly allowance, they can also receive the drill pay of a sergeant, approximately \$319 per month, when they participate in the SMP.

GUARANTEED RESERVE FORCES DUTY (GRFD) SCHOLARSHIP

The GRFD scholarship is mainly for students entering their junior year of college. GRFD scholarships are available for up to two years and allow simultaneous use with the Chapter 1606/MGIB-SR or Chapter 1607/REAP GI Bills.

GRFD recipients (dedicated or not) can choose either full tuition and fees or room and board (flat rate of \$10,000 per year) and receive \$1,200 for books. They are given an ROTC allowance for 10 months of the year at \$420 per month. As a member of the Guard, they will also receive drill pay.

If eligible for Chapter 1606 Montgomery GI Bill (MGIB), the student may qualify for an additional \$350 per month MGIB SMP kicker.

MINUTEMAN (MM) SCHOLARSHIP

Minuteman Scholarships can be either two-year GRFD scholarships or DEDNG-GRFD scholarships that cover up to four years. They guarantee that Cadets who commission as Army officers will serve in the Guard. A Minuteman Scholarship requires a nomination letter as part of the scholarship packet and offers either full tuition and mandatory fees or a room and board flat rate of \$10,000 per year, covering up to four years (or eight semesters) of benefits. Minuteman Scholarship recipients also receive a \$1,200 annual book allowance and a monthly stipend of \$420 for 10 months of the academic year. Minuteman Scholarship Cadets must participate in the SMP while attending college, so they will also receive pay for attending a drill one weekend per month and a two-week annual training in a local Guard unit. In return for these scholarship benefits, a Minuteman Cadet will serve as a Commissioned Officer in the Guard in a drilling status for eight years after graduation.

Minuteman Scholarship Cadets can be nominated from any State Adjutant General (TAG) or any Civilian Aid to the Secretary of the Army (CASA) in lengths of two years, up to four years, for a scholarship. These scholarships are limited each year, and applications require a nomination memo with a handwritten signature from the nomination source. For more specific information and to learn how to apply, follow this link: <https://www.cadetcommand.army.mil/arng.aspx>

REQUIREMENTS

In order to qualify for these scholarships, you must:

- Be a U.S. citizen
- Be accepted to a college/university with an ROTC program
- Have a 2.5 cumulative GPA and maintain a 2.0
- As an incoming freshman, have a minimum 19 ACT or 1000 SAT to qualify for the four-year Minuteman Scholarship
- Be under 31 years of age for the entire year of commissioning
- Be a full-time student
- Complete the ROTC Basic Course requirements or Basic Combat Training
- Be medically and morally qualified

Western Wayne High School Guidance

Scholarships 2023-24

April Issue

Scholarship	Criteria	Due Date	Application Location
Wayne Conservation District Perry/Westgate Memorial Scholarship	<p>Contest is open to any student entering a 2- or 4-year college under an agricultural, conservation, or environmentally oriented college curriculum. If there are any questions regarding the curriculum you plan to study, contact the office. Some examples would be Animal Husbandry, Agricultural Engineering, Aquatic Biology, Soil Sciences, Parks and Recreation, Forest Sciences, Agronomy, Wildlife Biology, etc.</p> <p>STUDENT MUST BE ENTERING FIRST YEAR OF COLLEGE IN CURRENT YEAR.</p> <p>The contest is open to Wayne County students only.</p> <p>There is no discrimination to race or sex.</p>	April 6, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Albert O' Miller, Dorothy Tozer Miller, and Savona Commandry #89 Scholarship Fund	The Albert O' Miller, Dorothy Tozer Miller, and Savona Commandry #89 Scholarship was established by the last will and testament of Dorothy Tozer Miller. The Millers understood and advocated the primary Masonic ideals of education, worship, and charity. The Scholarship was created	April 7, 2023 (no later than 4pm).	See Guidance for details.

	to promote educational enlightenment for the youth in Wayne County, PA. For more information on criteria for this scholarship, please see guidance.		
The Road to Safety Scholarship Contest	<p>The Road to Safety Scholarship Contest provides Pennsylvania high school seniors with the opportunity to submit a creative project about the dangers of drunk driving or distracted driving for the chance to win college scholarship money. The ultimate goal of the contest is to help spread the message to drive with safety in mind all the time!</p> <p>First place winners will receive a \$1,000 scholarship, second place winners will receive \$750 and third place winners will receive \$500.</p>	April 7, 2023	https://www.lockheedmartin.com/en-us/who-we-are/communities/stem-education/lm-scholarship-program.html
Wayne Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Scholarship	Scholarship is for a deserving high school senior, pursuing a career in nursing and living in the Wayne Memorial Hospital Vicinity.	April 10, 2023	See Guidance for details.
EverGreen Elementary PTA Annual Scholarship	<p>Awarded To: Two (2) scholarships will be awarded to two (2) Western Wayne High School Seniors. The selected graduates must have attended EverGreen Elementary for a minimum of two (2) years.</p> <p>Purpose: To continue his or her education after high school at a college, junior college, trade, or business school.</p>	April 12, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Lackawaxen River Conservancy Scholarship	<p>The Lackawaxen River Conservancy Scholarship is open to all college-bound twelfth-grade students who:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> attend school in the Lackawaxen Watershed. (The high schools in the Lackawaxen Watershed are Honesdale H. S., 	April 12, 2023	<p>https://lackawaxen-river.org/mission-goals/the-lackawaxen-river-conservancy-scholarship/</p> <p>or</p> <p>See Guidance for details.</p>

	<p>Wallenpaupack Area H.S., Western Wayne H. S., and Canaan Christian Academy H. S.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • intend to pursue a career supporting environmental conservation • plan to major in college in a subject area that will lead to the achievement of this career goal. <p>The amount of the award is \$500.</p>		
Ray A. Krok Youth Achievement Award Scholarship	<p>The recipient is a student who has earned the respect of both his and/or her peers and teachers and has excelled in a variety of areas. The award was created to honor students who are well rounded; not necessarily those typically identified as recipients of sports or scholarship awards. Students will be evaluated and chosen by school administrators and teachers. When measuring these characteristics in potential recipients, they will consider the following key achievement areas:</p> <p>Citizenship: Demonstrates community service through volunteer work with a social organization, civic group, church, etc.</p> <p>Leadership: Recognized as a leader among peers and school staff in a position of authority within school or community (i.e.: student government, school-sanctioned clubs or outside organizations).</p> <p>Scholarship: Maintains consistent and/or improved academic performance.</p>	April 12, 2023	See Guidance for details.

	<p>Sportsmanship: Displays characteristics of good sportsmanship as a team player in every sense of the word-not necessarily through participation in or support of school's athletic teams.</p>		
Robert D. Wilson PTA Annual Scholarship	<p>Awarded To: Two (2) scholarships will be awarded to two (2) Western Wayne High School Seniors. The selected graduates must have attended Robert D. Wilson Elementary for a minimum of two (2) years.</p> <p>Purpose: To continue his or her education after high school at a college, junior college, trade, or business school.</p>	April 12, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Human Resource Foundation Scholarship	<p>HRF offers three \$1,000 scholarships to eligible high school seniors and one \$1,000 scholarship to an adult learner either entering college for the first time or returning to college to embark on a career change.</p> <p>Eligible students/learners will reside in Wayne, Pike, or Monroe County. He/she will be planning to pursue a career in Human Services, Social Work, or Special Education. Preference will be given to individuals who are looking to pursue human, social, educational, or health/clinical career paths working directly with individuals with disabilities.</p>	April 15, 2023	https://www.hrfnepa.org/scholarships
Betty Phillips Nursing Scholarship	Open to graduating seniors who will be looking to pursue a career in Nursing.	April 18, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Waymart Lions Scholarship	Open to seniors who be looking to further their education.	April 18, 2023	See Guidance for details.

<p>Georges Lieber Essay Contest on Resistance</p>	<p>In 3,000 words, you are encouraged to raise questions, single out issues, and identify dilemmas involving resistance. Essays may be written in the formal or informal tone, but most importantly, an individual voice should be evident. The essay should be developed from your point of view and may be biographical, historical, literary, philosophical, psychological, sociological or theological. It must be the original, unpublished work of one student. Only one essay per student per year may be submitted. It must have a title and must be written in English. Essay should be titled, typed in 12-point font easily readable font (such as Times New Roman), double-spaced with 1" margins and numbered pages. Submissions will be judged anonymously, by the Gettysburg College Jewish Studies Committee.</p> <p>Email your essay, with "Georges Lieber" as the subject, to the Jewish Studies Committee at Gettysburg College:</p> <p>gettysburgcollegejewishstudies@gmail.com</p>	<p>April 19, 2023</p>	<p>See Guidance for details.</p>
<p>American Legion Post Scholarship</p>	<p>The American Legion Post Scholarship is available for students that have a relative (Parent, Grandparent, sibling, aunt or uncle) (hereafter known as the Sponsor) who is a member of the Waymart American Legion (If sponsor is deceased, please indicate so when you list his/her name as well as date of death). In any case, the Post member must have paid his/her dues for this current year 2023 (exception is for sponsor who is deceased).</p>	<p>April 21, 2023</p>	<p>See Guidance for details.</p>

Gary R. Brown Environmental Scholarship	<p>The Gary R. Brown Environmental Scholarship was created to honor the professional legacy of the late Gary Brown. The scholarship has been awarded annually since 2021 to students from Pennsylvania and New Jersey pursuing a degree in the field of Environmental Sciences or Environmental Engineering.</p> <p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 and currently be enrolled in a regionally accredited college or university. • Applicants must be pursuing a degree in the field of Environmental Science or Environmental Engineering. <p>Submission Guidelines: Applicants must submit the following to be considered:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Completed application 2. A total of four essays as noted in the scholarship application. 3. Two letters of recommendation (Recommendations may come from teachers, coaches, counselors, community service organizations, or employers. Letters of recommendation from family members do not qualify.) 4. High school transcript 5. College transcript (if applicable) 	April 21, 2023 (no later than 4pm)	See Guidance for details.
LHTC Broadband Scholarship	<p>The Laurel Highland Total Communication Broadband Scholarship is an award of \$1500.00. There will be will two scholarships awarded this year. In order to apply for this scholarship, a form must be completed. This form can be found in the guidance office.</p>	April 21, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Catherine Collins Memorial	<p>This scholarship is offered in memory of Catherine A. Collins. Catherine served as a professor of</p>	April 28, 2023	See Guidance for details.

Nursing Scholarship	nursing for Luzerne County Community College's Wayne County Campus. She spent the majority of her career as a nurse in the Emergency Department of Wayne Memorial Hospital. Catherine believed in the importance of education having earned her BSN, CEN, and MSN during her career. It was her greatest wish that she would have the ability to provide educational opportunities for students in the local area wishing to pursue a career in nursing. The applicant's resume should reflect Catherine's positive attitude, work ethic, community service, faith, and belief that exemplary nursing care should be available and accessible to all.		
Ellis Collins Memorial Scholarship	A senior looking to further their education with an emphasis on community service.	April 28, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Elm Tree Physical Therapy Scholarship	Scholarship is for a deserving high school senior, pursuing a career in Physical Therapy.	April 28, 2023	See Guidance for details.
School Counselors of NEPA Scholarship	This \$500 scholarship is awarded to one graduating senior every year. Please note that one of the requirements is a letter of recommendation from their currently assigned school counselor, who <u>must be an active member of SCs of NEPA as of February 10th, 2023.</u>	April 28, 2023 at 3:00 PM	https://form.jot-form.com/230585890405157
Northeast Pennsylvania Audubon Society Scholarship	This college scholarship is open to all high school seniors in Lackawanna, Susquehanna, Wayne and Pike Counties of Pennsylvania who will be attending a two or four-year college full time and majoring in one of the following curricula: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Forestry • Natural Resources • Environmental Planning 	April 30, 2023	http://www.nepaaudubon.org/about/scholarships/

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environmental Engineering • Fish, Game, or Wildlife Management • Ecology and/or Environmental Studies <p>The scholarship is awarded in increments of \$1,000 per year for each year of the degree program.</p>		
Northern Tier Hardwood Association Scholarship	The Northern Tier Hardwood Association (NTHA) of Pennsylvania is offering one \$1500 scholarship to a student majoring in forest management, forest products, or a closely related field. Students should be current students at a two or four-year college or university. In order to apply a student needs to have graduated from a high school and have lived in one of the following counties in Pennsylvania: Bradford, Sullivan, Susquehanna, Tioga, Wyoming, Luzerne, Lackawanna, Wayne or Pike, or are student members of NTHA.	April 30, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Adult Continuing Education Marshall Scholarship	The John E. and Marjorie L. Marshall Scholarship awards scholarships up to \$2,000 per person, per year to Wayne County, Pennsylvania residents of any age, who are pursuing training in the fields of Diesel Power Technology; Heavy Equipment Technology and Repair and other related Agricultural/Construction Equipment Repair courses of study. Applicants pursuing programs in Agricultural Sciences or Agri-Business (2- or 4-year programs) may also be considered. Financial need will be a consideration for award.	May 1, 2023	https://www.waynefoundation.org/ .
Jennifer Killam Memorial Scholarship	The Jennifer Killam Memorial Scholarship is for the amount of \$1,500.00. No transcript is required in order to apply for this scholarship.	May 1, 2023	See Guidance for details.

	In order to apply, the application must be filled out. For more information or to receive a copy of the application, students can visit the guidance office.		
Jeremy J. Hiller Scholarship	Open to graduating seniors who will attend either college or technical school programs.	May 1, 2023	https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLS-eNdw0hCrO7Ypi-arcz54SxuUSAPTJdHRI3yagier9m1AhU_rw/viewform
John P. & Elizabeth Knash Memorial Scholarship	Graduating senior, residing in Wayne County, PA and looking to further their education in the field of horticulture/floral design, or a related field such as agriculture, agribusiness, etc.	May 1, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Disabled American Veterans (DAV) Chapter 114 Scholarship	The Disabled American Veterans (DAV) Chapter 114 Scholarship is available for students who have a parent/grandparent that was disabled in some way in connection with military service. Discharge paperwork, Veteran Administration proof, etc. are not required for the application. The amount of the award is \$500.	May 2, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Cherry Ridge Experimental Aircraft Association Scholarship	The Cherry Ridge Chapter 283 of The Experimental Aircraft Association is offering a scholarship exclusively to a high school senior who is planning on attending a two- or four-year college in the fall of 2023 and pursuing a major in general aviation, aerospace design, aircraft mechanic training, aeronautical, and mechanical engineering, or pilot training towards commercial flying.	May 5, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Eric Enslin Memorial Scholarship	The Eric Enslin Memorial Scholarship is available for students pursuing a career working with children with disabilities. Applications for the scholarship are available in guidance.	May 5, 2023	See Guidance for details.

Kelly Sledzinski Memorial Scholarship	A graduating senior of Western Wayne High School, who will be furthering their education.	May 5, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Waymart Lodge 542 Masonic Scholarship	Open to seniors furthering their education after graduation	May 5, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Western Wayne Science Scholarship	The Science Scholarship is awarded to a graduating Western Wayne senior that demonstrates academic excellence, as well as community involvement or extracurricular science activities. Eligibility is limited to graduating seniors planning to attend a four- year college/university. The recipient of the scholarship will be notified on Senior Night.	May 12, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Andrew Mazza Diesel Jam Scholarship	A graduating senior of Western Wayne School District, who will be attending a Trade School.	May 15, 2023	See Guidance for details.

Erin's Fund Scholarship	<p>This \$1000 scholarship was established by the Erin Jessica Moreken Drug & Alcohol Treatment Fund, Inc. in 2014. It was created to assist a graduating senior who has a financial need and is scheduled to graduate in June of the current school year. Criteria for eligibility has been determined as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Candidate must be a High School Senior from a local high school. • Candidate must have all requirements necessary to graduate in June 2023. • Candidate and/or immediate family member have or have had drug/alcohol issues (also known as Substance Use Disorder), and the candidate has succeeded despite this dysfunction within the family. Candidates who themselves are in recovery must have at least one year sobriety, have a sponsor, and be a member of a support program. • Candidate must have been accepted into a post high school program, with plans to further his/her education/career before funds are disbursed. Post high school acceptance letter must accompany application. 	May 15, 2023	See Guidance for details.
Thorpe Merit Scholarship	The Thorpe Merit Scholarship is a \$500 award given to a graduating Western Wayne senior that demonstrates academic excellence as well as community involvement and/or extracurricular activities. Eligibility is	May 19, 2023	See Guidance for details.

	limited to graduating seniors planning on attending a two- or four-year college/university. The recipient of the scholarship will be notified by June 2nd.		
Discover Nursing	Open to seniors pursuing the field of nursing. Many different scholarships available.	Check website for deadlines	http://www.discovernursing.com/scholarships#levels=high-school
Pennsylvania American Legion Scholarships	Many different scholarships are available.	Check website for deadlines	https://pa-legion.com/programs/student-and-youth/scholarships-program/
Army National Guard Scholarships	Multiple scholarships are available.	Check website for deadlines.	Army National Guard - Guard Scholarships

