

# College Scholarships & Resources



## *Cancer for College*

- [cancerforcollege.org](http://cancerforcollege.org)
- Cancer for College makes the dream of a college education a reality for cancer survivors by providing scholarship opportunities.
- **Deadline: January 31, 2021**

## *Scholarships.com*

- [scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-type/cancer-scholarships](http://scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-type/cancer-scholarships)
- Scholarships.com provides links to groups that offer scholarships to cancer survivors and their family.

## *College is Possible*

- [collegepossible.org](http://collegepossible.org)
- College Possible is making college admission and success possible for low income students through an intensive curriculum of coaching and support.

## *Cancer Scholarship Opportunities (Not Disease Specific)*

### **Kids Cancer Alliance**

- [kidscanceralliance.org/our-programs/financial-support](http://kidscanceralliance.org/our-programs/financial-support) Applicant must have or have had cancer AND have attended Indian Summer Camp
- **Deadline: April 1, 2021**

### **Patient Advocate Foundation**

- [patientadvocate.org/connect-with-services/apply-for-a-scholarship](http://patientadvocate.org/connect-with-services/apply-for-a-scholarship)
- The purpose of this scholarship program is to provide support to individuals that are legal residents of the United States of America, under the age of 25, who have been diagnosed with or treated for cancer, a chronic, or life threatening debilitating disease within the past five years.
- **Deadline: March 1, 2021**

## The Ulman Cancer Fund Scholarships for Young Adults

- [ulmanfund.org/scholarships](http://ulmanfund.org/scholarships)
- The Ulman Cancer Fund for Young Adults offers numerous scholarship opportunities. Applicants only need to submit one application to be considered for all of the scholarships for which they are eligible.
- Each scholarship winner is obligated to organize and run a bone marrow registry drive with the support of Delete Blood Cancer and There Goes My Hero.
- **Deadline: March 1, 2021**

## Cancer Survivor's Fund

- [cancersurvivorsfund.org](http://cancersurvivorsfund.org)
- The Fund awards four levels of scholarships to make college education more affordable for young cancer survivors.
- **Opens February 3, 2021**

## Brian Morden Memorial Scholarship

- [brianmordenfoundation.org](http://brianmordenfoundation.org)
- Applicants should be US citizens and a high school graduate as of the summer 2017. Their high education course of study should include either music, some aspect of technology, or medicine.
- **Deadline: March 16, 2021**

## NCCF Scholarship Program

- [collegiatecancer.org/scholarships/](http://collegiatecancer.org/scholarships/)
- The National Collegiate Cancer Foundation was established to provide services and support to young adults whose lives have been impacted by cancer and who have continued with their education throughout treatment or after their treatment.
- **Opens mid- March 2021**

### **The Mesothelioma Cancer Alliance Scholarship**

- [mesothelioma.com/scholarship/](http://mesothelioma.com/scholarship/)
- The purpose of this scholarship is to provide financial assistance for college to those who have battled cancer at any point in their lives or a parent, sibling, or immediate family member of a person that has battled cancer.
- NOT limited to Mesothelioma Diagnosis
- **Deadline: March 31, 2021**

### **Beyond the Cure Ambassador Scholarship Program**

- [thenccs.org/scholarship](http://thenccs.org/scholarship)
- The Beyond the Cure Ambassador Scholarship Program awards college scholarships to childhood cancer survivors who have demonstrated the ability to overcome the difficult challenges of cancer with determination and motivation.
- **Deadline: March 31, 2021**

### **Izzy Foundation Scholarship Program**

- [theizzyfoundation.org](http://theizzyfoundation.org)
- The Izzy Foundation Scholarship Program is open to childhood cancer survivors and their siblings. The Program supports post-secondary academic endeavors and recognizes the personal triumphs of exemplary students who have survived the childhood cancer journey. Students may be in any year of their studies provided that they are enrolled in a school for the 2018 term
- **Opens March 1, 2021**

### **Northwestern Mutual's Childhood Cancer Survivor Scholarship**

- [www.scholarsapply.org/nmsurvivors](http://www.scholarsapply.org/nmsurvivors)
- Program gives survivors of childhood cancer the opportunity to continue their education and pursue their college dreams.
- Also available for siblings of survivors. To apply, go to:  
<https://www.scholarsapply.org/nmsibling/>
- **Deadline: Feb. 1, 2021**

## SurvivorVision Textbook Scholarship

- [survivorvision.org](http://survivorvision.org)
- SurvivorVision® is a Textbook Scholarship Program. This initiative is specifically geared towards pediatric cancer patient/survivors. The hope is to empower cancer patients/survivors to live the best life possible after cancer. This scholarship will help young cancer survivors obtain a college education and attain their personal, professional and educational goals.
- **Deadline:** June 1, 2021

## The Lexington Chapter of Association of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology Nurses Scholarship

- The Lexington Chapter of APHON Survivor Scholarship was established to support cancer survivors treated at Kentucky Children's Hospital (KCH) and assist them in pursuing their academic and professional goals. (see attached application)  
**Deadline:** April 30, 2021

## Kids for Kids with Cancer

- [kids4kidswithcancer.org](http://kids4kidswithcancer.org)
- Kids 4 Kids With Cancer was started by four friends who wanted to make a difference. Their main mission: educational support for childhood cancer survivors.
- **Deadline:** February 1, 2021

## Children's Cancer Cause

- [childrenscancercause.org](http://childrenscancercause.org)
- Children's Cancer Cause is again offering an opportunity for two childhood cancer survivors to gain valuable cancer advocacy experience. Award recipients will receive a scholarship of \$2,000 via our College Scholars Program
- **Deadline:** March 15, 2021

### Bristol-Meyers Squibb Scholarship for Cancer Survivors

- <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/cancer-survivors/>
- Be cancer survivors\*, age 25 and under, who are high school seniors or graduates or current post-secondary undergraduates.
- Plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school for the entire upcoming academic year.
- Have a minimum grade point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale (or the equivalent).
- **Deadline: April 2021**

### Cancer Unwrapped Teen Writing Contest

- <https://cancerpathways.org/programs/cancer-unwrapped/>
- Open to students in the United States in grades 9-12
- Essay length must range between 500-1,000 words
- The contest deadline is March 14th, 2021, midnight PST
- **Cash prizes of \$1,000 will be awarded to the winners.**
- **Deadline March 14, 2021**

### Paul Bernot Memorial Foundation Scholarship

- [paulbernotfoundation.org/scholarship](http://paulbernotfoundation.org/scholarship)
- Applicants must submit Physician Verification form for proof of current or prior diagnosis/treatment for cancer.
- Applicants must be completing or have completed high school successfully with a minimum unweighted GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
- Applicants must complete an essay (up to 500 words): "How I will represent and carry out the mission of the Foundation: to empower athletes impacted by cancer to pursue their passions."
- **Deadline May, 2021**

### Pediatric Cancer Research Foundation (PCRF) Scholarship

- <https://pcrf-kids.org/pcrf-scholarship/>

- Be graduating high school seniors, community college students or 4-year university students who have been treated for pediatric cancer. If awarded, a note from the treating doctor must be supplied to certify that the applicant has been in treatment.
- Be students who are enrolled full time for the upcoming term.
- Have a minimum 2.5 GPA.
- **Deadline March 31, 2021**

### SOAR to College

- <https://www.soarabove.co/scholarship>
- Financial Need
- Academic Readiness/Potential
- Experience and Growth with Cancer : Our scholarship does not account for the severity of cancer, because each person's case can be extremely different. Rather, we focus on the experience and growth the patient had and how it impacts his/her future in a positive way.
- **Deadline January 30, 2021**

### The Cure Cancer Support Scholarship

- [www.raise.me/scholarship/names/cure\\_cancer\\_support\\_scholarship](http://www.raise.me/scholarship/names/cure_cancer_support_scholarship)
- The CURE - Cancer Support Scholarship was created by the Lep Foundation for Youth Education for students diagnosed with cancer. The scholarship will be awarded to a qualified individual seeking to further their education by attending college. The amount of the scholarship is \$5,000.
- **Deadline: June 1, 2021**



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