

2020 GCPS Foundation Fund scholarship recipients:

Alton C. Crews Educator Scholarships

A one-time award of \$1,000 sponsored by the GCPS Foundation to a student who has exhibited good character and leadership skills, and has maintained a 3.0 GPA and has a desire to enter the teaching profession.

- Sarah Elizabeth McHan, Parkview, [Georgia Southern University](#)

Atlanta Gladiators Aim High Scholarship

Sponsored by the Atlanta Gladiators \$1,000 will be presented to one or more Gwinnett County Public Schools high school graduating senior(s) with a desire to pursue a profession in the sports medicine, sports management, entertainment, event planning, or similarly related career and with plans to enroll in an accredited college or university for fall 2020.

- Aude-Ellen Sarah Nangle, Central Gwinnett, [Georgia Gwinnett College](#)

Beauty P. Baldwin Scholarship

This \$1,000 Scholarship is awarded to seniors of African-American descent (male or female), must already be accepted to an accredited four-year college or university, and possess leadership potential and discernible good character, and demonstrate superior scholastic achievement (minimum 3.0 GPA)

- Jenise Bowling Collins Hill High School, [Georgia Institute of Technology](#)
- Alexis Perry North Gwinnett High School, [University of Georgia](#)
- Jhordan E. Buckley North Gwinnett High School
- Jazara Nelson Grayson High School, [Rice University](#)
- Chris Tomno K. Cheronon Grayson High School, [Georgia Institute of Technology](#)
- Jaylen Drummond Dacula High School, [Georgia Institute of Technology](#)
- Isabella Jackson Brookwood High School
- Kamahl Grant Grayson High School, [Morehouse College](#)
- Meaghan Lewis North Gwinnett High School
- Sydney McMillan Mudd Parkview High School, [Georgia Institute of Technology](#)
- Lauren Walcott Peachtree Ridge High School, [Norwestern University](#)
- Lauren Edwards Peachtree Ridge High School, [Kennesaw State University](#)
- Danielle Ingram Parkview High School
- Oluwabukunmi Kehinde Archer High School, [University of North Georgia](#)
- Ashanti Robinson Mill Creek High School, [Georgia Southern University](#)
- Debora Blay Dacula High School, [Kennesaw State University](#)
- Morgan Frye North Gwinnett High School
- Kayla Brown North Gwinnett High School
- Carlos Malik Thompson Parkview High School

Beth Rihm Global Language Scholarship

Amount of (\$1,000) to student(s) that have demonstrated a proficiency in a spoken foreign language and is seeking to deepen fluency through cultural emersion or extracurricular study. One scholarship for a recipient from Brookwood High School, the second open to applicants throughout the district.

- Reese Emily Saddler, Brookwood

Jody Reeves Career & Technology Education Scholarship

The Career and Technical Education (CTE) Student of the Year Banquet is an annual, district-wide event that recognizes the top CTE students in Gwinnett County.

Students must submit an application along with a resume and essay, and a panel of judges interviews students. The top three students will receive the Jody Reeves CTE Scholarship.

- Mya Marie Swaby, \$750, Brookwood
- Mario Miguel Nieto, \$1,000, Norcross
- Shreya Reddy Kuturu, \$1,500, North Gwinnett

Community-Based Mentoring Scholarship

This \$1,000 scholarship is awarded to participants in the program who have distinguished themselves academically and as examples for others.

- Devon Demont Jackson, South Gwinnett
- Peter Lamont Lauderdale Jr., Mill Creek
- Asenso Osei Mensah, Central Gwinnett

Courtney S. Blair Women in Business Scholarship

This is a one-time award of \$1000 to a senior at Shiloh High School who is in the top 10% of her class who is interested in pursuing a career in Business or Entrepreneurship.

- Damilola Osinibi, Shiloh, [University of Georgia](#)

Courtney S. Blair Outstanding Excellence in Athletics and Academics Scholarship

The Scholarship is a one-time award of \$1000 to a senior(s) who are in the top 1% of his or her class who letters in two or more varsity sports.

- Kelsey Watkins, Parkview, [Georgia Institute of Technology](#)

Courtney S. Blair Student Leadership Scholarship

The Scholarship is a one-time award of \$1000 to a GCPS student leader who is in the top 5% of his or her class, who has overcome significant adversity and demonstrates financial need in attending the college of their choice.

- Shawna Kalladanthiyil, Mountain View, [Georgia Institute of Technology](#)
- Miriam Martinez, Shiloh, [Cornell University](#)
- Alykhan Pirani, Parkview, [Columbia University](#)

Dr. Janice L. Calkins Speech Language Pathology Scholarship

This scholarship is a **one-time** award of **\$1,500** to GCPS graduating senior seeking to complete a degree in speech language pathology from a college or university accredited by the Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech Language Pathology (CAA) of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association.

- Autumn Mitchom, Grayson

GCPS Foundation Mathematics Scholarship

A one-time award of **\$1,500** to a GCPS graduating senior with financial need and an interest in a post-secondary mathematics related field.

- Simran Kaur, Mountain View

GCPS Multicultural Scholarship

Established in 2015 and co-sponsored by the Gwinnett Multicultural Advisory Committee and the Foundation. This **\$1,000** scholarship is awarded to one or more seniors of Hispanic, African American, Asian/Pacific Islander, or other minority origin, who has demonstrated a commitment to community service.

- Shamel Basaria, GSMST, [Vanderbilt University](#)

GCPS Foundation STEM Scholarship

The one time award of **\$1,500** will be presented to a GCPS graduating senior with plans to enroll full-time in an undergraduate course of study in science, technology, engineering, or math.

- Michelle Therese Seeler, Mountain View, [Georgia Institute of Technology](#)
- Georgia Rose Whitmer, Norcross

GCPS Foundation Science, Engineering and Technology Scholarship

In recognition of outstanding performance at the regional level, a one-time award of **\$1,000** will be presented to a GCPS senior with plans to enroll full-time at the post-secondary level in a course of study in science, technology, engineering, or math. One or more recipients may be named. No application necessary.

- Kelsey Watkins, Parkview, [Georgia Institute of Technology](#)
- Alexander Yang Hong, Brookwood
- Anna Andrews, Lanier
- Shamel Basaria- GSMST
- Arnav Jain- GSMST

Georgia United Credit Union 2020 Young Leaders Scholarship

A one-time award of **\$2,000** will be presented to a graduating female that has distinguished herself as a community volunteer, entrepreneur, or school leader with results that make the community a better place for all. Up to five recipients may be named pending qualified applicants.

- Amen Hasset Gashaw, Brookwood, [Harvard College](#)
- Alice Vivian Ao, Peachtree Ridge
- Hafsa Wadood, GSMST

- Ananya Munish Kumar, GSMST
- Claire Elizabeth Mistretta, Grayson, [University of Georgia](#)

J. Alvin Wilbanks Educator Scholarships

A one-time award of **\$2,000** co-sponsored by Peach State Federal Credit Union and the GCPS Foundation to a student who has exhibited good character and leadership skills, and has maintained a 3.0 GPA and has a desire to enter the teaching profession.

- Estela Chavez, Central Gwinnett, GCPSFF, [Oglethorpe University](#)
- Caitlyn Hope Petmecky, Parkview, PCFCU, [Berry College](#)

Jim Maran Scholarship for STEM Studies

The **\$1,000** Jim Maran Scholarship for STEM studies will be awarded to one Gwinnett County Public Schools high school senior graduating with plans to enroll full-time in an under graduate course of study in science, technology, engineering, or math.

- Hafsa Wadood, GSMST

Lou Ann Caldwell Memorial Scholarship

A **one-time** award of **\$1,000** sponsored by the GCPS Foundation will be presented to two graduating seniors from GCPS.

- Kai Ashli Elaine Pope, Grayson

Louise Radloff Scholarship

A one-time award of **\$2,000** co-sponsored by Peach State Federal Credit Union and the GCPS Foundation to a student exhibiting good character and having overcome a significant challenge to meet the requirements of graduation.

- Riley Sinclair White, Mountain View, GCPSFF
- Kristen Leilani Woods, Mountain View, PSFCU, [The University of North Carolina at Greensboro](#)

Mark A. Herndon Mathematics, Science, Technology Scholarship

A **one-time** award of **\$1,500** will be presented to a GCPS high school graduating senior with plans to enroll full-time in an undergraduate course of study in mathematics, science, or technology preferably at (but not limited to) the University of Georgia.

- Chioma Nwogor, Central Gwinnett, [University of Georgia](#)

Rev. In Soo Jung Scholarship

A **one-time** award of **\$1,000** will be presented to one or more GCPS high school graduating senior(s) (priority to be given to Asian Christian Males) with plans to enroll full-time in an undergraduate course of study at an accredited college or university.

- Alexander Hong, Brookwood

Teaching as a Profession Scholarship

This \$500 scholarship is awarded to seniors enrolled in the Early Childhood Education and Teaching as a Profession programs who are planning to pursue education degrees in college. Sponsored by the Foundation.

- Sheriden Barrett McClurg, North Gwinnett, [Clemson University](#)
- Mallory Gail King, Grayson, [University of North Georgia](#)
- Jocelyn Idetth Rodriguez, Berkmar
- Feyisola Amanda Odejimi, North Gwinnett, [Kennesaw State University](#)

Georgia United Credit Union \$1,000 Overall Winner Teaching as a Profession

- Deborah Hwang, Peachtree Ridge, [University of North Georgia](#)

United Ebony Society Robbie Susan Moore Scholarship

Co-sponsored by United Ebony Society of Gwinnett and the Foundation. A one-time \$1,000 award for college-bound Gwinnett County Public School seniors who are planning to attend a 2-4-year college or university.

- Lauren Walcott, Peachtree Ridge, [Northwestern University](#)
- Asia Aaron, Discovery

School-specific awards administered by the GCPS Foundation Fund with support from community partners:

Brenden M. Elbaz Scholarship is a one-time award of \$800 in Brenden's memory. The yearly scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior at **Lanier High School**. Application can be requested through the counseling office at Lanier High School.

- Ezra Case, Lanier

Brothers Making Moves LLC Scholarship is a one-time award of \$1000 to a senior at **Lanier High School**, who is a first in their family to attend college and has a 2.5 GPA, and has applied to a 2-year college, technical college, or 4-year college or university. This scholarship was formed to provide support to students who are first generation in their family to attend college. Application can be requested through the counseling office at Lanier High School.

- Kenya Solano, Lanier, [Georgia State University](#)

Central Gwinnett HS Cluster Scholarship

\$500 scholarship

- Carolyn Phung, Central Gwinnett, [University of Georgia](#)
- Darryl Yankey, Central Gwinnett, [Vanderbilt University](#)

GSMST Outstanding Senior STEM Scholarship

The GCPS Foundation has established a new program to be offered each spring, the **GSMST Outstanding Senior STEM Scholarship**. The amount of the award for 2020 will be \$1,500 awarded to one or more students.

- Emily Kim, GSMST, [University of Pennsylvania](#)

GIVE Center Scholarship

This scholarship is **one-time** award of **\$500** to one **GIVE HS** graduating senior.

- Albin Aguilar, GIVE West

GIVE Center West “I Dare You” Scholarship

This scholarship is a one-time award of **\$500** will be given annually to one **GIVE West High School** Senior who plans to attend a trade, technical, or collegiate institution.

- Dearia Artis, GIVE West

Hope McKenzie Scholarship,

A one-time award of **\$1,000** will be awarded to one student excelling in the arts at **Grayson High School**. The award is presented by the McKenzie family in memory of Hope McKenzie.

- Kaidesh Oshell Forrester, Grayson

Judy Patterson Legacy Memorial Scholarship

A one-time award of **\$1,000** to a senior at **ARCHER HS ONLY** with a GPA of 3.0 or higher who exhibits good character and meets the requirements of graduation. The award can be applied to any form of post-secondary study that leads to employment.

- Danisher Celia Joseph, Archer, [Kennesaw State University](#)

Kerensa Wing Principals of Service Scholarship is a one-time award of **\$1,000** for a **CHHS Senior only** wanting to give back to the community by going to a post-secondary school in a service field (teacher, police, fire fighter, etc.).

- Valerie Novak, Collins Hill, [SCAD](#)

LEF "Make a Difference" Scholarship

Two **\$1,000** scholarships for Lanier High School students

- Chantel Bailey, Lanier
- Timothy Jessee, Lanier

Reid Mullins Scholarship

A one-time award of **\$1,000** presented to one or more deserving seniors in honor of Reid Mullins for his many years of service to **Snellville Middle School** and as Gwinnett’s first middle school principal.

- Nia Kidd, South Gwinnett

The Deloris and Reid Mullins Scholarship

A one-time award of **\$1000** awarded to one or more deserving graduating senior(s) in honor of Deloris and Reid Mullins, former GCPS educators and long-time residents of the **Archer** cluster.

- John Murphy, Archer

Robert L. Campbell Memorial Scholarship

A one-time award of **\$1,000** in honor of Robert L. Campbell for graduates of **Phoenix High School**.

- Zaynah Bint Abdullah Muslim, Phoenix

Susan D. Headley Scholarship

The **Susan D. Headley Scholarship** is a one-time award of **\$1000** to a student who exhibits good character, a love of learning, a desire to further his or her education, and is eligible for post-secondary education. Open to **Archer HS** applicants only.

- Stewart Dawson, Archer

Sweetwater Scholarship

This **\$500** scholarship is given to two recipients who attended **Sweetwater Middle School** and are current seniors at **Berkmar High School**.

- Christine P Huynh, Berkmar
- Xiomara Yamileth Reyes-Andrades, Berkmar

Dr. Linda Williams Educational Scholarship

A one-time award in the amount of **\$500** for a graduating senior from **Grayson, Maxwell, or Meadowcreek High School**.

- Kaidesh Oshell Forrester, Grayson

Peach State FCU Dr. Frances Davis Legacy Student Scholarship

Sponsored by Peach State Federal Credit Union, this annual **\$2,000** scholarship is in honor of Dr. Frances Davis, Associate Superintendent of District Performance and Community Engagement at Gwinnett County Public Schools, for more than two decades of service on Peach State FCU's Board of Directors. It will be awarded to a Gwinnett County Public School graduating senior pursuing a degree in education.

- Ashley Brown, South Gwinnett

Peach State FCU Rick Cost Legacy Student Scholarship

Sponsored by Peach State Federal Credit Union, this annual **\$2,000** scholarship is in honor of Rick Cost, retired Chief Financial Officer at Gwinnett County Public Schools, for his contributions to the Gwinnett County school system will be awarded to a GCPS senior pursuing a degree in education.

- Hayden Witmer, Grayson

Peach State Legacy Student Scholarship

Sponsored by Peach State Federal Credit Union, this annual **\$2,000** scholarship is to honor the legacy of past and present board members and employees who have served Peach State Federal Credit Union for 20 years or more. It will be awarded to graduating high school seniors who intend to pursue a degree in education.

- Anna Murphy | North Gwinnett High School
- Spencer Kenyon | Grayson High School
- Emma LeMaster | Brookwood High School
- Ashleigh Lawson | Parkview High School
- Caroline Leonard | Mill Creek High School
- Sarah McHan | Parkview High School

MAXXIS International- USA Valedictorian and Salutatorian Scholarship

Awarded in the amount of **\$500** to the 24 valedictorian and salutatorian from each high school in Gwinnett County Public Schools. MAXIS International-USA, Suwanee, GA

Valedictorians

- Archer High School – Cole Thomas
- Berkmar High School – Gia-Minh Nguyen
- Brookwood High School – Jay Patel
- Central Gwinnett High School – David Palmer
- Dacula High School – Miranda Colon
- Discovery High School – Cindy Ho
- Duluth High School – Shalin Jain
- Grayson High School – Claire Mistretta
- Gwinnett Online Campus – Catherine Elizabeth Slack
- GSMST – Davin Shi
- Lanier High School – Stella Choi
- McClure Health Science High School – Yesenia Lopez
- Meadowcreek High School – Valeria Granados
- Mill Creek High School – Cassidy Hettesheimer
- Mountain View High School – Shayla Nguyen
- Norcross High School – Luke Gries
- North Gwinnett High School – Maya Chande
- Parkview High School – Toby Nguyen
- Paul Duke STEM High School – Chunjin Park
- Peachtree Ridge High School – Alice Ao
- Shiloh High School – Miriam Martinez Rivera
- South Gwinnett High School – Sidney Swanstrom

Salutatorians

- Archer High School – student preferred to be remained private
- Berkmar High School – Lavonte Saunders
- Brookwood High School – Jiyuan Dong
- Central Gwinnett High School – Carolyn Phung

- Dacula High School – Matthew Weiss
- Discovery High School – Jedidah Titus
- Duluth High School – Hussan Ali
- Grayson High School – Abigail Chambers
- Gwinnett Online Campus – Elizabet Verizona
- GSMST – Wenjun Wang
- Lanier High School – Mason Ladd
- McClure Health Science High School – Tanya Rodriguez
- Meadowcreek High School – Gigi Tu
- Mill Creek High School – Bryce Hancock
- Mountain View High School – Nicholas Isaza
- Norcross High School – Chance Keown
- North Gwinnett High School – Alexander Fonzi
- Parkview High School – Rhiannon Eplett
- Paul Duke STEM High School – Cameron Potter
- Peachtree Ridge High School – William Ao
- Shiloh High School – Catherine Trobradovic
- South Gwinnett High School – Princess Deborah Onyeonula