

SCHOLAR REFERENCE MATERIALS

COVID-19 Resources

DC Government Coronavirus Website - https://coronavirus.dc.gov/

- Food https://coronavirus.dc.gov/food
- Utilities https://coronavirus.dc.gov/utilityhelp
- Individual Recovery Information https://coronavirus.dc.gov/recovery-individuals
- Unemployment Quick Guide https://coronavirus.dc.gov/sites/default/files/dc/sites/coronavirus/page_content/attachments/
 Accessing%20Unemployment%20Quick%20Guide_r5.pdf

FOOD RESOURCES

- <u>SNAP Online Purchasing Program</u> Effective May 2020 eligible Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Participants may use their benefits online at Amazon. Click to learn how to use benefits at Amazon.
- <u>Grocery Distribution Sites for DC</u> –Check out the list of sites by ward to access fresh and non-perishable items donated by community organizations
- <u>Map of Available Food Resources</u> This map provides additional locations for free meals and groceries throughout the District of Columbia
- <u>Bread for the City</u> The mission of Bread for the City provides food, clothing, medical care, and legal and social services to reduce the burden of poverty.

TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT

Connect DC - Digital Inclusive Initiative - https://connect.dc.gov/affordable-internet

- Comcast Internet Essential (\$9.95/month): 855) 846-8376
- RCN Internet First (\$9.95/month): (800) 746-4726
- Verizon Fios (\$19.99/month): (800) 837-4966
- Wilderness Technology Alliance (Refurbished laptops): (202) 853-7617
- Everyoneon.org-
- All Connect,
- PCs for People
- Computers with Causes

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Internship Search Tools:

If you would like to stay up to date with internships, consider signing up for <u>Handshake</u>- a virtual platform for college students to connect and gain career exposure through full-time, part-time, and paid internships.

- Department of Justice Pathways Intern (Undergraduate Psychology)
- 2021 Truth Initiative Intern (Marketing, Sales, Innovations, Digital Marketing, Communications, Public Policy, Research, and Youth Engagement)
- Tesla Public Policy Internship (Fall 2021)
- New America Foundation Education Intern
- Planned Parenthood Communications Intern
- EY Business Intern
- Undergraduate Engineering Co-op Program
- Consumer Insight Intern

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

If you would like to receive more updates about scholarships, workshops, internships, graduate school fairs and more, consider signing up for <u>DCPS Newsletters</u>.

• Ethel Hayes Destigmatization of Mental Health Scholarship

Closing Date: June 13, 2021

Amount: \$5,311

GPA Requirement: N/A

Description: Open to all undergraduate students. Applicants must write a 200-1000 word scholarship on how

mental health has shaped your goals, relationships and understanding of the world.

• Mid Atlantic Security Traders Association Scholarship

Closing Date: June 15, 2021

Amount: \$5,000

GPA Requirement: N/A

Description: Open to undergraduates who are currently sophomore or junior business majors with a concentration in finance or economics and who are enrolled at a four-year state-sponsored or private college or university.

Prism Foundation Scholarship

Closing Date: June 6, 2021 Amount: \$1,000- \$5,000 GPA Requirement: N/A

Description: Must be attending a post-secondary institution (community college, university, or trade/vocational school) in the United States in the upcoming academic year (starting in the Fall of this current year) when applying. Applicants should have a strong history of work and impact within the API and/or LGBTQ+ communities; however, applicants do not need to identify as either to apply.

• There's Space for Everyone Scholarship

Closing Date: June 15, 2021

Amount: \$2,500

GPA Requirement: N/A

Description: Open to incoming and current undergraduate and graduate students enrolled in an accredited college or university during the fall 2021 semester are eligible to apply. Applicants must be legal residents of the United States and at least 16 years old.

Media Literacy Contest

Closing Date: June 15, 2021

Amount: \$500

GPA Requirement: N/A

Description: Must be a current student enrolled in a high school, undergraduate, or graduate institution.

• Innovation in Education Scholarship

Closing Date: June 20, 2021

Amount: \$500

GPA Requirement: 3.0

Description: Must be a current student enrolled in a high school, undergraduate, or graduate institution. Must have designed an innovative project that makes a difference in the lives of others (This could be a website, series of blogs, an app, fundraising event, etc.)

Ju Ju Foundation Scholarship

Closing Date: June 22, 2021

Amount: \$5,000

GPA Requirement: n/a

Description: All current high school and undergraduate students studying in the US who face financial

challenges in paying for their education are welcome to apply.