

2009-2010 Pamplin Scholarships

Scholarship Eligibility Requirements

- **All Pamplin students applying for the following scholarships must have a 2009-2010 FAFSA on file before submitting an on-line application.** Information about the FAFSA is available on the [Financial Aid](#) website. (International students will not submit a FAFSA. Instead, see the FAQ's for directions to complete an EFC, Expected Family Contribution, form.)
- **Compare your qualifications with the eligibility requirements for each college-level scholarship and select the scholarships for which you will apply.** Although students may apply for multiple scholarships, it is uncommon to receive more than one award. Note that ALL scholarships listed as “**need-based**” will be awarded ONLY to those students with proven financial-need, as determined by results of the 2009-2010 FAFSA.
- **To properly award scholarships, a student’s class level is NOT determined by credits, but by an estimated expected date of completion.** When considering your eligibility related to class level, use the following guide:
If you plan to graduate in:
December 2011, May 2012, or Summer 2012 = “**rising sophomore**”
December 2010, May 2011, or Summer 2011 = “**rising junior**”
December 2009, May 2010, or Summer 2010 = “**rising senior**”
*The chart above still applies for scholarships that do not state the word “rising”, preceded by sophomore, junior, or senior.
- **Prepare supplemental materials and apply for scholarships:** (1) Prepare a general resume, (2) Prepare one unique essay for each scholarship. Individual essays are limited to one page each, or 250 words maximum. Each essay must state why you are qualified to receive the scholarship, and (3) Go to the Scholarships page on the Pamplin Undergraduate Programs website to begin the on-line [Scholarship Application Process](#).
- **All on-line applications must be submitted by the deadline, no later than 5:00p.m., March 11, 2009.**

If you have any questions, please contact Lindsay Grove at lmgrove@vt.edu, or call the Undergraduate Programs Office at 540.231.6602.

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2009-2010 Pamplin Scholarship List

(FINAL AMOUNTS MAY VARY BASED UPON ACTUAL YIELD OF ENDOWED FUNDS)

- 1. BB&T Scholarship:**
Two merit-based scholarships awarded to rising juniors or rising seniors in FIN, MGT, or MKTG who demonstrate an interest in careers in banking.
Amount: \$3125 each
- 2. Willis P. Blackwood Scholarship:**
Three scholarships awarded yearly to a rising sophomore, a rising junior, and a rising senior, with preference given to prior year recipients who exhibit continued excellence. Qualified recipients will have a commitment to entrepreneurship as evidenced through academic and experiential entrepreneurial pursuits.
Amount: \$1325 each
- 3. Boeing Charitable Trust Scholarship Fund:**
Four scholarships will be awarded to students who can demonstrate active support of fostering diversity at Virginia Tech.
Amount: \$2085 each
- 4. Leonard L. Brown Scholarship:**
Two merit-based scholarships to rising juniors or seniors in the Pamplin College of Business who are members of the Virginia Tech Corps of Cadets.
Amount: \$1350 each
- 5. Harmon E. Broyles Scholarship:** Scholarships awarded each year to a rising sophomore, a rising junior, and a rising senior, based upon exceptional leadership qualities and a commitment to pursue future leadership roles within the university and/or community. Preference given to students enrolled in the Leadership minor, and to previous Broyles Scholarship recipients. Must be a resident of Virginia, North Carolina, or South Carolina.
Amount: Tuition, fees, room and board plan
- 6. Hermann and Michele Buerger Scholarship: (need-based)**
Three merit and need-based scholarships awarded annually to students who demonstrate leadership skills, community service, financial need, and an interest in studying international business.
Amount: \$1575 each
- 7. Gregory Burton Memorial Scholarship: (need-based)**
One merit and need-based scholarship awarded to a College of Business student. Preference is given to members of Lambda Chi Alpha, with secondary preference to Accounting and Information Systems majors.
Amount: \$1350
- 8. Lucy Brown Coleman Scholarship:**
One merit-based scholarship awarded to a rising senior with a documented interest in Real Estate.
Amount: \$1850

- 9. Sally S. and John W. Cox Scholarship: (need-based)**
Two need-based scholarships awarded annually, one to an ACIS major, and another to a student from any major in Pamplin, who are sophomores, juniors, or seniors with a GPA of 2.8 or higher. Preference is given to those who hold a membership in the Pamplin Multicultural Diversity Council or are enrolled in the Pamplin Diversity minor.
Amount: \$2500 each
- 10. Henry J. and Louisa G. Dekker Scholarship in Business: (need-based)**
Two need-based scholarships awarded to rising juniors or seniors who are members in good standing of the Corps of Cadets, and who have demonstrated good character, merit, and financial need.
Amount: \$1500 each
- 11. Alexander Dumas DeShazo Endowed Scholarship: (need-based)**
One need-based scholarship awarded annually to a student who displays academic merit (minimum GPA of 3.0), leadership, and financial need. Preference given to previous recipients of the scholarship.
Amount: \$1500
- 12. Pete Ellison Memorial Scholarship:**
Two scholarships awarded annually, one to an outstanding rising junior and the second to a rising senior. Recipients must be members of Alpha Kappa Psi. Depending on continued academic performance, a junior recipient will be eligible to receive the award in his/her senior year.
Amount: \$1200 each
- 13. Cathy Faoro Memorial Scholarship:**
One merit-based scholarship awarded to a rising junior or rising senior who demonstrates the values held by Cathleen Faoro - a love of learning and an appreciation of the arts, an exuberance for life and its adventures, a commitment to community and concern for others, reverence for spiritual, moral and family values, and perseverance to achieve high personal and academic goals despite significant obstacles.
Amount: \$1550
- 14. Hugh Fletcher, Jr. 54 Memorial Scholarship:**
One merit-based scholarship awarded to a rising senior with a career interest in banking.
Amount: \$1225
- 15. Foster International Business Scholarship: (need-based)**
One need-based scholarship awarded to a student who demonstrates academic and leadership potential and has the intention to apply the funds toward an academic international experience or study abroad program.
Amount: \$1950
- 16. Vernell B. Hogan Scholarship:**
One scholarship awarded annually to a rising junior or rising senior from the Tidewater area with an interest in or exposure to the area of insurance. A minimum GPA of 3.0 is required.
Amount: Tuition and fees

17. Walter W. Horner Memorial Scholarship: (need-based)

One need-based scholarship awarded annually to a student majoring in BIT, FIN, MGT, or MKTG. Selection is based primarily on financial need, scholastic achievement and good character. The recipient of the award must be a Virginia resident with preference given to students from Chesterfield, Powhatan or Amelia counties.

Amount: \$1975

18. The Henry Webb and Christine Maddox 33 Memorial Scholarship:

One scholarship awarded to a junior from Southwest Virginia who is in good academic standing.

Amount: \$1325

19. David & Sharon Parcell/Franklin County High School Scholarship in Business: (need-based)

Three need-based scholarships awarded to graduates of Franklin County High School on the basis of scholastic achievement and good character, with a focus on financial need.

Amount: \$1325 each

20. Inez T. Ripley Scholarship: (need-based)

One merit and need-based scholarship awarded to a student in the College of Business that is interested in money management, with preference given to female students.

Amount: \$1275

21. SEED Scholarship:

One scholarship awarded to a rising sophomore or rising junior, based on academic achievement and a demonstrated interest or experience in investment management. The applicant recipient may not be a current member of SEED.

Amount: \$1325

22. Lt. Colonel William A. Trice Scholarship:

Three merit-based scholarships awarded to Tech classified employees pursuing degrees in Business on a part-time basis. Recipients must be Virginia residents for at least 18 years, with preference to students from Craig, Floyd, Goochland or Nelson counties. Funding is to be used for school-related expenses such as tuition, fees, and books. Scholarship may be continued until B.S. or MBA is finished, pending review by the selection committee.

Amount: \$825 each

23. Wachovia Employees Scholarship: (need-based)

One merit and need-based scholarships awarded to a rising senior enrolled in BIT, FIN, MGT or MKTG. Qualifications based upon academic success, financial need, leadership, and a demonstrated interest in a career in banking.

Amount: \$1600

24. Wachovia Leadership Scholarship: Two merit-based scholarships, one for a rising junior and one for a rising senior, based on academic achievement and leadership. Preference is given to students in the Leadership minor.

Amount: 1625 each

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The FAFSA

The FAFSA is available for completion on January 1 and must be submitted (with valid signatures) by Virginia Tech's March 11 priority deadline in order to be considered eligible for all types of aid.

General Information

In order to receive financial aid through Virginia Tech, each student must complete the **Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)** each year. The FAFSA is used to determine eligibility for many scholarships (including general scholarships from our office) and to award a student financial aid in the form of grants, work study, and federal loans. (Alternative educational loans must be applied for separately through a private lender or bank.) **The FAFSA is available for completion on January 1 prior to the upcoming aid year, and must be submitted (with valid signatures) by Virginia Tech's March 11 priority deadline.**

Please Note: If you indicate on your FAFSA that you will sign a paper signature sheet and send it in, then the federal processor holds your FAFSA application for **10 days**. However, the FAFSA is not held if it is signed with a valid PIN(s).



About the FAFSA

- [FAFSA Overview](#)
- [Expected Family Contribution](#)
- [Personal Identification Number](#)
- [Student Aid Report](#)
- [FAFSA Tips](#)

FAFSA/Help Sites

Apply for financial aid at Virginia Tech by completing the [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#).

The [FAFSA on the Web Worksheet](#) allows you to read and complete the questions before entering your information online. The questions are

If the FAFSA is **not processed with valid signatures** by March 11:

- The student will be ineligible for some scholarships and grants such as the Virginia Guaranteed Assistance Program (VGAP), Virginia Tech Grants, and the General Scholarship Program
- If eligible, the student will still be able to receive some federal aid, including the Federal Pell Grant and Federal Loans
- The awarding process will be delayed

The FAFSA can be completed online or on paper. Although the online FAFSA is the preferred method, a student can request up to three paper FAFSAs by calling the Federal Student Aid Information Center toll-free at 1-800-4-FED-AID (1-800-433-3243). The requested paper FAFSAs can be expected to come in the mail within 3-7 business days. Online FAFSA applications can be accessed through the Department of Education's FAFSA Website.

Where to Start

- Don't know how to fill out a FAFSA? [The FAFSA on the Web Worksheet](#) is a helpful tool you can use to review the FAFSA questions before beginning the online submission process.
- Think you're ready to start? [The FAFSA 4Caster](#) is an excellent way to experience the application process before filling out the FAFSA. It also gives a general estimate of your eligibility for federal financial aid.
- Before you complete the FAFSA, you will need a [Personal Identification Number \(PIN\)](#) from the Department of Education.
- After you have completed the FAFSA, you will receive an [Estimated Family Contribution](#).
- After you have completed the FAFSA, you will also receive a [Student Aid Report \(SAR\)](#).
- Want more information? Our page of [helpful tips](#) may be helpful when completing or correcting the FAFSA.

Documents Needed for the FAFSA

It is helpful to assemble the documents needed to complete the FAFSA ahead of time. Students and parents will need;

listed in the same order that they appear on the Web site.

[FAFSA4caster](#) will help you get an early start on the financial aid process by providing you with an early estimate of your eligibility for federal student aid.

- a Social Security Number
- a driver's license
- income tax return (or estimated income amounts)
- bank statements
- investment records

- W-2 forms (for student and spouse or parent, depending on dependency status)
- Schedule C (for individuals who own their own businesses)

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