



Marshfield Area Community Foundation Scholarships

The mission of the Marshfield Area Community Foundation is “Connecting people who care with causes that matter to enrich the quality of life in the Marshfield area”. Education is a valuable tool and a cause that matters to all of us. Through assisting students with financial support to receive an education, not only do students and the families of those students benefit, but also our community benefits, which further allows us to achieve our mission of enriching the quality of life in the Marshfield area.

List of scholarships available in 2025

Alec Salamonski Memorial Scholarship
(MHS) 2025

This scholarship is for graduating seniors who are attending Marshfield High School. Student must be attending an accredited school full-time, pursuing an undergraduate degree. Preference to students who show academic merit, character, & motivation, those who are seeking a computer-related degree and to those who have pursued computer related coursework in both the Tech and Business dept's, &/or have been active in SKILLS USA, involved in the Computer Science or Information Technology Youth Apprenticeships, or other extra-curricular computer related club or organization.

Adam Steiner Memorial Scholarship
(2025)

This scholarship is for a student within the Marshfield Area Community Foundation service area who will be majoring in agriculture, dairy science or industry, or veterinarian and attending school full-time. Preference to students who grew up on a dairy farm.

Adolph A. Vorba Memorial Scholarship
(2025)

This scholarship is for a graduating senior from Marshfield High School or current college freshman who graduated from Marshfield High School. The applicant must have taken advanced or AP courses in mathematics and/or physics, with a GPA of 3.0. Preference for students who have financial need, have a GPA of 3.5 or higher, and are attending a 4 year accredited college or a 2 year extension college. This scholarship is renewable for one additional year.

Alex and Geraldine Piotrowski
Memorial Scholarship (Pittsville High

This scholarship is for a graduating senior from Pittsville High School who is attending an accredited school full-time, pursuing an undergraduate degree. Preference to student who participated in extra

School) 2025	curricular activities and who shows academic merit, motivation, and good character.
Altrusa International of Marshfield Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a non-traditional/returning student from the Marshfield area. Applicant must be attending/plan to attend UWSP at Marshfield or Mid-State Technical College pursuing an undergraduate degree. Preference to an applicant showing motivation and character, & past academic performance.
Anne Adler Nursing Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for students from the Marshfield area, attending the School of Nursing UW Eau Claire/UWSP at Marshfield OR Mid-State Technical College planning to enter the field of nursing. Preference to student who shows academic merit, motivation, and character. This scholarship can be renewed once.
Arlan and Priscilla Ferch Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for students from Marshfield High School or Columbus High School planning to attend UWSP Marshfield full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree. Preference to students studying theater, student showing academic merit, motivation, and character, and financial need. This scholarship may be renewed once.
Bill Burnham Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior at Marshfield High School attending an accredited school pursuing an undergraduate degree. Students must demonstrate how they overcame significant challenges or a disability in high school. Preference to a student who has shown a strong 4-yr record or has made a turnaround and shown improvement in the last semester of high school.
Bobbie Karlen Memorial Scholarship (MHS Senior or past graduate) 2025	This scholarship is for a past or present student at Marshfield High School attending an accredited school full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree. Students area of study must be math or math related. Student must have participated in extracurricular activities, with financial need considered. Must explain involvement with community activities and extra curriculums. Preference to applicants who show academic merit, character, and motivation. May be awarded to someone already in college or training program.
Central Wisconsin Cheesemaker & Buttermakers Association (CWCBA) Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for Central Wisconsin Cheesemaker & Buttermakers Assoc. members, member's children, or employees. One scholarship for manufacturing members and a second scholarship for supplier members. Students must be attending an accredited school full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree and financial need should be considered. Preference to students pursuing a degree in dairy science, food science or a related degree. Students should show academic merit,

	character, and motivation. Students can re-apply for an additional year by resubmitting application.
Dan Helwig Memorial Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for students pursuing a degree in architecture, drafting, or construction. Preference to students from Marshfield, Columbus, or Neillsville High School who will be attending school full-time attending a 4-year school. Financial need is considered as a tiebreaker.
Daniel Kummer Memorial Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a graduating high school senior, homeschooled, or current college student in their sophomore or junior year in the Marshfield Foundation service area studying videography or broadcasting. Students must be attending an accredited school full-time, pursuing an undergraduate degree. Students should show academic merit, character, and motivation.
David and Waleen Storm Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior at Marshfield Alternative/Marshfield High School studying a medical related degree at a UW system school full-time, pursuing an undergraduate degree. Student must be in the top 25% of their class with a GPA of 3.0 or greater. This scholarship can be renewed an additional 3 years.
David L. MacArthur Memorial Scholarship (Colby High School) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior from Colby High School attending an accredited school full-time, pursuing an undergraduate degree. Preference is given to students involved in a high school basketball program and expressing the intention of pursuing a program of study toward a degree in physical education or another sports-related field. Financial need considered.
David L. MacArthur Memorial Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior from Marshfield High School attending an accredited school full-time, pursuing an undergraduate degree. Preference is given to students involved in a high school basketball program and expressing the intention of pursuing a program of study toward a degree in physical education or another sports-related field. Financial need considered.
Deidre Week Scholarship (Pittsville High School) 2025	This scholarship is for graduating seniors at Pittsville High school who will be pursuing a degree in criminal justice. Must have a GPA of 3.2, participated in extra-curricular activities and be going to a technical school or four-year university.
Dennis Bangart Agricultural Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for students in the Marshfield Community Foundation Service Area, must be a full-time student with dairy science as the area of study. Preference to incoming college freshman and to those who participated in 4H, FFA, Junior Holstein. Student financial need is considered

Dorothy & Alex B. Knox Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for graduating seniors at Marshfield High School who will be attending an accredited school full-time, pursuing an undergraduate degree. Preference to a student who shows prior academic performance, performance on tests designed to measure ability and aptitude for higher education, motivation & character.
Dorothy Olson Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a returning student from the Marshfield Foundation service area wanting to continue their education. Preference to students going into healthcare or the trades.
Dr. Roger Van Der Vorste Fund Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a student in the MACFI service area who plans to attend a school in the UW system, WI Technical College, or Marquette full-time, pursuing an undergraduate degree. Preference to program of study leading to degree in dentistry or dental hygiene. Student should show academic merit, character, and motivation. Renewable for 1 year.
Dr. Russel F Lewis Athletic Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior at Marshfield High School who participated in high school sports. They must be attending an accredited school full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree. Financial need considered
Fore Bill Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a graduating senior from Marshfield or Columbus High school OR a nontraditional student living in Marshfield. Student must be attending an accredited college pursuing an undergraduate degree with a GPA of 3.0 or greater. Intended area of study must be healthcare, music, education, finance, marketing, math, engineering, or medical related. Preference to student pursuing a degree in healthcare, then finance. Preference also to a non-traditional student living in Marshfield.
Foster Will scholarship (Owen-Withee High School) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior at Owen-Withee High School attending an accredited college. Student should show academic merit, character, and motivation. This scholarship is renewable for 3 additional years.
Frautschy-Fredrick Legion Baseball Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a student who must have played for the Post 54 American Legion Baseball team & will be attending a college full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree.
Gordon and Faith Vine Scholarship (Neillsville High School) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior from Neillsville or Granton High School attending an accredited school full-time pursuing undergraduate degree in education, elementary education, or agriculture. Financial need considered. Preference to a graduating senior at Neillsville High School. This scholarship can be renewed 3 additional years.

Grace Caliebe Scholarship (Greenwood High School) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior at Greenwood High School attending an accredited school, intending to study healthcare, science, mathematics, or engineering. Preference to extracurricular activities and community services, knowledge and commitment to chosen field of study. Applicant should show academic merit, character, and motivation. This scholarship can be renewed an additional 4 years.
Harrington Chemistry Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior at Marshfield High School with a GPA of 3.2 or above intending to study chemistry. Student must have participated in extracurricular activities. Preference to a female and a student who shows academic merit, character, and motivation. This scholarship can be renewed for up to 4 years if applicant is still majoring in Chemistry.
Harry & Gladys Chronquist Family Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for graduating seniors at Marshfield High School who must be considered for financial aid opportunities. Preference to student attending any college, university, or technical college. Committee will evaluate scholastic ability, talent and personality. The scholarship is renewable for one year.
Heck P.E.O. - AJ and LeGrand Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a non-traditional female student, who, having been in the workforce, is attempting to better their career standing, or change careers by pursuing an academic or trade degree full or part time at a university or tech school .
International Studies Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for students attaining any post-secondary degree. Student must have taken a world language for 3 years (high school applicants) or 3 semesters (college applicants). Preference to students majoring in International Studies, Cultural Studies, or any World Language. This scholarship can be renewed for up to 3 years if the applicant still meets the criteria.
Jacob Navarro Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior at Marshfield High School who is attending an accredited school pursuing an undergraduate degree intending to study art or art related materials. Student must be considered for financial aid.
James Brasington Theater Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a student who is attending school full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree intending to study theater arts. Preference to a student who shows interest in and affinity for the art of acting and shows financial need. This scholarship can be renewed 3 additional years.
Jean Ebbe Visual and Performing Arts Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a graduating high school senior attending an accredited school full-time, located in WI or MN pursuing an undergraduate degree. Preference goes to a student who shows a passion for visual arts, like painting, drawing, photography, etc. Student shows academic merit,

	character, and motivation.
Jerry R. Witt Scholarship in the Natural Sciences (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for graduating seniors at Marshfield High School who will be attending a public state-supported school pursuing an undergraduate degree in natural sciences like chemistry, physics, geology, astronomy, and biology. Preference to student with high GPA and financial need. Preference to student who has completed higher mathematic, chemistry, and physics courses before graduating.
Jewell Educational Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a graduate of MHS, Columbus or Marshfield Alternative School who is enrolled at UWSP at Marshfield full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree. Preference to student majoring in business or economics and student who shows academic merit, character, and motivation.
John "Jack" Bittrich Memorial Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for graduates of Marshfield High School who intend to study art or art related fields like film, videography, broadcasting, music, or theater arts. Preference to student who shows academic merit, character, and motivation.
John & Marjorie O'Reilly Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a student attending UWSP at Marshfield full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree. Preference to student who shows academic merit, character, and motivation.
John J. Irvine Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior at Marshfield High School who will be attending an accredited school full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree with a GPA of 2.5 and higher. Student must be considered for financial aid. Preference to a student who shows academic merit, character, and motivation
Joseph and Bernadine Weber FFA Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for graduates from Marshfield High School attending an accredited school full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree. Must have a GPA of 2.5 or greater studying agriculture, agribusiness, or production. Student must be a current or previous member of FFA. Preference to student who shows academic merit, character, and motivation.
Joyce & Darryl Clauson Scholarship (PHS) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduate or returning student from Pittsville High School pursuing a technical degree/certificate, or an associate's degree intending to study trades/vocational/technical. Preference to those who show academic merit, character, and motivation with financial need.
Kagel, Franson, Kramer Pittsville Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a graduate from Pittsville High School who is pursuing an undergraduate degree studying natural sciences, medical related, education, or engineering. Student must have volunteer or community service experience and be considered for financial aid. Scholarship is not

	renewable.
Kim Shupe Memorial Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for graduating seniors at Marshfield High School who are attending an accredited school pursuing an undergraduate degree who will be considered for financial need. Preference to student who shows academic merit, character, and motivation.
LaVerne R. Kohs Memorial Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for students who are attending or plan to attend UWSP at Marshfield. Preference goes to student who expresses a sincere interest in the healthcare field. The scholarship is renewable for 3 additional years. (Renewals take priority over new applications.)
Lil' Bullmobilers Snowmobile Club Scholarship (Pittsville High School) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating high school senior from Pittsville High School attending an accredited school full-time. Student must be a member or family member to someone in the Lil' Bullmobilers Snowmobile Club OR student must have an interest in outdoor winter activities. Student must have a GPA of 2.5 or greater, have volunteer or community service experience, and be considered for financial need. Preference goes to the student with the highest financial need.
Lloyd Crossman Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for graduating seniors at Marshfield, Spencer, Stratford, or Auburndale High School attending an accredited school and be an active member in National Honors Society.
Louis J. & Betty Ptacek Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a student attending Marquette University full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree with a GPA of 3.5 or greater. Preference goes to a student who has financial need determined by Marquette Financial Need office. The scholarship is renewable for 3 additional years.
Lucy Vanatta Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a graduating senior at Pittsville High School. Preference goes to student with GPA of 3.0 or greater, and who participated in high school sports and extracurricular activities.
MacKinnon Family Scholarship (MHS 2025)	This scholarship rotates each year from a student at MHS and a student at Prentice H.S.. This scholarship is for a student attending an accredited school full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree. Student must have volunteer or community service experience and have participated in extracurricular activities. Preference goes to students who have financial need, show good moral character, and show academic merit, character, and motivation.
Marc & Undine Cross Memorial Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a graduate from Marshfield, Marshfield Alternative, or Neillsville High School intending to study healthcare or social work with a GPA of 3.0 or greater. Preference to financial need and a graduate of Neillsville High School

Marilyn Hardacre Scholarship (Columbus High School) 2025	This scholarship is for graduating seniors from Columbus High School who participated in extracurricular activities. Preference is for a student pursuing a degree in political science or public administration or interest in this area. Students academic standing is taken into consideration.
Marilyn Hardacre Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for graduating seniors from Marshfield High School who participated in extracurricular activities. Preference is for a student pursuing a degree in political science or public administration or interest in this area. Students academic standing is taken into consideration.
Marshfield Lions Club Edward W. Heller Memorial Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a student studying communication or journalism attending school full-time. Preference to a student entering their junior or senior year of undergraduate school OR a student attending a graduate school. Scholarship is renewable for a total of 4 years. Only one scholarship awarded per year.
Matthew & Heather O'Reilly Scholarship (CHS) 2025	For 2025, this is a scholarship for a student graduating high school or non-traditional student who resides in the Marshfield Area Community Foundation service area who is a graduate of Columbus High School.
Melvin H. & Ruth J. Schmidt Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a graduate of Stratford High School attending an accredited school pursuing an undergraduate degree studying healthcare. Financial need must be considered. Applicant should show academic merit, character, and motivation. Prefer that scholarship be renewed vs going to new graduating senior Renewable for 1 year.
MHS Staff Memorial Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a graduating senior at Marshfield High School who is attending an accredited school full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree who is considered for financial need. Preference to a student who participated in NHS, AP courses, or student council and demonstrated extraordinary determination to succeed. Scholarship is not renewable.
Milton A. Krom Scholarship (Owen-Withee High School) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior at Owen-Withee High School who is attending an accredited school, has volunteer or community service experience, participated in extracurricular activities, and is considered for financial need. Preference to student who demonstrated leadership ability, moral integrity, and character.
Norbert H. and Joan LaSee Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for graduating seniors at Marshfield, Columbus, Spencer, or Stratford High School attending an accredited college, university, or tech school intending to study a career in the trades. Student financial need must be considered. Renewable for 2 additional years.

Norm-E-Lane Scholarship (FFA) (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating high school senior at Marshfield High School who is a current or former member of FFA and is intending to study agriculture or production.
Paul and Joann Schreiner Scholarship (Columbus High School) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating high school senior at Columbus High School who will be attending a technical school or university located in WI. Preference to student studying nursing, has financial need and shows academic merit, character, and motivation.
Paul and Joann Schreiner Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating high school senior at Marshfield High School who will be attending a technical school or university located in WI. Preference to student studying nursing, has financial need and shows academic merit, character, and motivation.
Ralph & Diane Mueller Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a student intending to study natural sciences or humanities OR must be an active member of National Honors Society OR must have participated in extracurricular activities. Student must have a GPA of 3.0 or greater and pursuing an undergraduate degree. The scholarship may be renewed three times.
Randy Malueg Memorial Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for graduating seniors from Marion High School who have a minimum GPA of 2.75 and have participated in at least one extracurricular activity. Preference to students who have financial need.
Ray and Beryl Johnson Scholarship (Pittsville High School) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduating senior at Pittsville High School who has a GPA of 3.0 or greater and is intending to lead a career working directly with children. It is not limited to education careers.
Richard and Elaine Cliver Scholarship (Columbus High School) 2025	Chosen by the Columbus Scholarship Committee for a senior graduating from Columbus H.S.
Seif Memorial Scholarship (Neillsville High School) 2025	This scholarship is for graduating seniors from Neillsville High School attending an accredited college, university, or tech school full-time, pursuing an undergraduate degree intending to study agriculture or related field. Student should show academic merit, character, and motivation.
Severns Scholarship (Pittsville High School) 2025	This scholarship is for graduating seniors at Pittsville High School who must be considered for financial aid. Preference to a student who demonstrated leadership and scholastic abilities.
Sophia Smrz Memorial Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a graduating senior with a GPA of 3.3 or above, an active member of NHS, HOSA, 4-H, swimming, life guarding, or volunteer experience. Student must be attending school full-time pursuing an associate or undergraduate degree intending to study natural sciences, healthcare,

or the medical field.

Staab Construction Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for students pursuing a higher education at an accredited school studying construction, engineering, or manufacturing/fabrication. Preference to student who has financial need, lives in MACFI service area, and is planning to pursue construction, engineering, or manufacturing/fabrication.
Swanson Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for a graduation senior from Marshfield High School who will be attending an accredited school full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree in education or elementary education.
Terry & Allean Frankland Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a student studying auto body, automotive mechanic, diesel mechanic, or automotive/diesel equipment at a vocational or tech school in WI. Preference to a student enrolled full-time.
Tom Drendel Memorial Scholarship (2025)	This scholarship is for a student graduating or nontraditional student from Columbus, Marshfield, Auburndale, Stratford, Spencer, or Pittsville High School planning to attend an accredited school full-time pursuing an undergraduate degree studying agriculture or veterinarian. Students GPA must be 3.0 or greater, have financial need, and participate in community service activities. Applicant should show academic merit, character, and motivation.
Verna Lueck Scholarship (MHS) 2025	This scholarship is for graduating high school seniors at Marshfield High School who are in the top 25% of their class, studying elementary education. Preference to student who has financial need.
VFW Scholarship (Pittsville High School) 2025	This scholarship is for graduating high school seniors from Pittsville High School who have a GPA of 2.5 or above and are attending an accredited school. Preference to a child of grandchild of a Pittsville VFW Member.
