

# 2026 ECCF SCHOLARSHIP LIST

Scholarship	High School Eligibility	Available for Post-Secondary Students	Required Area of Study	Type of Post-Secondary School	Other Requirements	Award
<b>The Shawna Morrison 1544<sup>th</sup> Memorial Scholarship</b>	Paris	No	Any	Any recognized junior college or 4-year university	Need-based on household demographics will be considered	\$500
<b>Aaron J. Peel Memorial Fine Arts Scholarship</b>	Paris	No	Fine Arts	Any recognized junior college or 4-year university	1. 4 + PHS drama performances 2. Needs based on household demographics will be considered	\$500
<b>Allen Hornbrook Memorial FFA Scholarship</b>	Paris	No	Any	Any tech school, trade school, junior college, or 4-year university	1. Active member of Paris FFA 2. Provide a list of FFA activities 3. <b>Financial need</b> will be considered if applicant's scores are close	\$1,000
<b>Betty Johnson Women in Agriculture Scholarship</b>	Chrisman or Shiloh	No	Agricultural Education	Any recognized junior college or 4-year university	1. Female student 2. <b>Financial Need</b> 3. Top 10 class ranking	\$500
<b>Brian Evans Cooper and Cooper Family Scholarship</b>	Paris	Yes  <b>Past winners are welcome to reapply for up to 5 years</b>	Sciences, engineering, history, or nutrition	Any recognized 4-year college or university	Must maintain the area of study and be in good standing to have the scholarship renewed up to 5 years	\$1,000
<b>Coach Wayne Berry Jr. Scholarship</b>	Paris	No	Education, agriculture, national resources, or conservation	Any recognized junior college or university	No other requirements	\$500

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<b>CVJ Englum Vocational Scholarship</b>	Any Edgar County	Yes  <b>Past winners are welcome to reapply</b>	Tech/vocational degree, ranging from agriculture to veterinary assistant/technician	Any recognized tech/vocational college	1. <b>Financial need</b> 2. GPA of 3.3-4.5	<b>5</b> scholarships for \$2,000 each
<b>Elizabeth Akerman Memorial Scholarship</b>	Paris	No	Preference for history, English, French, art, or biology	Any recognized 4-year university	Top 25% of class	\$500
<b>Frey/McKnight Family Scholarship</b>	Any Edgar County	Yes  <b>Past winners are welcome to reapply</b>	Trades	Any recognized junior college or 4-year university	<b>Financial Need</b>	<b>2</b> scholarships for \$1,000 each
<b>Ingrum Waste Disposal Scholarship</b>	Paris	Yes	None	Any recognized school leading to an <b>associate's degree</b>	<b>Financial Need</b>	<b>2</b> scholarships for \$500 each
<b>James D. Keller Memorial Nursing Scholarship</b>	Paris	Yes	Nursing	Any recognized college or 4-year university	1. <b>Financial need</b> 2. GPA of 3.0 or higher	\$1,000
<b>John Crook Family &amp; Consumer Science Scholarship</b>	Any Edgar County	No	Food education industry (culinary arts, dietary training, family & consumer science)	Any recognized 4-year school	1. GPA of 3.0 or higher 2. Household demographics & financial need may be considered	<b>2</b> scholarships for \$500 each

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<b>John Hixon Memorial Scholarship</b>	Chrisman	No	General scholarship	Any recognized college or 4-year university	1. Students going to the <b>University of Illinois</b> and/or the field of <b>avionics</b> will be given top priority	\$500
<b>Joseph &amp; Dorothy Archer Educational Scholarship</b>	Paris	For past winners to continue receiving scholarship funds, they must provide evidence of continuous good standing at the designated school.	Any	Rose Hulman, Indiana State, St. Mary's, Purdue, Indiana University, Ivy Tech	Resident of Elbridge Township	\$4,800  (\$1200 per year for four years)
<b>Joseph Eugene Sanders History and the Arts Scholarship</b>	Paris	No	A career in the arts or history	Any recognized college or 4-year university	No other requirements	\$2,000
<b>Josh D. Andrews Memorial Scholarship</b>	Paris	Yes	Any	Any recognized 4-year school	1. Top 25% of class 2. Illinois State Scholars may be considered	\$1,000
<b>Kale Brinkley Athletic Scholarship</b>	Paris	No	Any	Any recognized junior college or 4-year university	1. Male in football or basketball during <u>senior</u> year. 2. Reference form from coach and community leader 3. C" or better during junior & senior year	\$1,000
<b>Kevin Allen Craig Memorial Scholarship</b>	Paris	No	Mental Health Services	Any recognized junior college or 4-year university	<b>Financial need</b>	\$1,000

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<b>Kiwanis Early Risers Scholarship</b>	Any Edgar County	No	Any	Any recognized junior college or 4-year school in <u>Illinois</u> or <u>Indiana</u>	1. <b>Financial need</b> 2. Top 25% of class 3. Illinois State Scholars may be considered	\$1,000
<b>Martha Wilkins Fancher Nursing Scholarship</b>	Paris	No	Nursing	Any recognized junior college or 4-year school in <u>Illinois</u> or <u>Indiana</u>	1. Top 25% of class 2. Illinois State Scholars may be considered	\$1,000
<b>Morrissey Family Scientific Careers Scholarship</b>	Any Edgar County	For past winners to continue receiving scholarship funds, they must provide evidence of their continuing involvement in the field of science	Science	Any recognized junior college or 4-year university	1. <b>Financial Need</b> 2. GPA in science classes will be evaluated	\$1,000
<b>Olan and Ann Hanner Scholarship</b>	Paris	No	None	Any recognized junior college or 4-year university	<b>Financial Need</b>	\$1,000
<b>Pam Cockcroft Memorial Scholarship</b>	Paris	Yes	None	Any recognized 4- year school	<b>Financial Need</b>	\$500
<b>Paris International Thanksgiving Fellowship Scholarship</b>	Any Edgar County	Yes  <b>Past winners are welcome to reapply</b>	A general scholarship, but priority will be given to those who study in an international field of study	Any recognized junior college or 4-year university	Applicants studying in an international field of study (such as business, relations, or foreign language) will be given <b>top priority</b> .	\$500

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<b>Paris Police Association Scholarship</b>	Any Edgar County	No	Criminal justice or law enforcement	Any recognized junior college or 4-year university	* The hope is that the winner will return to East Central Illinois after graduation	\$500
<b>Ron Doris Memorial Scholarship</b>	Paris	Yes	Teacher Education	Any recognized 4-year school	1. <b>Financial need</b> 2. Top 35% of class	\$500
<b>Shelley Johns Scholarship</b>	Any Edgar County	No	Health Studies, Psychology, or Social Work	Any recognized junior college or 4-year university	No other requirements	\$1,000
<b>Tom Hebermehl Vocational School Scholarship</b>	Paris	Yes  <b>Past winners are welcome to reapply</b>	None	Any school that leads to a 2-year <b>associate's degree</b>	<b>Financial Need</b>	<b>3</b> scholarships for \$1,000 each
<b>William &amp; Martha Wilkins Fancher Nursing Scholarship</b>	Paris	No	Nursing	Any recognized junior college or 4-year school in <u>Illinois</u> or <u>Indiana</u>	1. Top 25% of class 2. Illinois State Scholar may be considered	\$1,000

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