

COLLEGE. IT'S POSSIBLE.



OUR MISSION

The Denver Scholarship Foundation (DSF) inspires and empowers Denver Public Schools' (DPS) students to enroll in and graduate from postsecondary institutions of higher education, by providing the tools, knowledge, and financial resources essential for success.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS DEPEND ON THE FOLLOWING:

Financial Need. Students who are eligible for Federal Student Aid (FSA) must submit the FAFSA to determine financial need. The final Expected Family Contribution (EFC) must be 8,364 or less. Students who are ineligible for FSA must demonstrate financial need by qualifying for free/reduced-price meal benefits at some point in high school.

College Type. Students qualify for varying award amounts based on the type of college they attend. Students can receive a DSF Scholarship for: one year at a technical College, two years at a community college, or four years at a four-year college/university. Please speak with your Future Center Advisor or College Counselor for guidance.

Course Load. You must enroll in 12 or more credit hours per term.

SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY

To receive a DSF Scholarship you must meet the following requirements and complete the application process within one year of your graduation from high school:

- **Complete the DSF Application by April 1st**, including applying for three additional scholarships or two additional scholarships and a student support program;
- **Attend a DPS High School for all four consecutive years** before graduation and be included in the DPS October Count for all four years;
- **Graduate with the required minimum high school GPA** to be eligible for a DSF Scholarship at your intended college type (see charts for details);
- **Students who are eligible for Federal Student Aid** must submit the FAFSA by April 1 and have a final Expected Family Contribution (EFC) of 8,364 or less;
- **Students who are ineligible for Federal Student Aid** must confirm lawful presence in the United States and qualify for free/reduced-price meal benefits;
- **Students who qualify for a DSF Scholarship** must enroll in 12 or more credit hours per term and attend a DSF College Partner. Students must fulfill other defined Student Success Requirements (SSRs).

For complete list of deadlines & requirements:
denverscholarship.org/newchecklist

The following table is based on full-time enrollment (12 or more credits per term); will be divided equally per semester/quarter for the academic year; summer term(s) are not funded.

2019-20 ANNUAL AWARD AMOUNTS BY COLLEGE TYPE	REQUIRED HIGH SCHOOL GPA	ANNUAL AWARD AMOUNT	ELIGIBLE YEARS
TECHNICAL COLLEGE	2.0	\$1,700	1
COMMUNITY COLLEGE	2.5	\$1,400	2
FOUR-YEAR COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY	2.75	\$2,800	4

HIGH SCHOOL GPA REQUIREMENT

You must have at least a 2.0 high school GPA to be eligible for the DSF Scholarship. Your final cumulative high school GPA (weighted or unweighted, whichever is higher) will determine the college type(s) where you are eligible to receive the DSF Scholarship. Visit denverscholarship.org/hsgpa for details.

IF YOUR FINAL HIGH SCHOOL GPA IS:	YOU ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP ONLY AT THE FOLLOWING COLLEGE TYPE:	WHEN YOU SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE YOUR PROGRAM:
2.75 OR HIGHER	Any College Partner: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Four-Year College/University · Community College · Technical College 	You will continue to be eligible at any college type within your years of eligibility (or through completion of your first bachelor's degree, whichever is first).
2.5 - 2.749	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Community College · Technical College 	You will be eligible at a four-year college/university within your years of eligibility.
2.0-2.49	Technical College	You will be eligible at a community college or four-year college/university within your years of eligibility

DENVER SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION COLLEGE PARTNERS

The DSF Scholarship is available to qualifying DPS graduates who enroll in one of 31 College Partner schools, which include technical, community, and four-year colleges/universities. These colleges provide additional support such as mentoring, tutoring, and special workshops to ensure the success of all DSF Scholars.

Technical Colleges

Emily Griffith Technical College
Pickens Technical College

Community Colleges

Arapahoe Community College
Colorado Mountain College
Colorado Northwestern Community College
Community College of Aurora
Community College of Denver
Front Range Community College
Lamar Community College
Otero Junior College
Pikes Peak Community College
Red Rocks Community College

Four-Year Colleges & Universities

Adams State University
Colorado Christian University
Colorado College
Colorado Mesa University
Colorado School of Mines
Colorado State University
Colorado State University-Global
Colorado State University-Pueblo
Fort Lewis College
Johnson & Wales University (Denver Campus)
Metropolitan State University of Denver
Naropa University
Regis University
University of Colorado at Boulder
University of Colorado at Colorado Springs
University of Colorado Denver
University of Denver
University of Northern Colorado
Western State Colorado University

For more details about our College Partners, visit:
denverscholarship.org/colleges

This information is current as of 1/8/2019 but is subject to review and may be changed at any time at the discretion of the Denver Scholarship Foundation.

