

Scholarships Tri Star students for the 2023-24 School Year

These scholarships are managed by the Mercer County Civic Foundation (mercercountycivicfdn.org) unless otherwise noted.

** = MCCF application

	Scholarship Name:	Application due date:	Scholarship Amount:	Requirements/Notes:	Recipients
1.	Jerry Andrew Memorial: three (3) to be awarded	February 15	3 - \$3000 scholarships	Any major, advanced studies at the college level required	** Celina High School graduates, including one Celina student attending Tri Star Career Compact
2.	Armcorp Construction	April 1	\$500	Any construction related field includes 2 or 4 yr. degree or at a construction-related training center.	** Any school in Mercer Co. and students who attend Auglaize schools with Tri Star affiliation
3.	Fred U. Borger Memorial	April 1	\$1000	For any hardworking student with a desire to improve their mechanical skills in: diesel, truck, farm, large equipment. Good attendance record.	** Tri Star student; Tri Star chooses recipient
4.	Walter & Evelyn Braun Family	April 1	\$1000	Major in nursing or attending trade or technical school with any major.	** Coldwater High School or Coldwater/Tri Star graduate.
New! 5.	Bruns Construction Enterprises	March 14	\$1000	Major in a construction or construction-management field, drafting or design, construction-related engineering, business, or marketing.	**Any school in the following counties: Allen, Auglaize, Champaign, Clark, Darke, Franklin, Mercer, Miami, Montgomery, Shelby, or Van Wert or if the applicant is a child/grandchild of a current Bruns Construction Enterprise associate location does not matter.
6.	Celina Insurance Group Three (3) to be awarded	March 1	\$2500 (plus renewals)	* 2-4 year degree in the insurance industry or related field: business, communication, computer science, finance, pre-law, etc.	** Auglaize/Mercer Co. student or child/grandchild of Celina Group employee. Three scholarships to be given.
7.	Celina Tent Intern	March 14	\$2000 (renewable for 4 yrs.)	Must intern/work for Celina Tent, pursue engineering or business-related degree, and attend WSU-LC	** Preference to a Tri Star student but open to Mercer/Auglaize Co. students
8.	Coldwater Eagles	April 1	\$500	Any major	** Application from Eagles; Must be a child or grandchild of a Coldwater Eagles Member #3025
9.	Ken Sr., Chloe, & Ken Jr. Esmonde Family	February 12	\$1000	Tri Star student; any major	** Family chooses recipient
10.	Randy Griesdorn	April 1	\$1000	Mechanics: auto body/ auto or diesel mechanics/ technology, or auto related field, precision machining, welding or electronics	** One scholarship - Tri Star students from any of its feeder schools in Mercer & Auglaize Co. & Parkway schools
11.	John & Katie Hierholzer Scholarship for Culinary Studies	February 15	\$1500	Culinary studies, Hospitality, or Business at 2 or 4 year college or trade school	** Mercer Co students with PREFERENCE to CELINA graduate
12.	Carl Huber - Artistic and Creative Occupations Award and	March 14	\$1000	Artistic creative occupations: arts, community and family services, engineering, engineering technology, and drafting, repair, production & construction, or related fields of study. Education, business, and medical fields are specifically excluded.	** Celina or Tri Star/Celina graduate. Students are only eligible to apply for one of the two Huber scholarships given.
	Michele Huber - Teacher of Influence Award	March 14	\$1000	Any major	** Celina or Tri Star/Celina graduate. Students are only eligible to apply for one of the two Huber scholarships given.
13.	Paul Lefeld Family Memorial Agriculture: Three (3) scholarships awarded	March 14	\$1000	A high school Agriculture student pursuing a major in the field of agriculture at a technical school, college or university	** Three scholarships: Students from Celina, Coldwater, Fort Recovery, Marion Local, Minster, New Bremen, New Knoxville, Parkway, St. Henry, and St. Mary's.
14.	Lefeld Industrial: Two (2) awarded	April 1	\$1000	Students pursuing skilled trades training in a metal working occupation.	** Two scholarships: Any student from Mercer Co., Darke Co., or an Auglaize Co. high school affiliated with Tri Star. Preference given to students enrolled in welding, precision machining, or industrial tech classes; recipient does not need to be a Tri Star student
New! 15.	Maras Family	March 14	\$1000	Students pursuing skilled trades training in electrical, electrical engineering, woodwork, computer technology, or graphic design.	**Any high school with Tri Star affiliation
16.	Mercer Co Civic Foundation Tri Star Scholarship	February 15	\$5000	A student pursuing advanced training/education at an accredited institution or at the university level.	**Tri Star Career Compact .
17.	Mercer Co Retired Teachers	April 1	\$500	Education major	** One per county; MCCF chooses recipient
18.	Operation Freedom Support: One award at each Mercer Co. school	April 1	\$500	Any major. Must have a parent/step-parent, sibling/step-sibling that is either active, reserve, or retired military (with honorable discharge), includes deceased veterans	**One \$500 scholarship awarded at each Mercer Co. School
19.	Margaret & Parker Snyder: Two (2) awards	March 14	\$1000	Nursing	** One award to a Celina graduate and one to a graduate from a Mercer Co. school

20.	Tri Star Eternal - Five (5) awards	April 1	\$1,000 each	Students planning to continue their education or training beyond high school	** or paper application available at Tri Star. Rod Carpenter and Tri Star select and manage applications. Students may reapply for this scholarship after they leave Tri Star and continue their education but renewal is not guaranteed.
21.	University Women's/Evelyn Meyers: Two (2) awarded per year		\$1,500	Education major	Two awards per year. University Women handle application/selection; MCCF provides funds. Check with your guidance counselor for application.
22.	Stephen R. Vore Welding & Steel	April 1	\$1000	Skilled trades training in a metal working or welding field.	** Mercer Co. student with preference to a Ft. Recovery graduate
23.	Raymond & Mary Wenning	March 1	\$1000	Students pursuing a vocational trades program, including HVAC, electrical, auto-mechanic, plumbing, welding, machining, agriculture, or a similar field	** Students attending a Mercer Co. High School or the following Auglaize County Schools: Minster, New Bremen or St. Marys.

✦ *Tri Star feeder schools include: Celina, Coldwater, Ft. Recovery, Marion Local, Minster, New Bremen, New Knoxville, St. Henry and St. Marys*

✦ *Mercer County schools include: Celina, Coldwater, Ft. Recovery, Marion Local, Parkway, and St. Henry*

> Find additional scholarships through your home high school guidance counselor, the guidance page on your school's website, the Mercer County Civic Foundation's website, or through your college of choice.

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mercercountycivifdn.org

Have questions about the MCCF scholarships? Contact Sharon Green at 419-586-9950

OTHER/Tri Star Student SCHOLARSHIPS (Not managed by the Mercer Co. Civic Foundation)

1.	Haas Foundation Scholarships - multiple awards	April 1	\$1000 or more - varies depending on available funds	Tri Star Precision Machining and Engineering Technology programs	At least one award given with possibility of more depending on funds available. Tri Star handles application and selects recipients.
2.	Skills Gap Grant - multiple awards - at least one per Tri Star program	April 1	\$250 - multiple awards	Any Tri Star student who can show a need for equipment, protective gear, books, computer, tuition, etc. - essentials needed to pursue their chosen career field (college bound or not)	At least one award given in each Tri Star program with possibility of more depending on funds available. Tri Star handles application and selects recipients.