



## SCHOLARSHIP FAQs

### **How do I apply for scholarships?**

Apply online at [solacc.edu/scholarships](https://solacc.edu/scholarships)

### **How do I know what scholarships are being offered?**

Visit our scholarship page: [solacc.edu/scholarships](https://solacc.edu/scholarships). This page will show all available scholarships along with deadlines and other information.

### **How do I know what scholarships I qualify for?**

Our scholarship platform allows students to easily log in with their SoLAcc school account. The platform will pull all information from Banner to inform you what scholarships you qualify for.

### **When will I be notified if I received a scholarship?**

Students will be notified if they have received a scholarship award by email and phone prior to the corresponding semester start date.

### **Do I need to complete the FAFSA?**

Yes. Scholarships awarded through this competitive application process require the recipient to show financial need as determined by the annual Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

### **Do I have to be admitted to apply?**

Students must have applied and been accepted through admissions to apply for scholarships.

### **If selected to receive a scholarship, when will I receive the funds?**

Scholarship reimbursements or payments are not finalized until after the last day for student-initiated withdrawal. Until that time, students will need to pay their tuition in full or enroll in the payment plan.

### **Do you have any tips on applying for scholarships?**

Put your best application forward with these three tips:

- **Avoid mistakes.** Always spell-check and proofread your application and essays for errors. Allow another person to proofread your application as well.
- **Tell a compelling story.** What makes you unique? What makes you stand out from the crowd of other applications? In your application, highlight positive, unique, or transformative aspects of your life.
- **Follow all directions carefully.** Answer each essay question with exactly what the question is asking. The essay is your best chance to make a case for why you should receive the scholarship.