

2023-24 November COLLEGE PROGRAM and SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Application Fee Waivers

In November 2021, GSFC partnered with the University System of Georgia to offer Georgia high school seniors application fee waivers in honor of Georgia Apply to College Month. Because of its success, for the third year in a row, they are partnering with the University System of Georgia, the Technical College System of Georgia and private colleges and universities to offer application waiver fees to students during Georgia Apply to College Month. Please see the end of this newsletter for a list of colleges.

Burger King

Burger King awards up to 700 scholarships in the amounts ranging from \$1000-\$50,000. Criteria for this scholarship: a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5, works an average of 15 hours per week, 40 weeks per year (part-time, year-round), demonstrates participation in community service and/or extra-curricular activities, demonstrates financial need, can obtain recommendations from a school official and an employer, and plans to enroll in accredited two- or four- year college, university, or vocational-technical school. To apply for scholarship, go to <https://bk-scholars.com/> Last day to submit applications is by **December 15th**.

Cappex

This year Cappex.com is giving high school students \$25,000 in scholarships just for being themselves. There is no essay to write, no letter of recommendation to solicit. To qualify, students need only fill out a free profile on Cappex.com. Students may apply for multiple scholarships using the same profile. In all, 26 scholarships in 14 categories will be awarded. There are scholarships for students headed to the top 10 most popular majors. Cappex is also giving away airline vouchers so students can visit potential schools with our college tour Travel Scholarships. There is even a Hardship Scholarship for a student that didn't let adversity interfere with success. For full scholarship details and deadlines go to www.cappex.com

Common Application

The Common Application is a not-for-profit membership organization that, since its founding 35 years ago, has been committed to providing reliable services that promote equity, access, and integrity in the college application process. You can go to www.commonapp.org for more information.

Equitable Excellence Scholarship (formerly known as the AXA Achievement Scholarship)

The Equitable Foundation presents this program. The awards are worth \$2,500, \$10,000 or \$25,000! To qualify, a student should be well-rounded, committed to making a difference and have demonstrated achievement-at a job, sport, or extracurricular activity. You can download an application at <https://equitable.com/foundation/equitable-excellence-scholarship>. **DEADLINE TO REGISTER is DECEMBER 18th**.

Financial Aid Night at Upson-Lee High School

Upson-Lee High School will hold a Financial Aid night on **December 7, 2023, at 6:00 pm.**at the Upson-Lee High School media center. A representative from Georgia Student Finance

Commission will be here to explain the FAFSA process and answer any questions that students or parents may have.

Jackie Robinson Scholarship

Must be a minority graduating high school senior who has been accepted by a four-year, accredited college/university; academic achievement, leadership and financial need will be considered. Applications are available online at www.jackierobinson.org. The deadline is **January 10th**. Each new JRF Scholar receives \$24,000 over four years to attend a four-year accredited college or university

Ron Brown Scholar Program

Must be a African American high school senior that excels academically; shows exceptional leadership potential, be involved in community services and must demonstrate financial need. Must attend a four-year accredited university and must be a U.S. citizen or have a permanent resident VISA. Deadline for applications December 1st. Go to www.ronbrown.org or call 1.434.964.1588

SENIORS:

****The last SAT test score that can be used for STAR student competition is the NOVEMBER test administration. STAR student is based on highest SAT score and ranking in top 10% of the graduating class.**

****Any senior athlete who plans to play a sport in college should register with NCAA. The website for registration is www.eligibilitycenter.org . There is a registration fee.**

Colleges that are waiving application fees in November:

College Name (link to application)	Waiver Dates	Instructions for Applicants	For questions about the application process email:
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@abac.edu
Albany State University	November 1st-30th	Once the student gets to the page to enter the code, they should just bypass that page. It will allow them to move to the next page and complete the application.	admissions@asurams.edu

Albany Technical College	November 1st-30th	Code: MATCH23	admissions@albanytech.edu
Athens Technical College	November 1st-30th	Code: MATCH23	admissions@athenstech.edu
Atlanta Metropolitan State College	Fee is always waived	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@atlm.edu
Atlanta Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	ATCenrollment@atlantatech.edu
Augusta Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	nwilliams@augustatech.edu
Augusta University	November 1st-30th	Apply via the Common Application and select "Apply to College Month" on the School Specific Fee Waiver question.	admissions@augusta.edu
Central Georgia Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissionsoffice@centralgatech.edu
Chattahoochee Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	Enroll@ChattahoocheeTech.edu
Clayton State University	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	csuinfo@clayton.edu
Coastal Pines Technical College	November 1st-30th	Code: MATCH23	info@coastalpines.edu
College of Coastal Georgia	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@ccga.edu
Columbus State University	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	enroll@columbusstate.edu
Columbus Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@columbustech.edu

Dalton State College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@daltonstate.edu
East Georgia State College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	mmoran@ega.edu
Fort Valley State University	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@fvsu.edu
Georgia Gwinnett College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	ggcadmissions@ggc.edu
Georgia Highlands College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admitme@highlands.edu
Georgia Institute of Technology	November 1st-30th	On the Common Application, select "Yes" to one of the following questions within the General section: - Have you or will you graduate from a Georgia High School? - Are you a resident of Georgia currently attending high school out of state?	admission@gatech.edu
Georgia Northwestern Technical College	November 1st-30th	Code: MATCH23	admissions@gntc.edu
Georgia Piedmont Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@gptc.edu

Georgia Southern University	October 31st-November 30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@georgiasouthern.edu
Georgia Southwestern State University	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@gsw.edu
Georgia State University (Perimeter College only)	November 1st-30th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First Year Applicants to the Atlanta Campus using the Common Application: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Under the School Specific Fee Waivers questions, students should select "Apply to College Month" - There will be a follow up question for students to indicate if they currently attend a high school in Georgia, students should select YES. • First Year Applicants to Perimeter College: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Enter Fee Waiver Code: ACM2023 	admissions@gsu.edu
Gordon State College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@gordonstate.edu
Gwinnett Technical College	November 1st-30th	Code: MATCH23	GTCRecruitment@GwinnettTech.edu

Kennesaw State University	November 1st-30th	On the Common Application, under "School Specific Fee Waiver" question, select "Apply to College Month"	KSUAdmit@kennesaw.edu
Lanier Technical College	November 1st-30th	Code: MATCH23	admissions@laniertech.edu
Middle Georgia State University	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@mga.edu
North Georgia Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@northgatech.edu
Oconee Fall Line Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@oftc.edu
Ogeechee Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	enrollmentservices@ogeecheetech.edu
Savannah State University	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@savannahstate.edu
Savannah Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	Admissions@savannahtech.edu
South Georgia State College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@sgsc.edu
South Georgia Technical College	November 1st-30th	Code: MATCH23	sgtc411@southgatech.edu
Southeastern Technical College	November 1st-30th	Code: MATCH23	admissions@southeasterntech.edu
Southern Crescent Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@sctech.edu

Southern Regional Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	Admissions@southernregional.edu
University of North Georgia	November 1st-30th	Applicants will need to use waiver code ungadmissions	admissions-dah@ung.edu
University of West Georgia	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admiss@westga.edu
Valdosta State University	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@valdosta.edu
West Georgia Technical College	November 1st-30th	Code: MATCH23	admissions@westgatech.edu
Wiregrass Georgia Technical College	November 1st-30th	Fee will automatically be waived	admissions@wiregrass.edu