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**BATES TECHNICAL
COLLEGE FOUNDATION**

NEED HELP FUNDING YOUR EDUCATION? LEARN MORE ABOUT THE BATES TECH FOUNDATION.

Each year, generous donors make it possible for the Bates Tech Foundation to offer student scholarships. Every student deserves to get the education they deserve, and scholarships from the Bates Tech Foundation can provide financial assistance for educational expenses including tuition, tools, books, exams and program supplies.

FAQs

Who is eligible for Foundation scholarships?

- Adult students enrolled in an educational program and taking at least ten academic pre-requisites credits.
- Some scholarships are open to any registered student while others are only for students in specific, donor-designated programs.
- Must have a FAFSA or WAFSA on file in the financial aid office, even if you do not receive financial aid

When can I apply for a scholarship?

- Scholarships are available each of the four quarters of the academic year – fall, winter, summer and spring.
- Apply for scholarships every quarter that you attend Bates Tech for maximum benefit.
- The application process opens approximately eight weeks before the beginning of the next quarter.

How will I know when the scholarship process is open?

- Watch for an email from the Foundation in your Bates Tech inbox.
- Canvas announcement.
- Call the Foundation at 253.680.7251 to find out.

How does the scholarship process work?

- Go to the AwardSpring website to complete the application. Applications are global – fill out one and it will be applied to all of the scholarships you qualify for.
- Bates Tech employees, Bates Tech Foundation Board of Directors and community members will score the applications. The Foundation staff review and carefully make the final decision.

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FAQs (Continued)

How will I be notified if I receive a scholarship?

- The Foundation will send an email notification with the next steps to the Bates Tech emails of those who have earned a scholarship through the Bates Tech Foundation.
- A letter to your personal email as indicated in the application will be sent with the next steps to follow to receive your award.

Why can't I use my scholarship for living expenses?

- Scholarships are made possible by the generosity of individuals or organizations. When donors make their gifts, they give us specific stipulations and eligibility requirements and it is our obligation to honor them. Our scholarship donors want their funds to go directly to support your educational expenses to attend Bates Technical College – tuition, books, tools and supplies.

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