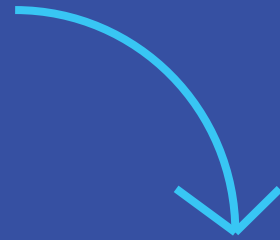


DID YOU SIGN UP FOR

THE COLLEGE BOUND SCHOLARSHIP IN MIDDLE SCHOOL?



THIS SESSION IS ALL ABOUT IT!



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WHAT IS THE COLLEGE BOUND SCHOLARSHIP?

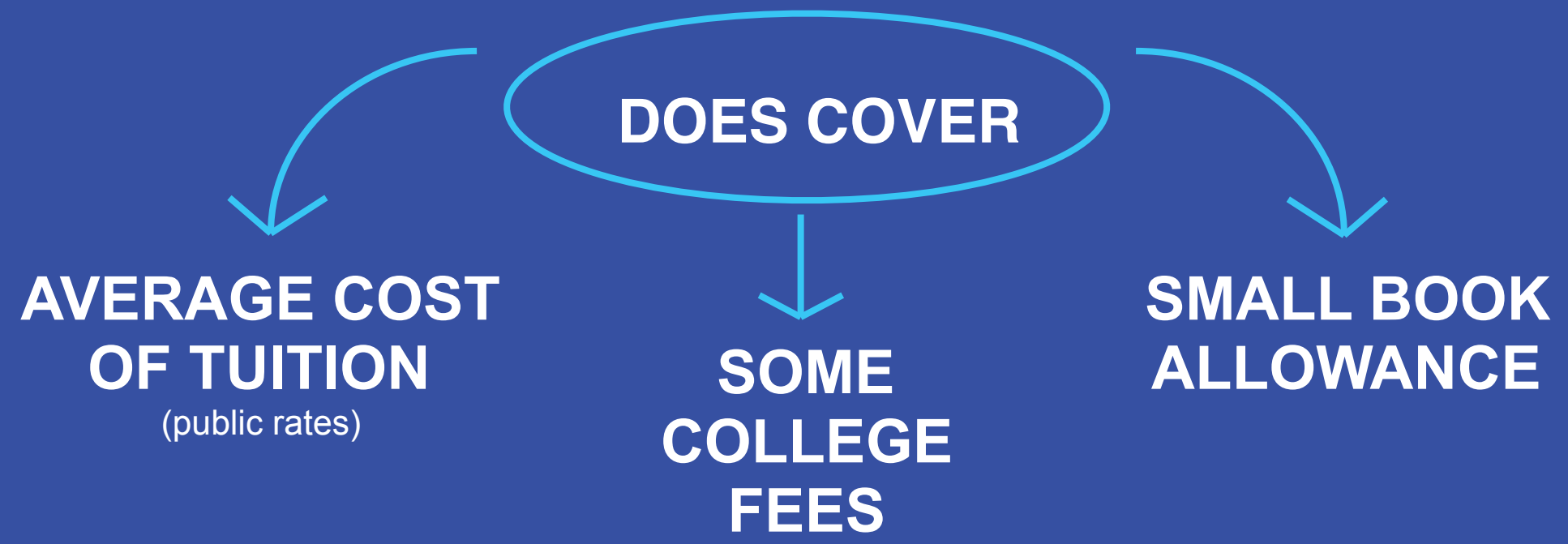
- ★ Early **commitment** of state financial aid to eligible 7th and 8th grade students.
- ★ Combines with other state financial aid to cover the average cost of tuition (at comparable public college rates), some fees, and a small book allowance=**commitment** of funds.



WHAT DOES IT COVER?

DOES NOT COVER

- Housing
- Meal Plan
- Transportation
- Health Care / Insurance
- Non-Mandatory fees



USE THESE FUNDS

Use the College Bound Scholarship at 66 college and universities in Washington



And more... You can find a list online at www.readysetgrad.org/eligible-institutions



WHITWORTH BOUND

- College Bound Eligible
- 3.5 WEIGHTED GPA
- Must maintain satisfactory academic progress

4-years of 100% tuition coverage through federal, state, and university aid.



253 PLU BOUND

- College Bound Eligible
- 3.5 WEIGHTED GPA
- Must maintain satisfactory academic progress

4-years of 100% tuition coverage through federal, state, and PLU grants and scholarship aid.



FALCON BOUND

- College Bound Eligible
- 3.0 unweighted GPA -OR- 1220+ on SAT -OR- 25+ composite on ACT
- Must maintain satisfactory academic progress

4-years of 100% tuition coverage through federal, state, and SPU grant and scholarship aids.

FULL TUITION for qualifying CB Scholars at select private institutions.

THE COLLEGE BOUND

PLEDGE:



- ★ Graduate from a Washington State high school with a 2.0 GPA or better.
- ★ Have no felony convictions.
- ★ Be income eligible, as determined by the college with information from the FAFSA or WASFA.
- ★ Enroll in an eligible college within one year of high school graduation.

What is GPA?

Grade Point Average is a number signifying the grades earned when those grades are assigned a number value from 0.0 to 4.0.

ALL YOUR CLASSES COUNT!

- ★ What is your GPA?
- ★ What does it mean for the rest of your Shorewood career?
- ★ <http://www.collegesimply.com/gpa-calculator>

GET TO 2.0

Must average these grades for the rest of high school

1.6 Current GPA:

10th grade
2.4 (C+ average)

11th grade
3.2 (B average)

12th grade
Not possible...

1.1 Current GPA:

10th grade
2.9 (B- average)

11th grade
Not possible...

12th grade
Not possible...

- ★ Credit Recovery earns credits needed to graduate, but doesn't provide a grade or adjust the previous grade impacting the GPA

2018

CURRENT QUALIFYING INCOME LEVEL



College Bound
Scholarship
WASHINGTON

Median Family Income (MFI) Chart for 2018-2019	
Household size	Annual Income
1	\$30,000
2	\$39,000
3	\$48,000
4	\$57,000
5	\$65,500
6	\$75,500
7	\$77,500
8	\$79,000

**Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) + Nontaxable income*

MUST FILL OUT ONE

FAFSA

- Free Application for Federal Student Aid
- [FAFSA.gov](https://fafsa.gov)

OR

WASFA

- Washington Application for State Financial Aid
- [Readyssetgrad.org/wasfa](https://readyssetgrad.org/wasfa)

BOTH OPEN OCTOBER 1
IN FALL OF SENIOR YEAR

NEED TO KNOW:

THERE ARE
REQUIREMENTS BUT
THERE'S ALSO
FLEXIBILITY!

- ✦ Must enroll in college within 1 year of high school graduation.
- ✦ Must be used within five year of HS graduation (Class of 2018's CB scholarship expires in 2023).
- ✦ College Bound is a four-year scholarship (12 quarters/8 semesters).
- ✦ Be “in good standing” with your college to maintain scholarship (GPA, honor code, etc.).
- ✦ File the FAFSA or WASFA every year - Income eligibility is checked each year of college.

WHAT'S Next?

Prepare

Be sure you take the right courses for graduation and college admission

Plan

Explore different school and job options:

- Career Center
- Naviance
- Ms. Stephens
- SW Counselors

Apply

Apply in your senior year to eligible colleges and for financial aid with either the FAFSA or WASFA

SENIOR YEAR PROCESS: FAFSA OPENS OCTOBER 1

The what and when of receiving your College Bound Scholarship.

TO RECEIVE YOUR SCHOLARSHIP:



You



College Bound



Your College

1. Meet the CBS pledge requirements.
2. File the FAFSA or WASFA. You may file as early as October 1. Remember that each college has their own financial aid deadlines that you must follow.
3. Be admitted to and enroll in an eligible institution in Washington within one year of high school graduation.
4. Be a U.S. citizen, eligible non-citizen, or have DACA status.

1. Sends you a "match email" notifying you when your FAFSA or WASFA is matched to your original College Bound application.*
2. Identifies you as a College Bound student to the colleges you listed on the FAFSA or WASFA.

****If you don't receive a "match email" within two weeks of submitting your FAFSA or WASFA, contact us at 888-535-0747 or collegebound@wsac.wa.gov.***

1. Determines if your income meets the eligibility guidelines.
2. Calculates your financial aid award.
3. Sends you an Award Letter (by mail or email) indicating how much financial aid you will receive.
4. Disburses your financial aid to you, including your College Bound Scholarship, before classes begin.



STAY CONNECTED

**KEEP YOUR INFORMATION
UP TO DATE & SIGN UP FOR
COLLEGE BOUND EMAILS**

Let College Bound know if your contact information has changed:

collegebound@wsac.wa.gov.

WATCH FOR EMAILS

**From Shorewood:
College/Career Center
Counselors**

From College Bound

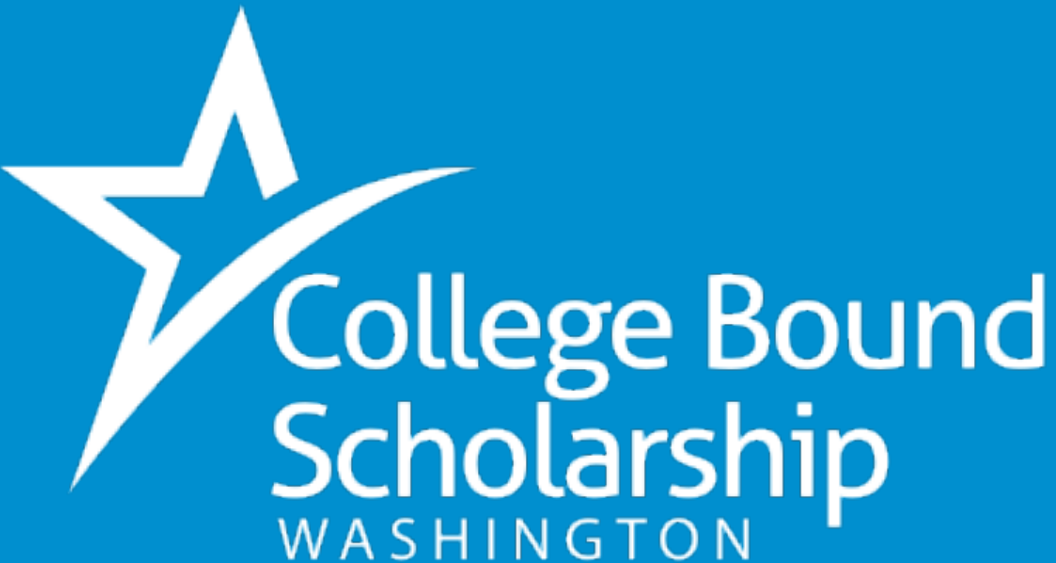
SW STUDENTS:

***Use your K-12 Shoreline Email!
This is like your work email address
right now, just like the working world
has to manage and use personal
and work accounts!***



**QUESTIONS?
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COLLEGE
BOUND**

OR YOUR SHOREWOOD
COUNSELOR



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