

Programs Administered By the State Education Assistance Authority (SEAA) - 2015-16

Major Programs

Program	Qualifying Campuses	Merit or Need	Amount	Enrollment	Application Details	Application Deadline	Additional Information
North Carolina Community College Grant	North Carolina community colleges	Need	\$150 to \$1,500	At least 6 semester hours	FAFSA; list at least one qualifying NC community college	Awarded until funds are exhausted	CFNC.org/NCCCG
North Carolina Education Lottery Scholarship (ELS)	UNC campuses and community college campuses	Need	\$100 to \$3,000	At least 6 semester hours	FAFSA; list at least one qualifying NC campus	Awarded until funds are exhausted	CFNC.org/ELS
North Carolina Need-Based Scholarship (NBS)	NC private nonprofit colleges, Mid-Atlantic Christian University, The College at Southeastern, Carolinas College of Health Sciences, Mercy School of Nursing	Need	Award amount varies	At least 9 semester hours	FAFSA; list at least one qualifying private college or university	Awarded until funds are exhausted	CFNC.org/NBS
UNC Need-Based Grant	16 campuses of The University of North Carolina	Need	\$500 to \$4,200	At least 6 semester hours	FAFSA; list at least one qualifying NC public university	Awarded until funds are exhausted	CFNC.org/UNCNB

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Private Scholarships

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Aubrey Lee Brooks	NC State University, UNC-Chapel Hill, UNC-Greensboro	Merit and Need	About half the cost of attendance at a qualifying institution (currently, \$12,000). Stipends for summer study abroad, research or internship.	Full-time	Available at CFNC.org/brooks . Students must also complete the FAFSA, available at FAFSA.gov .	Application: Jan 31, 2016	Competitive scholarship. Candidates must be residents of one of 14 counties (see website). Students must present competitive GPA, and SAT or ACT scores. For more information visit CFNC.org/brooks .
Golden LEAF Scholarship	NC universities, certain North Carolina private institutions and certain nursing schools (complete list of schools at CFNC.org/goldenleaf)	Need	Up to \$12,000 over four years	Full-time	Program details are posted at CFNC.org/goldenleaf	Deadline: March 1st	Candidates must be residents of one of 78 counties. For more information visit CFNC.org/goldenleaf
Jagannathan Scholarship	Any of the UNC system four-year universities	Merit and Need	Variable, non-renewable	Full-time	Available at CFNC.org/jag . Students must also complete the FAFSA.	Application and FAFSA: Feb 1	Competitive scholarship. For more information visit CFNC.org/jag .

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Other Programs

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Forgivable Education Loans for Service (FELS)	See list at CFNC.org/FELS	Merit	Annual awards: \$3,000 - 14,000 depending on degree program and grade level.	6 hours for under graduates	Application available in January at CFNC.org/FELS .	April 1 Priority Deadline	<p>Forgivable loan for students committed to working in North Carolina in identified critical employment shortage professions.</p> <p>List of qualifying campuses and programs, cumulative grade point average (GPA) requirements, maximum aggregate loan limits and other program details can be found at CFNC.org/FELS.</p>
NC Reach	NC community colleges or public universities	Need	Award amount varies	At least half-time	Program details are posted at CFNC.org/ncreach	N/A	Program for foster youth. CFNC.org/ncreach

Programs and amounts listed on this sheet are subject to change. For the latest information and awards, visit CFNC.org each fall. For free information about a variety of programs designed to assist North Carolinians, including graduate and professional students and upper-level undergraduate students, contact College Foundation of North Carolina at CFNC.org or 866-866-CFNC, or visit CFNC.org/fabook to view our financial aid handbook. Rev. 11/15

