



UNCF Scholarships for High School Seniors

(United Negro College Fund)

To Apply, log onto www.scholarships.uncf.org; For help with the application and essay, contact Ms. Graves at 731-265-1721 and agraves@lanecollege.edu

All Students

1. **UNCF General Scholarship Application 2018** – **Students who** have at least a **2.5 GPA** overall can apply. Complete the application, now!

Regional Scholarships

1. **Greater Pensacola Education Scholarship 2018** - **high school seniors, freshmen, sophomores, & juniors** whose permanent residence is in Escambia County, FL (see website for eligible zip codes) and have at least a **2.5 GPA** overall can apply; Award Amount: up to **\$1,500**; Application **Deadline: Fri., 6-15-18**, 10:59 pm CST; 11:59 pm EST
2. **PepsiCo Foundation-UNCF Bronx Women's Initiative 2018** - **Women high school seniors, freshmen, sophomores, & juniors** whose permanent residence is in the Bronx, N.Y. and have at least a **2.75 GPA** overall can apply; Award Amount: up to **\$5,000**; Application **Deadline: Fri., 6-29-18**, 10:59 pm CST; 11:59 pm EST
3. **Panda Cares - UNCF Scholars Program (Phase I) 2018** - **high school seniors** who have at least a **2.8 GPA** overall and whose permanent residence is in **Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Missouri, Tennessee, Texas, and Wisconsin** can apply. See additional eligible states on the website; Award Amount: up to **\$2,500/yr**; Application **Deadline: Fri., 7-20-18**, 10:59 pm CST; 11:59 pm EST

Application Instructions:

- 1) Log onto www.scholarships.uncf.org
- 2) Click on "Log On or Register" in the upper right corner
- 3) Create a username, password and profile
- 4) Go back to www.scholarships.uncf.org; click the link to the scholarship for which you will apply; and review all of the details & instructions
- 5) Click "Apply," and complete the application
- 6) Submitting an essay will be required; Draft it in a WORD document; Address the topic given; Proofread it carefully; Copy & Paste it in to application

- 7) A scanned copy of your official transcript might also be required; so, that you can upload it to the UNCF website
- 8) You must invite a professor or supervisor or coach, etc. to write you a letter of reference on-line. **(A)** Submit your recommender's email address and name in the reference section of the application. **(B)** UNCF will email him/her a link to use to write your letter of reference on-line. **(C)** Tell your recommender to check his/her spam folder for an "Invitation to Serve as A Reference" email
- 9) Log in to your UNCF account weekly, and check your "Landing Page" for scholarship and internship alerts

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