

Program Goals

 Attend some of the nation's top four-year colleges and universities

- Connect with peers and mentors who support academic success and development of expertise
- Gain the skills, networks, knowledge, and confidence to excel in college
- Get prepared for postgraduate opportunities: career and/or graduate school

Program Experience

Personalized Advising

College Transition
Navigating Resources

Financial Support

Up to \$55,000 per year for 4 years
Internship Support

Cooke Community

Scholars Weekend and other events

Cooke Alumni

Cooke Graduate Scholarship

Eligible to apply for up to \$150,000





Eligibility

- Graduating from a U.S. high school in spring 2024
- Enrolling in a four -year college in fall 2024
- Cumulative, unweighted GPA of 3.5 or above
- Maximum family adjusted gross income of \$95,000 annually



Application Components

- Demographic and household info
- High school transcript
- Extracurricular activities/résumé
- Two recommendations
- Written response questions, including college plans
- Family financial information

Selection Criteria

Academic Achievement

Classes and grades, recommendations, enthusiasm for learning, higher level thinking and analysis

Leadership

Initiative, community involvement, service to others

Persistence

Goal-setting, response to challenges



Cooke College Scholarship Program

Application Available in Common App <u>https://apply.commonapp.org</u>

Open August 24 – November 16, 2023

Take-Aways

- Application open Aug. 24 Nov.
 16, 2023 on Common App
- Application review process occurs Dec. 2023 – March 2024
- Visit <u>www.jkcf.org/college</u> for more information
- Email <u>scholarships@jkcf.org</u> with questions
- Follow @TheJKCFon Twitter, IG for announcements and highlights of our amazing Scholars





