



# College Now Scholarship Criteria 2017-2018

*Guiding You to Higher Education and Career Success*

## 2017/2018 Scholarship Criteria

College Now awards scholarships to graduating seniors of the high schools it serves. In order to receive a scholarship from College Now, a student must first be nominated by the College Now advisor at his/her school.

## REQUIREMENTS FOR NOMINATIONS:

- Be recommended by your College Now advisor
- Have a cumulative weighted GPA of at least a 2.5
- Have a minimum ACT composite score of 18 or SAT score of 860 by February of the student's senior year
- File the 2017-2018 FAFSA
- Qualify for the Federal Pell Grant
- Show ambition by, being responsive to your College Now advisor and turning in required documents by the deadline

## Scholarship Application Process

Decisions are contingent upon available funds and the number of applicants.

- Complete scholarship application online  
<https://goo.gl/nIEMvb>
- Turn in the following documentation
  - SAR or FAFSA confirmation cover page
  - Transcript
  - SAT or ACT test score
- Students will be notified of their status starting in May 2017.

## Mentoring Program

College Now provides a mentoring program to our scholarship recipients. Mentors are volunteers from the Greater Cleveland area who hold college degrees and who can answer questions, offer support, and help you reach graduation! Mentors and students communicate online and meet in person throughout students' college careers.

Matches are based on personal characteristics, career, and academic interests.

Selected scholars will receive more information about the program and orientation dates in May.

