



AmeriCorps

SERVICE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDENTS

If you are involved in the following service activities, you may be eligible for a service scholarship:

- ❖ Tutoring/ mentoring K-12
- ❖ Community-based service addressing human needs (i.e. volunteer firefighting)
- ❖ Community work study position in a local service agency
- ❖ Participating in service or service-learning activities

Note: Financial need is **NOT** a consideration for this scholarship

- ❖ **Community Work Study:** As a community-based work study, your hours working in tutoring, mentoring, or addressing human needs **DO** count toward the grant.
- ❖ **Volunteering:** If you are involved in a volunteer program that addresses tutoring, mentoring and human needs, your hours **DO** count toward the grant.
- ❖ **Nursing Clinicals, Sociology Fieldwork or Student Teaching:** If you are involved in an unpaid student teaching position, practicum, or fieldwork for education, sociology, nursing, etc. in which you are tutoring, mentoring, or addressing unmet human needs in a community, your hours **DO** count toward this grant.

How it works:

- ❖ Students engage in service activities and report time and progress to a campus coordinator
- ❖ The hours accumulate over the course of your term of service (1 or 2 years)
- ❖ At the end of the service, students exit AmeriCorps and receive their scholarship in the form of an education voucher
- ❖ There are three scholarship amounts, correlating to three different service terms:
 - 300 hours in one calendar year = \$1,000
 - 450 hours in one calendar year = \$ 1,250
 - 900 hours in up to two calendar years = \$2,363

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