



Cumberland Community Foundation, Inc.

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Cumberland Community Foundation Scholarship Awards 2025/2026

New Scholarship Awards

| --- NAME --- | --- AWARD NAME --- |
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| Emanuela Adeyemi | The Kiwanis Club of Cape Fear Scholarship |
| James Ryan Alfaro | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Kyleigh Allen | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Jayden Bailey | Janie Chavis-Lucas Scholarship |
| Jayden Bailey | Susan Townsend Barnes Scholarship |
| Isaiah Baillie | Brenda Jernigan Memorial Scholarship |
| Braudy Barcena Gil | Ella Smith Downing Charitable Scholarship |
| Kelsey Belgrove | Ella Smith Downing Charitable Scholarship |
| Trinity Blue | Cumberland County Farm Bureau Federation, Inc./William E. "Bill" Tew, Jr. Scholarship |
| Cameron Bounds | Brian Edkins Memorial Scholarship |
| Nya Bunyan | Maxine Cook Manger Scholarship |
| Campbell Burt | Gurney and Olive McLaughlin Scholarship |
| Eli Cain | Anne Barnes Sternlicht Scholarship |
| Eli Cain | Ella Smith Downing Charitable Scholarship |
| Christian Campbell | Thurman Williams, Jr. Scholarship |
| Christian Carter | Jim Haney Opportunity Scholarship Endowment |
| Chyna Chambers | Brenda C. McFadyen Scholarship |
| Chyna Chambers | Manning Family Scholarship |
| Bryan Charles | Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Scholarship |
| Emily Cline | Pay It Forward Scholarship |
| Emily Cline | Shantilal and Indumati Mehta Scholarship Endowment |
| Nigel Cooper | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Madison Culbreath | Dr. Edwin B. Martin Scholarship |
| Launa Draughon | Leonard G. McLeod Theatre Scholarship |
| Braydon Gleeson | Brenda C. McFadyen Scholarship |
| Isabelle Guevarra | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Charlene Gutierrez | Dorothy A. Howard Memorial Scholarship |
| Abbey Hartman | Cumberland County Farm Bureau Federation, Inc./J. McNatt Gillis Memorial Scholarship |
| Ashton Horne | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Madelyn Jeffreys | Linda Lee Allan Home Builders Scholarship |
| Madelyn Jeffreys | The Kiwanis Club of Cape Fear Scholarship |
| Collin Jeter | Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Scholarship |
| Angela Johnson | Seema Joshi Scholarship for Health Care Professionals |

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| Camryn long | W. T. Brown Scholarship Endowment |
| Lauren Middleton | Fayetteville Firefighters Scholarship for Dependent Children |
| Lauren Nazario | Beth Bryan Creative Arts Fund Scholarship |
| Lauren Nazario | Steven R. Elrod Memorial Scholarship |
| Damar Nesmith | Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Scholarship |
| Damar Nesmith | Calvin Swinson, Jr. Scholarship Fund |
| Damar Nesmith | E. E. Miller Scholarship |
| Zamir Newkirk | Paul and Frances Monroe Scholarship Endowment For Music |
| Se Hee Park | Cumberland Retired School Personnel Scholarship |
| Se Hee Park | Organization of Korean-American Women of NC Scholarship Endowment |
| Kylie Patten | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Morgan Powers | Carter Ray Nimocks and Barbara D. Nimocks Scholarship 2025 |
| Morgan Powers | Dr. John R. Griffin, Jr. Memorial Scholarship for E.E. Smith High School 2025 |
| Kinsley Purser | The Kiwanis Club of Cape Fear Scholarship 2025 |
| Azlyn Raja | Cape Fear River Assembly Scholarship |
| Michael Rice, Jr. | Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Scholarship |
| Michael Rice, Jr. | The Justin Richard Lopes University of South Carolina Award 2025 |
| Arrington Richardson | Entre Nous Scholarship 2025 |
| Arrington Richardson | Gurney and Olive McLaughlin Scholarship |
| Julien Ritchie | Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Scholarship |
| Lilly Russell | Cumberland County Farm Bureau Federation, Inc./Gordon M. Williams Scholarship |
| Zyann Saunders | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Zyann Saunders | FCHRC/Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship |
| Darin Schmidt | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Drake Schmidt | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Kayla Spell | FCHRC/Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship |
| Wade Stiles | The Justin Richard Lopes Soccer Award |
| J'Veon Taylor | Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Scholarship |
| Benjamin Traylor | Beth Bryan Creative Arts Fund Scholarship |
| Carlo James Valencia | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Kalea Valle | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Gracie Waltz | Fayetteville Firefighters Scholarship for Dependent Children |
| Karmen Wiley | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Karmen Wiley | FCHRC/Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship |
| Ariminta Williams | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2025 |
| Tony Woodard | John Thomas Gibson Scholarship |
| Tony Woodard | Reverend Henry Hudson Bobbitt Scholarship |
| Sophie Zhu | Dorothy Gilmore FCCYC Scholarship and Monroe E. Evans Scholarship |
| Sophie Zhu | Ella Smith Downing Charitable Scholarship 2025 |

Scholarship Renewals

| --- NAME --- | --- AWARD NAME --- |
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| Mark Anthony Adams II | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Cianni Anthony | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Jair Arevalo-Argueta | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Gabriel Baker | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Tayla Barbara | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Reagan Batdorff | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Cameron Bebeau | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Sophie Blankenship | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Paul Blue | William W. Crowell Scholarship |
| Josiah Boyd | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Mya Boyd | Charles Calvert Holt Scholarship |
| Tamia Brantley, | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Anayah Butler | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Nirvaan Chapatwala | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Alyssa Chavis-Wanson | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Whitley Cline | Colonel Frederick W. Best Jr. USA & Chief Petty Officer Frederick W. Best Sr., USN Scholarship |
| Thalya Council | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Nadia Crosby | Curtis E. Torrey Scholarship |
| Laiya Davis | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Emma De Noble | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Zoe Dwight | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Garek Dixon | Ella Smith Downing Charitable Scholarship |
| Nicholas DeVault | Ellen Koonce Parker Scholarship |
| Christopher Ewart | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Jade Feimster | Ella Smith Downing Charitable Scholarship |
| Jade Feimster | John W. Wyatt, Jr. Memorial Scholarship |
| Talia Flood | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Roman Fonseca | Ellen Koonce Parker Scholarship Fund |
| Anaya Forte | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Anna Gaithright | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Chase Gibbs | Robert N. Shuller/SfL+a Architects Scholarship |
| Danya Grady | Fayetteville Area Alumnae Chapter, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Scholarship |
| Grace Guevarra, | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Zyaih Hobdy | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Timothy Ingram | Manning Family Scholarship Endowment |
| Evan Isenbarger | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Ayla Jensen | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Holley Johnson | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Raelynn Johnson | Booker T. and Juanita E. Coley Scholarship |
| Raelynn Johnson | C.G. Avent, Jr. and Amelia P. Avent Memorial Scholarship |
| Jazlyn Jones | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |

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| Saehim Kim | Ella Smith Downing Charitable Scholarship Fund |
| Landon Knox, | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Ming Kong | Dr. Lu, Sylvia, and Daniel Kiang Scholarship for Chinese Students |
| Nicholas Lane | Ella Smith Downing Charitable Scholarship |
| Katy Lavasser | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Joanna Mei Lin | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Sanaa Lindsey | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Haven Lucas | Dr. Gloria Dantzler and Sergeant First Class (Ret.) Leon Dantzler, Sr. Memorial Scholarship |
| Anna Ly | Shantilal and Indumati Mehta Scholarship Endowment |
| Mariana McCottry | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Alannah McMillan | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Janiel Mercado | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Lauren Middleton | Walter Lee "Jack" Tucker Scholarship Fund |
| Jackson Miller | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Jaylen Moment | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Dacien Montford | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Charles Morris II | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Jada Murrain | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Charlene Nguyen | Ella Smith Downing Charitable Scholarship |
| Justus Olsen | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Anna Piland | Cape Fear Regional Tennis Foundation Scholarship |
| J'Nya Richardson | Rita J. Pope Memorial Scholarship |
| Matthew Riley | Ellis-Walker Builders, Inc. Scholarship |
| Allyson Rodriguez | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Amanda Salmeron-Ferrera | Brenda C. McFadyen Scholarship Fund |
| Brittney Santamaria - Cortez | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Cole Sgro | Charles Calvert Holt Scholarship |
| Makayla Smith | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Terra Smith | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Mary Stiles | Ella Smith Downing Charitable Scholarship |
| Mary Stiles | Charles Calvert Holt Scholarship |
| D'Shawn Thomas | Ella Smith Downing Charitable Scholarship |
| Raquel Walton | Gurney and Olive McLaughlin Scholarship |
| Morgan Ward | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Makayla Whitted | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2023 |
| Abraonna Williams | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Saniya Worthy | Robert H. Short Scholars Class of 2024 |
| Safiyah Young | Robert H. Short Scholarship Class of 2022 |
| Johnny Zhu | Dr. Lu, Sylvia, and Daniel Kiang Scholarship for Chinese Students |