Scholarships

Outside scholarships are another way to help cover your remaining balance. Outside scholarships are any scholarship not given by the school you plan on attending. You can find scholarships that apply to any community you are a part of. Some examples of these communities are the LGBTQ+ community, a race based community, or the disabled community. The Point Foundation's Flagship Scholarship is a scholarship for LGBTQ+ students. This foundation also has a BIPOC Scholarship for students of color.

There are also many other ways to find scholarships that may apply to you. Below are other resources for finding scholarships.

High School & Local Scholarships
Many high schools will give out their own scholarships to students. Many local businesses also give out scholarships to high school students in their area. These are some of the easier scholarships to win because a smaller population is applying to them unlike national scholarships. Get in touch with your guidance counselor to learn more.

College Board Scholarship Search
Many high school students already have an account and are familiar with the College Board if they have taken the PSATs, SATs, or AP Exams. The College Board Scholarship Search can match you with scholarships based on your background. The College Board even has some of their own scholarships as well. Here is the College Board website: www.collegeboard.org.

Scholarships.com
Scholarships.com has a Scholarship Directory tab in which you can choose from a variety of different criteria that may apply to you. It will then show you different scholarships that are for the chosen criteria. This can help narrow your scholarship search and find options tailored to you.
Here are some other scholarship websites:
www.cappex.com
www.petersons.com
www.fastweb.com
www.chegg.com

Please note, if you receive an outside scholarship and/or additional institutional scholarships at any point during the academic school year, your financial aid may be adjusted. The Financial Aid Office has the right to remove or decrease a previously awarded scholarship, grant, or loan on your account if you receive more aid than the cost of attendance. Please be sure to always check your email and review your Self Service account any time an adjustment is made.

If you have any questions about finding scholarships, make an appointment with the Financial Aid Office or call (215)-965-4041.