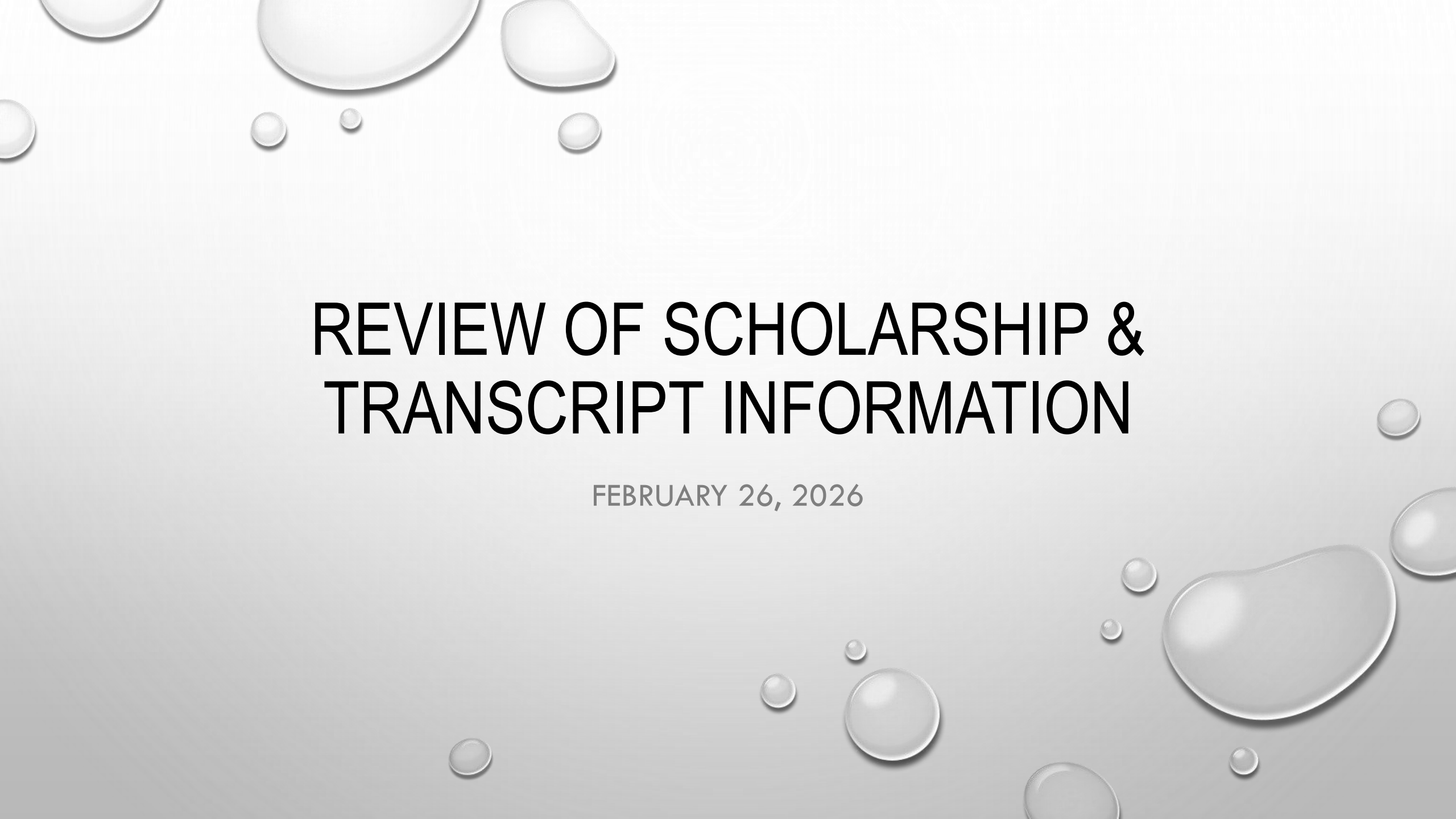


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# REVIEW OF SCHOLARSHIP & TRANSCRIPT INFORMATION

FEBRUARY 26, 2026

# SCHOLARSHIPS

- MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS:
  - BASED ON HOPE GPA & TEST SCORES.
  - NEARLY ALL COLLEGE OFFER MERIT AID SCHOLARSHIPS, BUT AMOUNTS VARY FROM COLLEGE TO COLLEGE, ESPECIALLY PUBLIC VS. PRIVATE.
  - SOME MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS REQUIRE LEADERSHIP/COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS & SCHOOL INVOLVEMENT.
  - MANY OF THESE MERIT BASED SCHOLARSHIPS CAN BE RENEWED EVERY YEAR.

# LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS

- SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS AND INFORMATION IS LOCATED ON THE SCHOOL WEBPAGE.  
[WWW.SCHS.SCHLEYK12.ORG](http://WWW.SCHS.SCHLEYK12.ORG).
- SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION IS EMAILED TO STUDENTS. \*\*\*CHECK YOUR EMAIL DAILY!
- A *REMIND* MESSAGE IS SENT THROUGH THE REMIND APP ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP POSTED.
- SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION IS UPDATED AS WE RECEIVE NEW INFORMATION.
- SCHOLARSHIPS CAN BE EMAILED TO REBECCA FERGUSON, MEDIA SPECIALIST AT [RFERGUSON@SCHLEYK12.ORG](mailto:RFERGUSON@SCHLEYK12.ORG).
- SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY APRIL 3<sup>RD</sup> FOR LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS.

# HOPE/ZELL MILLER SCHOLARSHIPS

## APPLICATION PROCEDURE AND DEADLINE FOR THE HOPE/ZELL MILLER SCHOLARSHIP

- REQUIRED APPLICATION
- STUDENTS HAVE TWO OPTIONS WHEN APPLYING FOR THE HOPE SCHOLARSHIP:
  1. COMPLETE THE [FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID \(FAFSA\)](#) OR,
  2. COMPLETE THE [ONLINE GEORGIA STUDENT FINANCE APPLICATION \(GSFAPP\)](#).
    - NOTE: THE FAFSA MUST BE COMPLETED EACH YEAR.
- APPLICATION DEADLINE
- THE APPLICATION DEADLINE IS THE LAST DAY OF THE SCHOOL TERM OR A STUDENT'S WITHDRAWAL DATE, WHICHEVER OCCURS FIRST.
- RECOMMENDATION: SUBMIT THE ANNUAL FAFSA OR THE GSFAPP AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE; THE EARLIER YOU APPLY, THE EARLIER YOUR COLLEGE CAN DETERMINE YOUR ELIGIBILITY AND AWARDS.

NOTE: ADDITIONAL COLLEGE-SPECIFIC APPLICATION AND DEADLINE REQUIREMENTS MAY BE REQUIRED. CHECK WITH YOUR POSTSECONDARY INSTITUTION.

# HOPE/ZELL MILLER SCHOLARSHIPS

- HOPE/ZELL MILLER AWARDS ARE ISSUED AFTER GRADUATION.
- AFTER GRADUATION THE GRADUATED TRANSCRIPT IS SUBMITTED TO GA FUTURES. ONCE TRANSCRIPTS ARE PROCESSED THE HOPE/ZELL MILLER SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS ARE ISSUED.
  - AWARDS AMOUNT ARE ISSUED AROUND JUNE 30<sup>TH</sup>.

# HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS

- AFTER SUBMITTING COLLEGE APPLICATIONS, EMAIL MRS. HAGERSON REQUESTING YOUR HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT TO BE SENT TO THE COLLEGE.
- COLLEGES USUALLY WILL NOT MAKE AN ADMISSION DECISION UNTIL HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT IS RECEIVED.
- STUDENTS WHO HAVE DUAL ENROLLMENT CREDIT ALSO HAVE TO SEND OFFICIAL COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS FOR ADMISSION DECISION TO BE ISSUED.
  - COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS HAVE TO BE SENT BY THE STUDENT. THE HIGH SCHOOL DOES NOT HAVE ACCESS TO REQUEST COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS TO BE SENT.

# FINAL HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS

- **FINAL** HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS ARE SENT TO COLLEGES THROUGH THE SECURE PORTAL IN GA FUTURES.
- SENIORS WILL FILL OUT **FINAL** TRANSCRIPT REQUEST AT GRADUATION PRACTICE (MAY 21<sup>ST</sup>).
- **FINAL** TRANSCRIPTS ARE SENT THE WEEK OF MAY 26<sup>TH</sup>-29<sup>TH</sup>.
- COLLEGES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR RETRIEVING TRANSCRIPTS IN THE SECURE PORTAL, UPDATING THE STUDENTS INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATING RECEIPT OF TRANSCRIPTS TO THE STUDENT.

# COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS

- COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS HAVE TO BE REQUESTED FOR SENDING, BY THE STUDENT. THE HIGH SCHOOL DOES **NOT** HAVE ACCESS TO REQUEST COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS TO BE SENT.
- SGTC TRANSCRIPTS REQUEST:  
[HTTPS://WWW.SOUTHGATECH.EDU/ADMISSIONS/REGISTRAR/REQUEST-TRANSCRIPT/](https://www.southgatech.edu/admissions/registrar/request-transcript/)
- GSW TRANSCRIPT REQUEST: [HTTPS://WWW.GSW.EDU/REGISTRAR/TRANSCRIPT](https://www.gsw.edu/registrar/transcript)

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# REMIND

- TEXT THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE @GCC9KBA TO 81010.
- REMIND IS USED TO INFORM SENIORS OF:
  - SCHOLARSHIPS POSTED TO THE SCHOOL WEBPAGE
  - FAFSA EVENTS
  - MEETINGS
  - EVENTS
  - AND MORE
- MAKE SURE TO SIGN UP TO RECEIVE SENIOR UPDATES.



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