

Admissions 103: College Cash

1 Scholarships & Grants

▶ The **JVS Scholarship Loan Program** of the Jewish Vocational Service Agency offers interest-free, need-based loans up to \$5,000/year to Jewish residents of MetroWest New Jersey. jvsnj.org

▶ The **JCCs of North America Graduate Scholarship Program** offers full-time students pursuing a master's degree in select subjects up to \$20,000 if they agree to work for two years at a JCC after graduation. jccworks.com

▶ The **Dallas Jewish Community Foundation** offers \$800–\$10,000 need-based scholarships to students of all faiths primarily from the Greater Dallas/Fort Worth area. djcf.org

▶ The **Jewish Social Service Agency** offers \$2,500–\$6,000 scholarships and interest-free loans to Jewish residents of Maryland, DC, and northern Virginia. jssa.org

▶ The **Jewish War Veterans of the United States of America** offers \$1,000–\$1,500 grants to high school seniors who are direct descendants of members. jvw.org

▶ The **Central Scholarship & Loan Referral Service** (a program of the Jewish Federation of Greater Pittsburgh administered by Jewish Family & Children's Service) offers \$500–\$3,000 need-based scholarships to Western Pennsylvania residents. centralscholarship.org

▶ The **Jewish Family Service Association** offers need-based grants and loans of up to \$4,000/year to Jewish residents in Greater Cleveland. jfsa-cleveland.org

▶ The **Jewish Vocational Service of Los Angeles** offers need-based scholarships of \$2,000–\$5,000/year to Jewish residents of California's Los Angeles County. jvsla.org

▶ The **Jewish Children's Regional Service** offers \$2,000 grants and

no-interest loans on average per academic year to Jewish undergraduates whose families reside in Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Oklahoma, Tennessee, and Texas. jcrs.org

2 Lower Cost Loans

▶ The **Jewish Educational Loan Fund (JELF)** provides interest-free, need-based “last-dollar” loans to Jewish students from Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Virginia. jelf.org* Member organizations of the **International Association of Jewish Free Loans** offer interest-free, need-based loans. freeloan.org

Editor's Note: For more scholarship, grant, and loan sources, check with the major Jewish organizations in your local community, among them the Jewish Information and Referral Service and the National Council of Jewish Women.