

TN Promise Checklist for the Class of 2023

Apply to the Tennessee Promise program at tnpromise.gov by November 1, 2022 (application available August 2022).	
Complete 2023-24 FAFSA at studentaid.gov by March 1, 2023 (2023-24 FAFSA application available October 1, 2022).	
Attend one mandatory meeting (meeting date TBD).	
Complete 8 hours of community service between November 2, 2022 – July 1, 202 3	
Enroll at a community college or TN College of Applied Technology (TCAT) by August 2023.	

Additional Financial Aid Opportunities for 2023 High School Seniors

Scholarship	Overview	Application
Ned McWherter	29 ACT & 3.5 GPA* Limited # of awards	Available tn.gov/tsacstudentportal Deadline February 15, 2023
HOPE Foster Child Tuition Grant	21 ACT or 3.0 GPA* DCS custody at age 13+ Department of Children Services	2023-24 FAFSA studentaid.gov
STEP UP	Individualized Education Program (IEP) graduates enrolling in an individualized program of student at Lipscomb, Union, University of Memphis, Vanderbilt, or UT Knoxville	2023-24 FAFSA studentaid.gov & STEP UP application available collegefortn.org/tennessee-step-up-scholarship
Dependent Children	Children of law enforcement officers, firemen or EMTs who were killed or permanently disabled in the line of duty while employed in Tennessee	Available tn.gov/tsacstudentportal Deadline July 15, 2023

^{*}All courses calculated on a 4.0 scale per the Uniform Grading Policy; an unweighted GPA at most high schools

Are you an adult interested in college? Check out threconnect.gov to learn about TN Reconnect.

Are you a military veteran? Check out collegefortn.org to learn about our Helping Heroes Grant.