



PRECOLLEGE NEED-BASED FINANCIAL GRANT

APPLICATIONS WILL CLOSE [MARCH 18, 2026](#), *no exceptions*.

Complete applications will be reviewed in March based on the student statement and financial disclosure. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Funding is limited to tuition only. Room, board, and SHIP (Student Health Insurance Policy) are not covered by need-based financial grant funding.

We strongly recommend that the student, and those advocating for the student, reach out to their local network to request assistance. Your family, employers, local arts organizations, other groups you may be affiliated with who may support your education. In addition, Google your county name followed by the phrase "Community Foundations". Such as Sarasota Community Foundations for Sarasota County. This will pull a list of organizations that often have philanthropic funds available through application. You will need to research at each site and request their assistance.

Applying for Need-Based Grant funding is optional, via your Portal once you have submitted your application and created an account.

Please direct questions to precollege@ringling.edu.