



Our Mission

To help deserving high school graduates and working adults in the Charlottesville community afford the cost of college to enhance their education and enrich their lives.

Congratulations to Our Spring 2011 Scholarship Recipients!

	<p>Shaniece Bradford wants to study criminal justice in college. Her goal is to become an FBI agent. While in high school, she has been a clerk at the Goodwill store in Charlottesville, working 20 hours a week while maintaining a strong grade point average. Shaniece is a motivated, engaged student who also is a member of the sideline cheerleading squad.</p>
	<p>James Dowell plans to study marketing in college. He wants to use that degree to come back to work at the John Paul Jones Arena, where he currently works with the street team marketing department. James will be the first member of his family to attend college and his high school counselor says he has what it takes to make his dream come true.</p>
	<p>Champrea Frye plans to study nursing. Her goal is to become a pediatric nurse practitioner. Champrea has participated in many extracurricular activities at Charlottesville High School, including the National Honor Society and the National Society of Black Engineers. She also is very active in the youth program at Zion Union Baptist Church.</p>
	<p>Latoya Hughes plans to study social work. Her teachers praise her dedication, focus, and work ethic, keeping up with her studies while working part-time at Kroger. In fact, she has worked since the age of 13. Dedicated to her family, Latoya is anticipating becoming the first member of her family to attend college.</p>
	<p>Richard Washington plans to study music education, sharing the passion for music he has had since a young child. He would like to become a high school band director and teacher. Richard has been an integral part of the award-winning CHS Marching Knights and the school's wind ensemble. His teachers have praised his leadership and academic skills.</p>
	<p>Valerie Washington plans to major in economics and international education. With that knowledge, she anticipates working in Washington, D.C., or helping the less fortunate overseas. Since her freshman year, Valerie has opted for the most challenging courses. She is particularly interested in closing the achievement gap and ensuring success for all students.</p>
	<p>Christopher Yates plans to study criminal justice and fire science along with theology, combining his interests in helping people on multiple levels. Christopher has overcome many obstacles to become an involved, motivated student. He has worked at Giant Foods since 2006 and is a volunteer fire fighter with the Charlottesville Fire Department.</p>



Scholarship Recipients Graduating This Year

Yarden Batson, *George Mason*
Christopher Covington, *Virginia Tech*
Corinne Durette, *Temple*
Luke Neer, *University of Virginia*

Congratulations! Job well done, scholars!

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SAVE THE DATE!
Charlottesville's Promise Gala

A celebration of our community, its scholars, and a promise . . .

Saturday, October 29, 2011
at
The Paramount

Join us for an exciting evening of fun, music, dining, dancing, and a special presentation as we celebrate the 10th anniversary of our community's promise to create opportunities and help build futures for Charlottesville public school graduates—present and past—who have limited financial resources.

For Gala sponsorship information,
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