

## SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

Rather than burden students with a debt that takes years to pay off, LCOOC has elected to not provide Student Loans to its students. However, this makes Grants and Scholarships even more important to offset the costs associated with attending College.

Wisconsin State Grants are offered on a first-come first-served basis determined by when FAFSA was completed. Therefore, the earlier that you complete your FAFSA, the greater the possibility of obtaining a State Grant. Other grants are also available through your Financial Aid Office but have specialized criteria and limited budgets. You can find information on Wisconsin State Student Grants -- including the Wisconsin Indian Grant -- on our website at <http://www.lco.edu>.

Through community generosity, several LCOOC-specific scholarships are available. For more information on these scholarships, and how to apply for them, please contact the LCOOC Financial Aid Office.

Students who are interested in applying for additional scholarships should:

- Work with your high school to determine if there any scholarships available through them
- Contact your place of work to determine if they have any scholarships available to employees
- Go online to websites such as: [www.college-scholarships.com](http://www.college-scholarships.com) and begin hunting

The American Indian College Fund provides Scholarship opportunities to Native American (and to a lesser extent, all) students enrolled at Tribal Colleges. You can apply online at [www.collegefund.org](http://www.collegefund.org)