

CRIMINAL JUSTICE SCHOLARSHIPS

Criminal justice is the study of all things related to law enforcement, police, lawyers, and corrections. Students studying criminal justice or criminology in college should consider the scholarships below.

[Johnnie L. Cochran, Jr. Memorial Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: The Cochran Firm

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: December 1, 2023

Description: Scholarship is open to high school seniors and current college students. Applicant must submit an essay on a given topic related to social media and civil rights.

[Pumphrey Law Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Pumphrey Law

Amount: Up to \$750

Closing Date: December 8, 2023

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming and current undergraduate and graduate students in the United States. Applicant must submit an essay on one of three given topics related to criminal justice system, access to legal services, or advancements in technology.

[UNCF Social Justice Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: UNCF

Amount: Up to \$5,000

Closing Date: December 14, 2023

Description: Scholarship is open to students who are from New York, New Jersey, Vermont, and Connecticut who are committed to social justice. Applicant must be African American and be currently enrolled in college with at least a 2.5 GPA. Although all majors are encouraged to apply, those students who are political science, criminal justice or in a course of study toward the preparation of law school will be given preference.

[Juvenile Justice Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: The Law Offices of Mark Sherman

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: December 31, 2023

Description: Scholarship is open to current undergraduate and graduate students who have at least a 3.0 GPA and have demonstrated their interest in serving the less privileged in their community. Applicant must submit an essay on a given topic related to juvenile justice.