



“Obstacles are put in our way to see if we really want to reach our goals or if we just thought we did”

~~ Alyssa Farmer

## Community College Placement Test

Representatives from Forsyth Tech will be here on Thursday, March 28th to administer the community college placement test to seniors planning to attend Forsyth Tech, Surry Community College and Guilford Tech. We will also be holding prep sessions in March like we did in the fall for this test. If you are planning to attend a community college other than the 3 already mentioned and would like to know if they accept the same test FTCC administers, see Mrs. Sawyer.

Also, students who have completed their applications and placement testing by May 1 will be eligible to attend an early registration session for the Fall of 2013 here at South Stokes. More information about this fabulous opportunity will follow.

### Placement Test Prep Sessions Schedule

DATE	TOPIC	LOCATION	TIME
March 7	Reading Comprehension	D7 w/ Mrs. Holmes	7:40-8:10
March 11	Sentence Skills	D7 w/ Mrs. Holmes	7:40-8:10
March 18	Sentence Skills	D7 w/ Mrs. Holmes	7:40-8:10
March 19	Elementary Algebra	F2 w/ Mrs. Boak	7:40-8:10
March 19	Elementary Algebra & Arithmetic	F1 w/ Mrs. Williams	3:15-4:15
March 20	Arithmetic	F4 w/ Mrs. Hunter	7:40-8:10
March 25	Reading Comprehension	D7 w/ Mrs. Holmes	7:40-8:10
March 26	Elementary Algebra	F2 w/ Mrs. Boak	7:40-8:10
March 27	Arithmetic	F4 w/ Mrs. Hunter	7:40-8:10
March 27	Elementary Algebra & Arithmetic	F1 w/ Mrs. Williams	3:15-4:15
March 28	ALL - choose the topic you need last minute brushing	D7; F1; F2; F4	7:40-8:15

### SAT Subject Tests

Many colleges require students enrolling in their schools to take the SAT Subject Test for placement/registration purposes. Be sure you check the requirements of the schools you've been accepted to and are planning to attend to see if this is a step you'll have to complete. The SAT schedule for the remainder of the school year is below:

TEST DATE	REGISTRATION DEADLINE
May 4	April 5
June 1	May 2

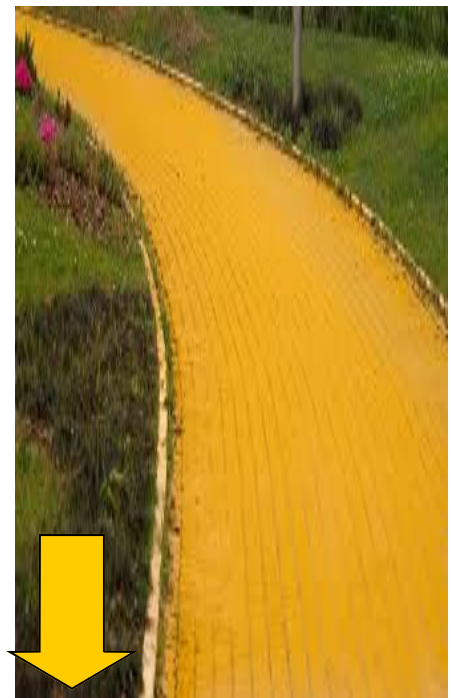


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### Upcoming Dates & Events

Mar 16 - FAFSA Workshop - King Public Library 10:00-2:00  
Mar 20 - Early Dismissal 12:00 noon  
Mar 26 - Mandatory Senior Trip Parent Meeting  
Mar 28 - Progress Reports  
Mar 28 - FTCC Placement Test  
Mar 29-Apr 5 - SPRING BREAK!  
Apr 1 - All Winston Salem Foundation Scholarships due - ABSOLUTE FINAL DEADLINE!!  
Apr 17-Apr 22 - Senior Trip!

**Follow the yellow brick road for scholarship opportunities!**



# AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIPS

Be sure to check out the Scholarship Page of the Counselor Website as well!!

## DEADLINE

## SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS

March 22  
NEXT WEEK!!

**Susie Johnson Lauten Scholarship:** One student from South Stokes will be selected to move on to the selection committee for this scholarship. Five students (one from South, North, and West Stokes and two from McMichael) will compete for a \$300 scholarship. Applicants should demonstrate keen awareness of our country's history and have a willingness to participate in continuing our heritage. Applications are available in the Counseling Office.

March 22  
NEXT WEEK!!

**Chester Arzell & Helen Miller Montgomery Scholarship:** This \$1000 renewable scholarship is for graduation high school seniors in STOKES COUNTY who are pursuing post-secondary education at an accredited institution. Applications are available in the Counseling Office or at [www.wsfoundation.org](http://www.wsfoundation.org).

March 22  
NEXT WEEK!!

**Lloyd E. & Rachel S. Collins Scholarship:** This \$1000 renewable scholarship is for deserving graduating seniors from South, North, and West High Schools planning to attend a 2-year or 4-year college/university. Applications are available in the Counseling Office or online at [www.wsfoundation.org](http://www.wsfoundation.org)

March 25th

**SECU People Helping People Scholarship:** one recipient per school valued at \$10,000 (\$1250 paid per semester) to attend one of the 16 colleges in the UNC system. Eligible seniors must have been accepted to one of the 16 UNC system schools, be a US citizen and resident of NC, exemplifies the philosophy of People Helping People through demonstrated leadership, excellence of character, integrity, and community involvement. For more information see Mrs. Sawyer.

March 25th

**Shelton Scholarship:** Students in Stokes County planning to attend either Forsyth Tech or Surry Community Colleges are encouraged to apply for this local scholarship. Applications are available in the Counseling Office.

March 30th

**Stokes County Child Nutrition Association Scholarship:** Students that are children or grandchildren of members of the Stokes County Child Nutrition Association and will be attending 2-year or 4-year school are eligible to apply for this \$250 scholarship. Applications are available in guidance.

March 31st

**Janice M. Scott Memorial Scholarship:** 3-5 scholarships for a one time award of \$2500 available for high school seniors who have a 3.0 GPA or higher, will be enrolling full time in an accredited college or university within the 50 states or DC, have demonstrated leadership abilities, and who demonstrate financial need by parents' income not exceeding \$100,000 a year. Applications are available in guidance.

March 31st

**Whitlow-Osborne Scholarship:** Students planning to enter an emergency services curriculum at a community college, technical institute, or trade school are encouraged to apply for this local scholarship valued at \$2000 (\$500 paid each semester). Awards based on scholastic achievement, intellectual ability, financial need, character, and promise of future contribution to society. Applications available in the Counseling Office.

April 1st

**Willis H. Overby Scholarship:** Two \$600 scholarships will be awarded to graduating seniors from Stokes County School. Who will go directly to an accredited vocational/technical school, community college, or college/university in pursuit of a certificate, diploma, or degree. Applications are available online at [www.wsfoundation.org](http://www.wsfoundation.org).

April 1st

**Forgivable Education Loans for Service (FELS):** Qualified students committed to working in North Carolina in fields that have a critical need for more employees such as nursing, teaching, allied health, or other medical fields may apply. For more information go to [www.cfnc.org/FELS](http://www.cfnc.org/FELS)

April 1st






**NC Bar Association Scholarship:** Grants available to students of law enforcement officers who were killed or permanently disabled in the line of duty. For more information and to apply visit <http://younglawyers.ncbar.org/media/207370/childrenofslainorpermanentlydisabledlawenforcementofficers.pdf> or e-mail Jacquelyn Terrell at [sections@ncbar.org](mailto:sections@ncbar.org)

April 10th

**Masonic Lodge Scholarship:** Walnut Cove Masonic Lodge offers a \$500 scholarship to one student AT SOUTH STOKES HIGH SCHOOL! Students must be planning to attend a community college and is intended to award the best all-around student. Applications are available in the Counseling Office.

NEW NEW!!



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 <p><b>April 10th NEW NEW!!</b></p>	<p><b>Ben &amp; Lemma Apple (Forsyth Tech Community College):</b> Students accepted to and planning to enroll at Forsyth Tech for the Fall of 2014 that demonstrate financial need may be considered for this \$1000 scholarship through FTCC. Students interested in being considered should see Mrs. Sawyer for an application.</p>
 <p><b>April 15th NEW NEW!!</b></p>	<p><b>Germanton Ruritan's Scholarship:</b> Students who live in Germanton and have been involved in community service projects to help out those in need should apply for this scholarship worth at least \$500. Applications available in the Counseling Office.</p>
 <p><b>April 15th NEW NEW!!</b></p>	<p><b>M&amp;T Scholarship:</b> Students planning to attend Forsyth Tech Community College or Western Carolina University to major in sciences, medical fields, or education are encouraged to apply for this scholarship. Applications are available in the Counseling Office.</p>
<p><b>April 15th</b></p>	<p><b>Stokes Family YMCA Scholarship:</b> Students that have been involved with any program associated with the YMCA (YAG, after school care, etc) are encouraged to complete an application for this scholarship which will be awarded to students in Stokes County. Applications are available in the guidance office.</p>
<p><b>April 15th</b></p>	<p><b>NC Caring for America Scholarship:</b> Dependent children of an active duty NC service member who was wounded or killed while serving in a combat zone from September 11, 2001 to present day are encouraged to apply for this \$1000 award. Applicants should be a high school senior planning to attend an accredited North Carolina College, vocational, or technical school. Applications are available in the Counseling Office.</p>
<p><b>April 15th</b></p>	<p><b>NC Society of Accountants Scholarship:</b> \$600 available to deserving students planning to pursue a career in accounting. Applications are available in the Counseling Office.</p>
<p><b>April 15th</b></p>	<p><b>Stokes County Retired School Personnel Scholarship:</b> two \$1500 scholarships available to Stokes County seniors who will be attending a college or university this fall to pursue a degree in the education field. Applications are available in the Counseling Office.</p>
 <p><b>April 19th NEW NEW!!</b></p>	<p><b>Jamie Rominger Memorial Scholarship:</b> Students planning to pursue a career in medical or mental health fields are encouraged to apply for this scholarship offered in memory of a fellow Saura. This year's scholarship amount is currently undetermined, but will be announced after Spring Break. Applications are available in the Counseling Office.</p>
 <p><b>April 30th NEW NEW!!</b></p>	<p><b>Electric Lineman Scholarship:</b> Surry-Yadkin EMC is offering a \$600 scholarship to students planning on enrolling in Forsyth Tech's electric lineman program. Interested students should contact Surry-Yadkin EMC for an application.</p>
<p><b>May 27th</b></p>	<p><b>B. Davis Scholarship:</b> Up to \$1,000 awarded for an essay contest on the following topic: <i>In less than 1000 words discuss what you would consider to be the most important issue that society has to deal with in the next 10 or 20 years? Why do you think this is so important?</i> Submit essays through e-mail to <a href="mailto:awards@studentawardsearch.com">awards@studentawardsearch.com</a>. Visit <a href="http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm">www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm</a> for more information.</p>
<p><b>June 14th</b></p>	<p><b>Abbott &amp; Fenner Scholarship -</b> \$1000 scholarship available high school seniors based on an essay regarding the following topic: What have you done outside the classroom that demonstrates qualities sought after by the post secondary institution that you are hoping to attend? Also, which of these qualities means the most to you? For more information and to apply visit <a href="http://www.abbotandfenner.com/schoalrships">www.abbotandfenner.com/schoalrships</a></p>
<p><b>June 21st</b></p>	<p><b>Big Sun Scholarship:</b> \$500 available for student athletes. Seniors that participate in a sport are encouraged to apply. Visit <a href="http://www.bigsunathletics.com">www.bigsunathletics.com</a> for more information and to apply.</p>
<p><b>Varied</b></p>	<p><b>Ayn Rand Essay Contests:</b> visit <a href="http://aynrandnovels.org/essay-contests.html">http://aynrandnovels.org/essay-contests.html</a> to learn more about essay contests pertaining to Ayn Rand novels. One entry per student.</p>
<p><b>Varied</b></p>	<p><b>Various social awareness scholarships available at</b> <a href="http://www.dosomething.org/scholarships">http://www.dosomething.org/scholarships</a></p>