



Panda Cares - UNCF Scholars Program

Frequently Asked Questions

Does the application only apply to people that reside in the states listed?

Yes, all applicants who reside in the listed states are eligible to apply.

I live in Washington, DC. Can I still apply?

Only applicants who reside in the listed states are eligible.

The District of Columbia is not an eligible state.

The application says applicants need to be Pell Grant eligible. Do I have to have received the actual Pell Grant?

Yes, your FAFSA must include a Pell Grant.

How do I get to Phase II of the application?

At the conclusion of Phase I, all completed applicants will be reviewed and selected applicants will receive an invitation to Phase II.

How do I access the learning modules to complete the application?

The learning modules will only be available to winning applicants as part of the program.

I have submitted my application but the income in our household has changed.

How can I update that information?

If you are referring to your UNCF profile, you may update your information at any time. If you are referring to your Student Aid Report, you must update via your FAFSA portal.