



QuestBridge is a non-profit organization that helps high-achieving, low-income students gain admission and full four-year scholarships to 42 of the country's top-ranked colleges through the **National College Match**. They cover 100% of student's demonstrated financial need, so attending colleges like Stanford, Yale, Duke, and MIT can be very possible.

How does it work?

The National College Match is a college and scholarship application process that connects students to early admission and full four-year Match Scholarships at top colleges. These generous financial aid packages are loan-free with a \$0 parental contribution. Finalists are selected by QuestBridge and will be considered by multiple college partners of their choice to be “matched” — admitted early with a Match Scholarship from the college. College partners ultimately decide which students to admit, and they provide the scholarships, not QuestBridge. Finalists who are not matched have additional admission opportunities through QuestBridge and can receive financial aid packages that are often as generous as a full scholarship.

Who should apply?

- The National College Match is open to high school seniors who demonstrate:
Academic Achievement: Earn primarily A's in the most challenging courses available and display intellectual curiosity and strong writing ability.
- Financial Need: Come from households earning less than \$65,000 annually (for a typical family of four), with minimal assets.
- Strength in Character: Have resilience, integrity, and motivation to succeed.

Most Finalists:

- Rank in the top 5-10% of their class.
- Score > 1280 on the SAT or >27 on the ACT.
- Qualify for free or reduced-priced lunch.
- Demonstrate leadership in extracurricular activities and/or engage in community service.
- Are among the first generation in their family to attend a four-year college.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FMPQ0Yn4zUY>

To apply, find the online application at www.questbridge.org. **Deadline: September 29, 2020**
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