

VANCOUVER

Middle school students: Are you College Bound?

The College Bound Scholarship is trying hard to spread the word about its full scholarships for low-income seventh-, eighth- and ninth-graders in Washington state.

College Bound offers full tuition at a public, private, community or technical college for up to four years. The program also offers a stipend of \$500 a year for books.

There will be an informational session on College Bound from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. May 2 at Clark College in the Gaiser Student Center, 1933 Fort Vancouver Way.

Vancouver Public Schools employees will be there to help with the application process, but students from all school districts may apply.

Though there are eligibility requirements — the maximum income for a family of three is \$32,600, for example — students should not hesitate to apply if their families earn a bit more than the maximum.

For more information, go to www.hecb.wa.gov/collegebound.