

Grants and Funding for Soma Students

Below are the funding opportunities we know of that, if awarded, may be able to assist students in paying for their Soma Institute tuition.

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Amber Grant for Women

<https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-washington/>

AMTA Scholarship

https://www.amtamassage.org/scholarships/?fbclid=IwAR20Ltnm3pOo1MKiDy45SRFikb_bfubk-scu9-CkTx5KRxy0ZC_rjjhEvDuc

Arise Charitable Trust - Whidbey Women's Fund

<http://www.arisecharitabletrust.org/apply.html>

MBLExGuide Massage Therapy Scholarship

https://mblexguide.com/scholarship/?fbclid=IwAR0EkIB2GIko1S7hVSUgnleM_PrC-omq1wbZo8nFB10ta2BcKx1ibuX9tUc

Soroptimist of South Whidbey - Live Your Dream Award for Women

<https://www.soroptimist.org/our-work/live-your-dream-awards/apply-for-the-live-your-dream-awards.html>

WashBoard

<https://washboard.wsac.wa.gov/login.aspx>

Online resource for matching scholarship seekers with available funding opportunities.

Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Grant

<https://wpc.wa.gov/grants/WIOA>

For the WIOA grant, first create a WorkSourceWA account:

1. Start at <https://worksourcewa.com/> Click the button Sign Up for a new account or “Job Seeker”.
2. Once you’ve filled out one page of questions, the system will send you an activation email. Open it and hit the activation link.
3. Then log in to <https://secure.esd.wa.gov/home/WorkSourceWA/Seeker/Account/Login?status=0&language=en> and fill out a couple more pages of questions. In total, it takes about 15 minutes

Register for WIOA Orientation in your COUNTY to apply for services to see if you qualify

Instructions to sign up for the WorkSourceWa.com - WIOA Orientation

1. <https://worksourcewa.com/>
2. Career Tools drop down (blue banner / white writing)
3. Workshops and Hiring Events
4. Workshops (Center tab)
5. Click appropriate “County” **BE SURE TO SELECT THE CORRECT COUNTY**
6. Scroll down under the “Event Type” select “None” this will Un check all workshops
7. Under “Event Type” Check “Other Workshops”
8. Look for WIOA Virtual Orientation
9. Select the date of the workshop you are choosing to attend
10. Click “Sign Up”

Be sure to complete all fields on the form