



ADVANCE YOUR FUTURE

with support from the
Education and Training Voucher Program

Do you need help paying for college or vocational training? Were you in foster care?

The federal Education and Training Voucher (ETV) Program provides up to \$5,000 per year in grant funds to assist with education and training expenses associated with colleges, universities and post-secondary vocational training programs for individuals who were in foster care as teenagers. Contact your local department of social services for more information.

WHAT IT COVERS

ETV funds can help pay costs associated with college education or post-secondary vocational training, including:

- » Tuition and fees
- » Room and board
- » Educational materials including laptop, printer and software
- » Books and supplies
- » Transportation
- » Child care

YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE TO APPLY

If the following applies to you:

- Currently in foster care or Fostering Futures; left foster care after turning 18; or left foster care through adoption or the Kinship Guardianship Assistance Program (KinGAP) after turning 16.

and

- Hold a high school diploma or General Education Development (GED) Certificate
- Enrolled in or planning to enroll in a post-secondary education or vocational training program
- Between 14-25 years of age

For more information about the
ETV Program and the student application:



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Applications can be submitted through your local department of social services.

