



# RHS Help Financial Resources



Resource	What is it?	Where do I apply?
<b>GENERAL RESOURCES</b>		
Free and Reduced Lunch	Free or reduced cost breakfast and lunch is available for qualifying families. Families can fill out an application that is submitted to the state. Qualification is based on family income per month. Free and reduced lunch status allows the student to choose between any meal/entrée item, a milk or juice cup, and anything from the salad bar. A la carte items like cookies, bottled water, and bottled juices are not included.	Applications are available in the RHS Main Office, or email:  <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a>
Lab/Class Fee Waiver	Some RHS courses require students to pay a fee to take the class. Some of those classes are Accounting, Art, Chemistry, Child Psychology, Electronics, Marine Biology, Piano, Tech Prep Courses. Students can request a waiver to assist them in paying for those fees.	See the teacher of the course, your RHS Counselor, or email:  <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a>
Free Ride Home Program	Students that need to stay after school can get a free ride home on Mondays and Thursdays. Students in need of a ride must complete the parent permission slip prior to riding. Student need to sign up for a ride in the attendance office three days prior to the date they need a ride.	See the Attendance Secretary to sign up
Free Desktop Computers	The Lake Washington School District offers free 2000 vintage model computers For families that meet eligibility criteria.	See your RHS Counselor or email:  <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a>

<p>Wi-Fi Equipped Laptops</p>	<p>Starting October 1, 2009, RHS will have Wi-Fi equipped laptops available in the library for students to check out and use temporarily. These laptops run Microsoft Office programs and can be used for RHS assignments and projects.</p>	<p>See the RHS Library</p>
<p>Eye Glasses</p>	<p>Due to a generous donation from the Redmond Lions Club and the Gift of Sight program, qualifying students are eligible for a free eye exam and free glasses.</p>	<p>See your RHS Counselor, the school nurses, or email:  <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a></p>
<p>Free Running Start Textbooks</p>	<p>Many of the community colleges that offer Running Start classes offer free textbooks for qualifying students.</p>	<p>See your community college guidance or counseling department for more information.</p>
<p>College Admissions Application Fee Waiver</p>	<p>Some colleges offer admissions application fee waivers for student that meets their financial hardship requirements.</p>	<p>See your RHS Counselor or email:  <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a></p>
<p>Community College Credit Waiver</p>	<p>Students who receive an “A” or “B” in a Tech Prep class will receive free community college credit.</p>	<p>See your RHS Counselor</p>
<p>RHS Yearbook Fee Assistance</p>	<p>RHS Help may be able to assist some students with the yearbook fee. To qualify, a student must be receiving free or reduced lunch or be experiencing a financial hardship. Seniors that qualify will likely receive full assistance with their Yearbook fee. Sophomores and Juniors that qualify may be able to purchase their Yearbook at a reduced price.</p>	<p>See your RHS Counselor or email:  <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a></p>

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Graduation Cap & Gown Wavier	RHS Help can assist some seniors in need of assistance with purchasing their cap and gown for graduation.	See your RHS Counselor or email: <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a>
Senior Party Ticket Waiver	The RHS PTSA is able to waive the fee for the Senior Party (Grad Night) in some cases.	Email: <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a>
PTSA Fund	The RHS PTSA donates money each year to help students in need. This money can be used to help students pay for a variety of school related costs including purchasing school supplies like backpacks and notebooks. It can also be used to help students purchase Metro Bus Passes and much more.	See your RHS Counselor or email: <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a>
Saul Haas Fund	RHS receives a donation from the Saul Haas Foundation every school year. This money can be used to help students pay for various school related costs.	See your RHS Counselor or email: <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a>
<b>STANDARDIZED TESTING RESOURCES</b>		
SAT/ACT Fee Wavier	<p>The State of Washington is now offering to pay for students' SAT or ACT testing if the student plans to use their SAT or ACT score as an Appropriate Alternative to the WASL.</p> <p>The College Board also has waivers for any student that meets the financial hardship requirements.</p>	See your RHS Counselor or email: <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a>
AP Test Fee Wavier	The College Board offers waivers for student that are receiving free or reduced lunch or for students experiencing a financial hardship.	See your RHS Counselor or email: <a href="mailto:rhshlp@lwsd.org">rhshlp@lwsd.org</a>

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**EXTRA CURRICULAR  
RESOURCES**

<p>ASB Fee Assistance</p>	<p>RHS Help may be able to assist some students with school related fees like the ASB fee. To qualify, a student must be receiving free or reduced lunch or be experiencing a financial hardship.</p>	<p>See your RHS Counselor or email: <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a></p>
<p>Free Sports Physicals</p>	<p>RHS has established a partnership with a local doctor that is willing to provide sports physicals for free or reduced cost.</p>	<p>See the Athletic Department Secretary or email: <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a></p>
<p>Sports Participation Fee Waiver</p>	<p>RHS has the authority to waive some school related fees like the sports participation fee. Fees can be waived for students that are receiving free or reduced lunch or for students experiencing a financial hardship.</p>	<p>See the Athletic Department Secretary or email: <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a></p>
<p>Dance Ticket Waiver</p>	<p>Due to donations from the PTSA and the Saul Haas Fund, students can receive assistance with purchasing tickets for formal dances at RHS.</p>	<p>See the Assistant Principal or email: <a href="mailto:rhshelp@lwsd.org">rhshelp@lwsd.org</a></p>
<p>Low-Cost Formal Dresses/Gowns</p>	<p>A business, started by a WSU graduate, offers formal dresses and gowns for girls that would not be able to attend formal dances/event because they were unable to afford a dress. The dresses they sell are elegant, in-style dresses at amazingly affordable prices, some as low as \$22.</p>	<p>For a list of available dresses please call or email the owner of the company:  Julie 425-894-0143 <a href="mailto:sitesja@q.com">sitesja@q.com</a></p>

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