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First National Bank to Host High School Seniors for VBA Bank Day Scholarship Program: Students Will Participate for a Chance to Win Up to \$8,000 in College Scholarships

- WHO:** High school students from **Lynchburg, Danville/Pittsylvania and surrounding areas** and bankers from First National Bank
- WHAT:** **First National Bank** will host high school seniors to participate in the Virginia Bankers Association (VBA) Bank Day Scholarship Program, learning about the banking industry and ways to manage their financial future. Through this statewide initiative, a total of \$26,000 in scholarships will be awarded to twelve Virginia high school seniors from the VBA Education Foundation.
- WHEN:** Students will participate in this program over a three-week window, beginning Monday, March 14, 2022.
- WHERE:** **Lynchburg/Danville, VA**

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In March, Virginia high school seniors will participate in the VBA Bank Day Scholarship Program, sponsored by the Virginia Bankers Association Education Foundation. Through this program, students learn about banking, financial services, career opportunities and the vital role banks play in their communities.

The third Tuesday in March was declared Bank Day by the Virginia General Assembly in 1991 and First National Bank is proud to host students for this important program. From their experience, participating students will write an essay for the chance to win a scholarship. In all, twelve students statewide will receive scholarships totaling \$26,000.

As a Bank Day host, First National Bank will also be hosting students for in-person gatherings on March 15, 2022 in Lynchburg and March 22, 2022 in Danville providing supplemental information to students about ways we support the community we serve as well as different career opportunities for those interested in the banking industry. In addition to the scholarships awarded by the Virginia Bankers Association, First National Bank will be awarding \$500 to two students that attend Bank Day in-person at the Bank's facilities.

About First National Bank

First National Bank was founded in 1908 with a singular mission: provide an extraordinary customer experience. We have honed quality products and efficient services for more than a century, attracting and training top industry talent to deliver on our mission in Lynchburg, Danville, and Charlottesville. Learn more about First National Bank [here](#).

About the VBA Education Foundation

The Virginia Bankers Association Education Foundation was formed in 2007 with the objective of recognizing the importance of economic education and financial literacy in Virginia and supporting the banking industry as a key participant in these areas. Their mission is to advance personal financial literacy to students in all public and private schools across the Commonwealth. Learn more about the VBA Education Foundation [here](#).



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