A headstart for your child’s bright future.

Maine is a pretty great place to grow up. And, thanks to the generosity of businessman and philanthropist Harold Alfond, lots of Maine children now have a whole other reason to celebrate being a Maine resident: The $500 Alfond Grant for their future education.

Find out more about your child’s $500 Alfond Grant at MyAlfondGrant.org

At MyAlfondGrant.org you can:

1. **Track your baby’s $500 Alfond Grant**
   MyAlfondGrant.org is the starting point through which parents access a website administered by the Finance Authority of Maine (FAME). On that site you can update your contact information, learn the value of your Alfond Grant and sign up for electronic delivery of the Alfond Grant Update.

2. **Create MyPlan**
   Creating a plan using MyPlan can be fun and informative! There are lots of resources and great ideas to DO, SAVE, and LEARN about how to prepare for education after high school. Link to resources, earn MAGgies and even be entered to win a gift card from ASF.

3. **Find Information & Activities**
   The Alfond Scholarship Foundation offers lots of information and resources on MyAlfondGrant.org. Check it out today for fun things you can and your child can do. It’s never too early to explore the future by engaging in activities together. And, as kids get older, there are even more activities they can do on their own.

4. **Help your Child Succeed!**
   Take a look at the information you will receive during the year, and let your child know there is money invested for their future education. Research shows that children with a college savings account are three times more likely to go to college and four times more likely to graduate—even if there is only a few hundred dollars in the account.

Make a plan for your baby’s future success at MyAlfondGrant.org.
This is a sample of an Alfond Grant Update that will be sent to children who have an Alfond Grant invested for them. It will be mailed every quarter starting when your baby is about 9 months old. If you move, you can update your information by calling FAME at 800-228-3734, completing the enclosed contact card or online starting at MyAlfondGrant.org to access a website administered by FAME.

[Image of Alfond Grant Update]

**HELP [B’s First] SUCCEED!**
This Alfond Grant Update is brought to you by the Alfond Scholarship Foundation (ASF), which has invested a $500 Alfond Grant for your child’s education after high school.

Grant Update for:
[B’s First] [B’s M.] [B’s Last]

[First] [M.] [Last]
Address: [City], [State] [Zip]

Harold Alfond wanted every Maine baby to have a head start on a bright future – including B’s First! The Alfond Scholarship Foundation has invested the $500 Alfond Grant for B’s First! If you cannot contribute money to the Alfond Grant because...

It is always a good idea to check your child’s age on MyAlfondGrant.org to see how the value of your Alfond Grant has grown.

Funds can be withdrawn or transferred to any child born in 2008-2012 within 10 years of the child’s birth. Alfond Scholarship Foundation (ASF) is a non-profit organization that has invested the $500 Alfond Grant for your child’s education after high school.

ASF is here to help:
• Parents as their children grow.
• And ways you can support your child as they grow.

Visit MyAlfondGrant.org to:
• Update your contact info (including provide an email)
• Sign up for a delivery of this Alfond Grant Update
• Create a MyAlfondGrant account

**myAlfondGrant**
Inspiring families to invest in their children’s future

Alfond Scholarship Foundation is not an authorized distributor of NextGen 529.

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**[B’s First] has an Alfond Grant!**

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The Alfond Scholarship Foundation in Maine helps families invest in their children’s future with an opportunity that higher education brings. The Alfond Scholarship Foundation was created in 2008 when the Harold Alfond Foundation made a commitment to provide $500 for college savings. ASF was created in 2008 when the Harold Alfond Foundation made a commitment to provide $500 for college savings.

Harold Alfond wanted every Maine baby to have the opportunity of higher education. The Alfond Scholarship Foundation is here to help families prepare for college. FAME also helps to administer the Alfond Grant program. FAME offers a suite of programs and services to help Mainers meet their educational goals. FAME is the administrator of NextGen 529™, Maine’s Section 529 plan. 529 plans are designed to help families prepare for college. FAME also helps to administer the Alfond Grant program. FAME offers a suite of programs and services to help Mainers meet their educational goals. FAME is the administrator of NextGen 529™, Maine’s Section 529 plan. 529 plans are designed to help families prepare for college.