



Department of School Counseling Services
SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
September 21, 2020

Scholarships Highlighted in yellow were sent directly to Lakewood HS

NAME	AMOUNT	GRADE	REQUIREMENTS	DEADLINE
<p>Coca-Cola Scholars Program Deadline Approaching!!!</p>	<p>\$20,000</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>Applicants must be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Current high school/home-schooled students attending a school in one of the 50 U.S. states, Puerto Rico, or select DoD schools who will graduate high school during the 2020-2021 academic school year • U.S. Citizens (not a Temporary Resident), U.S. Nationals, U.S. Permanent Residents, Refugees, Asylees, Cuban-Haitian Entrants, or Humanitarian Parolees - based on the guidelines utilized by U.S. Department of Education for Federal Financial Aid eligibility • Planning to pursue a degree at an accredited U.S. post-secondary institution <p>Applicants may not be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children or grandchildren of employees, officers, or owners of Coca-Cola bottling companies, The Coca-Cola Company, Company divisions or subsidiaries. • Children or grandchildren of former employees, officers, or owners of Coca-Cola bottling companies, The Coca-Cola Company, Company divisions or subsidiaries who are currently receiving retirement benefits from those entities. • International students (with the exception of students attending select DoD schools) • High school graduates • Temporary Residents (in other words, your permanent legal residence is outside the U.S.) <p>For more information and to apply, go to: https://webportalapp.com/sp/login/ccsf</p>	<p>10/31/2020</p>

College Board Improve Your Score	\$2000	12	<p>How to Qualify</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Join College Board Opportunity Scholarships program. 2. Sign in to your College Board and Khan Academy® accounts. 3. Link your College Board and Khan Academy® accounts. 4. Start practicing for the SAT using Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy®. 5. Practice for 6+ hours. 6. Sign in to your College Board account on the score reporting portal to view your scores from the PSAT or a previous SAT to set a target score of 100 points higher. 7. Take the SAT. 8. View your scores again on the score reporting portal to see if you've improved your SAT score by 100+ points. <p>For additional information and to apply, go to: https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/about/improve</p>	Monthly Drawings in September, November and January
College Board Practice for the SAT Scholarship	\$1000	12	<p>Students in the class of 2021 who use free Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy® can earn a chance at a \$1,000 Practice Scholarship. How to qualify: Practice for six hours on Khan Academy® to qualify and earn one entry in the monthly drawing. Earn one entry for each additional hour you practice, up to a total of 20 hours. For additional information and directions to apply go to: https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/about/practice</p>	Monthly Drawing through October 2020
College Board Strengthen Your College List	\$500	12	<p>How to Qualify Sign in to your College Board account and create a balanced list on BigFuture™ with at least six colleges—including 3 reach, 2 match, and 1 safety colleges—to earn one entry in the monthly drawing. As you explore other colleges, update your list. Maintain at least 3 reach, 2 match, and 1 safety colleges in later months to earn another entry. For additional information and to apply, go to: https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/about/strengthen</p>	Monthly Drawing through October 2020
Discover Student Loans Scholarship Award	\$5000	12+	<p>Open only to residents of the fifty (50) United States, the District of Columbia, and the US territories who are at least sixteen (16) years old at the time of entry. Entrants must also be high school senior</p>	Monthly Drawings through

			<p>students who will be or college students who are enrolled at least half-time in a Bachelor's or Associate's degree program or graduate program at an eligible school within one (1) year of winner notification/confirmation or parent/legal guardians of students that satisfy the above eligibility requirements. For additional information and to apply, go to:</p> <p>https://scholarship.collegecovered.com/?acmpgn=E_EAW_CSEM_BM_X_BMHS2</p>	1/31/2021
Florida Tour Guide Scholarship	\$1000	12+	<p>Qualifications Applicants must be currently enrolled at or planning to attend a four-year university, graduate program, community college, or trade school located in the continental United States. Upon notification, winner(s) must supply a current proof of enrollment or letter of acceptance. For additional information and to apply, go to:</p> <p>https://www.thezebra.com/florida-car-insurance/#car-insurance-fags</p>	12/31/2020
HostingAdvice.com Future Web Developers Scholarship Deadline Approaching!!!	\$1000	12+	<p>To qualify, applicants must meet the following requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum GPA of 3.5 • Majoring in a computer science-related field • Must be a U.S. resident • Must submit an official transcript • Must be a current or future college student (e.g., high school senior) • Scholarship must go to tuition purposes (will be paid directly to the university/college) • Complete an essay for submission (see essay guidelines below) • Submit a cover letter outlining civic involvement and/or extracurricular activities <p>For additional information and to apply, go to:</p> <p>https://www.hostingadvice.com/scholarship/</p>	9/30/2020
Innovation in Education	\$500	9-12+	<p>Criteria: Must currently be enrolled as a high school or college/university student within the United States or Canada.</p>	Monthly Drawing-

Scholarship			<p>Must have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 (or the equivalent). Must be a citizen of, permanent resident of, or hold a valid student visa in the United States or Canada. Must have designed an innovative project that makes a difference in the lives of others (This could be a website, series of blogs, an app, fundraising event, etc.) For additional information and to apply, go to: https://www.latutors123.com/scholarship/</p>	must be in by the 20th of the month
McCormick & Murphy Personal Injury Scholarship	\$500	12	<p>Requirements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This scholarship is judged & awarded primarily on merit & need. • Completed application must be submitted online by April 30, 2021. LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. • INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. • Applicant must plan to attend college by fall semester 2021. • Must have a minimum G.P.A. of 3.0. <p>For additional information and to apply, go to: https://www.mccormickmurphy.com/#scholarship</p>	4/30/2021
Mensa Foundation Scholarship Program NEW!	\$600- \$7,000	12	<p>There are two requirements for applicants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants must be enrolled in a degree program in an accredited U.S. institution of higher learning during the academic year following the application date. • Applicants must submit an application and essay explaining his or her career, academic and/or vocational goals. <p>For more information and to apply, go to: www.mensafoundation.org,</p>	1/15/2021
Ms. Black Florida's Elevate Scholarship for African American Girls NEW!	\$500	11-12	<p>This is a high school level scholarship for African American teenage girls for which all applicants must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Be a current high school junior or senior planning to attend college or university 2. Have a minimum 2.0 grade point average (GPA) 	12/31/2020

			3. Have some African or African American heritage For more information and to apply, go to: https://elevateonline.weebly.com/scholarship.html#/	
Florida PEO Scholarship NEW!	TBA	12	Please Note: Scholarship eligibility is for a female student entering the fall semester of 2021. Financial need is a factor for this scholarship. Several factors are considered in addition to the reported family income, such as number of dependents, medical issues, single parent situations, etc. If you wish to be considered, please request an application from your school counselor.	11/20/2020
Pureland Supply Scholarship	\$500	12	Available to students who have been accepted to an accredited trade school, vocational college, technical school or community college for the study of trade, craft, or labor occupations. Recipients are chosen on their ability to describe how their chosen trade or field plays an important role in today's world and why this is the path they have chosen. For more information and to apply, go to: https://www.purelandsupply.com/t-scholarship.aspx .	5/1/2021
Varsity Tutors	\$1000 monthly		Monthly scholarship where students must write an essay in response to a monthly prompt. For more information visit http://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship	Monthly deadlines
Project Weather Scholarship, Spectrum Bay News 9 NEW!	\$1,000	12	For information and to apply: www.baynews9.com/projectweather	1/6/2021
Pinellas Education Foundation NEW!	Varies	12	The Pinellas Education Foundation provides nearly 100 different college and technical school scholarships to more than 300 high school seniors throughout Pinellas County, based on criteria established by the Foundation and sponsors. Varied as the sponsors who fund them, scholarships range in focus from the arts to science and math, sports, and community service. Many are based on financial need. Scholarships may be either one-time awards or renewable scholarships for students who continue to meet the scholarship qualifications throughout college. For additional information and to apply: www.pinellaseducation.org/scholarships	1/15/2021

International High School Essay Contest; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. NEW! Deadline Approaching!!!	Multiple (Between \$1,000-\$5,000)	12	The Contest is open to all college-bound, high school seniors who submit an essay application through a Chapter of the Fraternity. For additional information and to apply, please request from a school counselor.	10/16/2020
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****Please see your counseling department for scholarships specific to your school****

Opportunities is a monthly publication of a scholarship list for Pinellas County Schools. No independent investigation has been done by the Pinellas County School System to warrant this information. You should investigate before any payment of fees for scholarship searches. Scholarship information should be free. This information is intended for financial aid advice and not for profit.