



Department of Guidance Services

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
August 2017

NAME	AMOUNT	GRADE	REQUIREMENTS	DEADLINE
American Psychological Association	Varies		APA and its affiliates provide a wide range of grants, scholarships and awards with the aim of advancing the science and practice of psychology as a means of understanding behavior and promoting health, education and human welfare. Search the directory at http://www.apa.org/about/awards/	Various
Brooks Law Group Scholarship	\$200-1,000	12+	Complete 700-1400 word essay; must be high school senior or current undergrad student enrolled in or planning to attend a US college or university. For additional information and to apply, go to: https://www.brookslawgroup.com/community-involvement/community-outreach/	5/1/2017 and 11/1/2017
Christensen & Hymas General Scholarship	\$1,000	12+	Must be currently enrolled in or have been accepted to a US college/university; have a min. 3.5 GPA; must submit transcript; and write 300-700 essay. For more information and to apply, go to https://christensenhymas.com/about-us/community-involvement/general-scholarship/	8/31/2017
The Coca-Cola First Generation Scholarship	\$5,000	Ages 14-19	Students in the U.S. who are the first in their immediate family to attend college. Contact the school you are planning to attend to ask	

			whether a Coca-Cola First generation Scholarship is in place, and if so, how to apply.	
Florida Bright Futures Scholarships	Varies	12	Three level of awards are available based on general requirements and academic requirements including GPA, test scores, coursework and community service. Must complete the FFAA. For specific requirements and how to apply, go to: http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/SSFAD/bf/bfmain.htm	8/31/2017
Florida JCI Senate Foundation NEW!	\$1000	12	They offer two \$1000.00 scholarships to graduating high school seniors from Florida who plan to continue their education at accredited post-secondary colleges, universities, or vocational schools. These scholarships are based on academic performance. They also grant a \$1000.00 based on academic performance and financial need. To find out more and apply, go to http://www.flicifoundation.org/	Postmarked by 1/5/2018
Harriet L. Wilkes Honors College Florida Atlantic University	Varies	12	A select group of next year's students will receive scholarships that include full tuition, room and board for up to four years. In addition, they have new scholarships in humanities and social sciences. For further information visit www.honorscollege.edu	
Healthcare Administration Degree Guide (HADG)	\$1,500		Available to all U.S. citizens pursuing a bachelor's or master's degree in healthcare administration or healthcare management at an accredited university. The scholarship can be view at http://www.healthcare-administration-degree.net/healthcare-administration-and-management-scholarship/	May 15 and Oct 15

Hispanic Heritage Month Essay Contest NEW!	4-year Florida College Plan	Grades 4-12	Open to all Florida students in grades 4 through 12. Three winners will be selected: one elementary (4-5) student, one middle (6-8) student, and one high school (9-12) student. For additional information and how to apply, go to http://www.floridahispanicheritage.com/student-contests/ .	9/12/2017 by 5:00pm
Home Security List 2017 Smart Home Scholarship	\$1,000	12+	High school senior accepted to a college or trade school or current college student; must be interested in the smart home revolution and essay is required. For additional information and directions on how to apply, go to https://www.homesecuritylist.com/smart-home-scholarship/	12/10/2017
Lead Roster B2B Sales & Marketing Scholarship	\$1,000		Highly competitive scholarship for high school and college students interested in sales and marketing. Study in the fields of Business, Marketing, Computer Science, Communications, or IT are recommended but not required. For information and application visit https://www.leadroster.com/?scholarship	Dec. 15
Pinellas Education Foundation PTEC Scholarships			For more information on the following scholarships: Frances Stavros Career & Technical Scholarship, PACE Scholarship, Ted Winner Scholarship, Youth Skills (Worknet), Skills USA Scholarships please see http://pinellaseducation.org/students/scholarship-programs/ptec	

Press Cleaners Scholarship	\$1,000	None listed	To apply, write a 500-800 word essay about a business idea and what problem it will help solve. In addition, please provide your current schedule or other proof of enrollment and an updated resume. Email to scholarships@presscleaner.com . For additional info, please visit https://www.presscleaners.com/scholarship/	8/31/2017
Prudential Spirit of Community Award NEW!	\$5000 for Nat'l Honorees	Grades 5-12	To be eligible, you must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be in grades 5-12 as of November 7 • be a legal resident of any U.S. state or Washington, D.C. • have engaged in a volunteer activity that occurred during the 12 months prior to the date of the application • submit a completed application to a school or the head of an official designated local organization by November 7. To find out more and to apply, go to https://spirit.prudential.com/apply/2018 .	Initial Application due 11/7/2017
The SAM Fund			Financial assistance to young adults as they move forward with their lives after cancer. Applicants must be between the ages of 17 and 35, finished with active treatment and residents of the United States. Applications are accepted once per year, beginning with a Letter of Intent (LOI) phase in June. Information on the LOI process is posted on website in early June. www.thesamfund.org	
The SPC Foundation	Varies	12	Online application, essays, one letter of recommendation and recommended completed FAFSA. Check website eligibility requirements.	Check Website

			http://www.spcollege.edu/foundation/scholarships.htm	
SWE Scholarships			Scholarship supports women pursuing careers in engineering, engineering technology and computer science. For more information visit http://societyofwomenengineers.swe.org/scholarships#activePanels	Varies
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	

****Please see your guidance department for scholarships specific to your school****

Other scholarship opportunities:

Chicana/Latina Foundation <http://chicanalatina.org/>

Congressional Hispanic Caucus www.chci.org

Gates Millennium Scholarship Program www.gmsp.org

Governor Scott's Hispanic Heritage Month Essay Contest www.floridahispanicheritage.com

Hispanic Association of Colleges & Universities (HACU) www.hacu.net

Hispanic College Fund, Inc. www.hispanicfund.org

Hispanic Scholarship Fund www.hsf.net

Latin American Educational Foundation (LAEF) www.laef.org

LULAC National Educational Service Centers (LNESEC) www.lnesc.org

Making It Count www.makingitcount.com

Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund (MALDEF) www.maldef.org

Ronald McDonald Scholarship www.meencanta.com

Sallie Mae Fund www.thesalliemafund.org

Salvadoran American Leadership and Education Fund www.salef.org

Scholarships for Hispanics www.scholarshipsforhispanics.org

Scholarship Experts www.scholarshipexperts.com

Southern Scholarship Foundation- Free housing <https://www.southern scholarship.org/>

The Coca-Cola Two-Year College Scholarships www.coca-colascholars.org

United Negro College Fund www.uncf.org

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