



Department of School Counseling Services
SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
September 16, 2019

NAME	AMOUNT	GRADE	REQUIREMENTS	DEADLINE
Adrian Rubin Trust Scholarship	\$1200	12+	Eligibility: Be a high school senior that has already been accepted into a college or university or be a current college/university student that hasn't reached their final year of school. For additional information and to apply, go to: https://www.adrianrubintrust.com/	11/1/2019
BluePay STEM Scholarship NEW!	\$250-1000	12+	To qualify, undergraduate or graduate students must be majoring in a STEM field of study and attending an accredited college or university. Attach an essay below answering 1 of these 3 questions in a minimum of 500 and a maximum of 1,000 words: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What recent innovation has meant the most to your daily life? 2. What do you imagine or have you experienced to be the single greatest challenge that arises when you start your own business? 3. What do you think is the biggest threat to the security of your personal information? Applicants will have the opportunity to be featured on the BluePay blog with approval. For more information and to apply, go to: https://www.bluepay.com/company/scholarship/	12/31/2019
Cirkled In "No Sweat" Scholarship NEW!	\$2500	8-12	Criteria: Applicant must be at least 13-years-old to apply for this scholarship. The cash can be applied to any educational need, including high school costs. Applicant must be a legal resident of the United States or the District of Columbia to be eligible. Applicant must be currently enrolled in 8th - 12th grade in a school to be eligible. Homeschool qualifies as well. For more information and to apply, go to: https://www.cirkledin.com/scholarships	9/30/2019
College Board Improve Your	\$2000	Class of	Students who practice for the SAT for 12 hours using <u>Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy</u> ® and improve their score by 100+ points—	Monthly drawing

Score		2020	either from their PSAT/NMSQT® to SAT or SAT to SAT—will earn a chance at a \$2,000 scholarship. For additional information and directions on how to apply, go to https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/about/improve	through January 2020
College Board Practice for the SAT Scholarship	\$1000	Class of 2020	Students in the class of 2020 who use free <u>Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy®</u> 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	Monthly drawing through Oct. 2019
College Board Strengthen Your College List NEW!	\$500	Class of 2020	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—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 in later months to earn another entry. For additional information and directions to apply go to: https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/about/strengthen	Monthly drawing through October 2019
Discover Student Loans Scholarship Award NEW!	\$5000	16 yrs or older	Sign up for emails to get helpful college tips and resources, and enter for the chance to win a scholarship! Throughout the year, 12 eligible students or parents will be randomly selected to win a \$5,000 Discover Student Loans Scholarship Award to help cover college expenses. https://scholarship.collegecovered.com/	1/31/2020
Innovation in Education Scholarship	\$500	9-12+	Criteria: Must currently be enrolled as a high school or college/university student within the United States or Canada. 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/	Monthly Drawing- must be in by the 20th of the month
Modern Castle Scholarship NEW!	\$1000	12+	Eligibility: A currently enrolled high school (or home-schooled) senior planning on attending an accredited post-secondary institution in the	3/31/2019

			US in the following year OR an undergraduate student currently enrolled in an accredited post-secondary institution in the US; Anticipating completion of high school diploma at the time of this application (or already enrolled in an accredited post-secondary institution in the US); Grade point average of at least 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale; US Citizen; Winner’s first name, last name initial, submission video, and university / college may be published on ModernCastle.com and elsewhere as part of our scholarship promotion For more information and to apply, go to: https://moderncastle.com/scholarships/	
National Debt Relief Scholarship NEW!	\$1000	12+	Eligibility 1. The applicants must be enrolled in an accredited 4-year university or college located in United States. 2. Graduate and undergraduate students can apply 3. Graduating high school seniors with a GPA of 3.0 or above are also eligible to apply for the scholarship. Applicants must be pursuing or intending to pursue their bachelor's degree which can be in the fields of STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math). HOW TO APPLY: Provide a unique solution to the following issue: Come up with a unique way to solve the \$1+ trillion dollar student loan crisis. For more information and to apply, go to: https://www.nationaldebtrelease.com/#applyforscholarship	12/31/2019
Naval Reserve Officers Training Scholarship Opportunity	Up to \$200,000 for 4 years	11-12	Basic eligibility requirements: • Be a U.S. Citizen (or in the process of becoming a U.S. Citizen) • Be at least 17 years of age by Sept 1st and not older than 23 by June 30th of the year you start college • Complete high school/equivalent certificate • Take the ACT or SAT test prior to deadline and receive at least the minimum scores listed below: <div>ACT Math = 21</div> <div>SAT Math = 540</div>	12/31/2019

			<p>English = 22 Critical Reading = 550 Combined = 47 Combined = 1200</p> <p>For additional criteria and to apply, go to https://www.nrotc.navy.mil/apply.html.</p>	
PEO Chapter BE Florida PEO Scholarship NEW!	\$2500	12	<p>Eligibility requirements: female; Florida resident; will pursue an undergraduate study towards as an associate's or bachelor's degree at a Florida college or university; high scholastic standing; meet requirements of scholarship, character and financial need. (NOT ELIGIBLE: Students with FL Pre-Paid funds or Take Stock in Children). Request for nomination forms are available at your school in the Counseling Office.</p>	12/1/2019
PEO Chapter DN Florida PEO Scholarship NEW!	\$2500	12	<p>ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA: woman who is a resident of the State of Florida and a U.S. citizen or legal permanent resident of the U.S. or Canada; must be accepted or awaiting acceptance for admission to her first year of full-time post-secondary study at a public or private Florida college or university accredited by the Council on Post-secondary Accreditation or the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools; pursuing a course of study leading to an Associate or Bachelor's degree. Full time study is defined as 24 annual credit hours at an accredited college or university; must meet requirements of scholarship, character, personality, purpose and need. This scholarship is heavily weighted upon financial need. A one-page essay on educational and career plans and an interview are required; Applicants must have high scholastic standing as measured by class rank and standardized test scores, plus a minimum unweighted 3.0 GPA (on a 4.0 scale); The applicant must be sponsored by a Florida P.E.O. Chapter. Contact: Gail Van Zanten at 727-595-3260 or Gailvz15@gmail.com for information and application materials.</p>	1/20/2020
Sleepopolis Scholarship NEW!	\$1000	12+	<p>Applicants must be: Current high school (or home-schooled) seniors attending school in the United States OR current college students already studying at an accredited U.S. post-secondary institution; U.S. citizens; Anticipating completion of high school diploma at time of application or already in possession of high school diploma / GED; Planning to or already currently pursuing a degree at an accredited U.S.</p>	3/31/2020

			<p>post-secondary institution!; Carrying a minimum 3.00 GPA currently</p> <p>How to Apply: To apply please create a short video (no longer than 5 minutes) that answers the following questions: How has the internet changed the way you research and buy products? How has the internet changed old-school industries? (ex. mattresses, newspapers, television, etc.) If you could change an established industry for the better using the internet, which would it be and what would you do to change it? For more information and to apply, go to:</p> <p>https://sleepopolis.com/scholarships/</p>	
Trial Pro, P.A.'s Scholarship NEW!	\$5000	12+	<p>Eligibility Requirements: Must be enrolled full time in high school, full-time college student pursuing an AA, Bachelor's, or Master's degree in an accredited university. Applicant must have a minimum 3.0 G.P.A. and maintain it throughout academic year. Student must be a US citizen or permanent resident. How to Apply: Provide an official copy of your academic transcript. Submit <i>one</i> recommendation letter written by a respective professor or leader if you have been involved in an extracurricular activity. Each applicant is required to submit a 400-500 word essay addressing these questions: <i>What is a passion that, when immersed in it, makes you lose track of time?</i> Usually, passion is a feeling that cannot exist without another characteristic such as determination. <i>In your opinion, what else is passion contingent upon?</i> Additionally, submit a portfolio of 2-3 pieces showcasing your talents in your specific discipline. For additional information and to apply, go to:</p> <p>http://www.trialpro.com/scholarships/</p>	5/1/2020
Varsity Tutors	\$1000 monthly		<p>Monthly scholarship where students must write an essay in response to a monthly prompt. For more information visit</p> <p>http://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship</p>	Monthly deadlines

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

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