

Fall 2012 Scholarships

Scholarship Name	Details	Date
Horatio Alger Association Scholarships	The Horatio Alger Association provides scholarships for students who have demonstrated integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity. Other selection criteria include strength of character, financial need, a good academic record (a GPA of 2.0 or higher), and a desire to contribute to society. The association awards 100 \$10,000 scholarships and 150 \$1,000 scholarships each year to high school seniors. US citizenship is required. Several states also have state scholarship programs. https://www.horatioalger.org/scholarships/index.cfm	October 25th
Coca Cola	Seniors in high schools throughout the United States who meet the eligibility requirements may apply each year for one of 250 four-year, achievement-based scholarships. Students will find the application link on this web-page between August 1 and October 31. The deadline is October 31st and the student must be a senior at the time of application.	October 31 st
Cumberland Farms believe and Achieve Scholarship	The Cumberland Farms Believe and Achieve Scholarship Program has been established to recognize the importance of education and provide support to Cumberland Farms customers' and employees' children who plan to continue education in college or vocational school programs. Scholarship recipients are selected on the basis of academic record, demonstrated leadership and participation in school and community activities, honors, work experience, statement of goals and aspirations, unusual personal or family circumstances and an outside appraisal. Financial need will be considered; all recipients must demonstrate need .Up to 130 one-thousand dollar (\$1000) awards will be granted in 2010.Applicants must: Be high school seniors, or recipients of a GED certificate up to the age of 25, who plan to enroll in a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two- or four-year college or university or vocational-technical school for the first time. Have a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (or its equivalent), or a GED minimum standard score average of 500. Reside within a 30 mile radius of a Cumberland Farms retail location. https://cumberlandfarms.scholarshipamerica.org/	Available October 2012
Wendy's High School Heisman	Eligibility for application is limited exclusively to men and women entering their senior year of high school in the 2009-2010 academic year who have at least a “B” grade average and participate in at least one of the 27 sports officially sanctioned by the National Federation of State High Schools. We want to hear from all student-athletes who work hard, are dedicated, and have become role models for your school’s underclassmen. Students are judged based on their academic achievements, community service involvement, and athletic accomplishments.	October 2 nd , 2012
Youth Foundation Scholarship:	For high school seniors planning to attend a 4-year college program. All fields of study are applicable. Several scholarships of \$2500 to \$4000 are available. www.fdncenter.org/grantmaker/youthfdn	Sept. 1 st -March 15 th , 2013

AFSA National Scholarship Essay Contest	The AFSA National Scholarship Essay Contest is sponsored by the American Fire Sprinkler Association. The national winner receives a \$4,000 scholarship, with second and third place winners receiving \$3,000 and \$2,000 scholarships. The four remaining regional winners each receive \$1,000 scholarships. Information is available starting in the fall. http://www.afsascholarship.org/	Sept. 5th-April 3rd, 2013
Voice of Democracy Essay Contest	The Voice of Democracy Essay Contest is sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States (VFW). The audio essay contest is open to high school students in grades 9-12. The first-place national winner receives a \$25,000 scholarship. The essay topics always involve a patriotic theme. http://www.vfw.org/index.cfm?fa=cmtylevel&did=150	The deadline is November 1, 2012
National FFA	Organization Scholarship Program \$1,000 - \$10,000 Award may be used for: Any undergraduate study. Open to FFA members as well as a small number of qualifying non-members. www.ffa.org	Available Nov. 15th Due Feb 15th, 2013
The BRICK Awards	The BRICK Awards by Do Something provide a \$5,000 scholarship and a \$5,000 grant to "change-makers" age 18 and under who work with Do Something to improve their communities. A \$10,000 grant is available to those aged 19-25. The competition is open to Americans and Canadians. Of the twelve BRICK Award recipients, four will be selected as Golden BRICK winners and receive an additional \$15,000. http://www.dosomething.org/programs/awards	Opens December 1st
Prudential Spirit of Community Awards	The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards recognize children in grades 5-12 who have engaged in volunteer activities and have demonstrated exceptional community service. The program is sponsored by Prudential in conjunction with the National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP). State winners receive a \$1,000 award. National winners receive a \$5,000 award. http://www.prudential.com/view/page	Deadline Nov. 6th, 2012
AXA Achievement	Scholarship Program The AXA Achievement Scholarship Program awards more than \$1.3 million a year to high school seniors who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in non-academic activities in school, community or workplace. The award is sponsored by the AXA Foundation. US citizenship or legal residency is required. The program includes scholarships of \$25,000, \$10,000 and \$2,000. Each state gets 1 10,000 Scholarship. Information and applications are available at http://www.axa-equitable.com/axa-foundation/about.html/	Deadline Dec. 1st, 2012
Claes Nobel Academic	NSHSS members have the opportunity to compete for \$5,000 scholarships to be awarded annually. All high school members are eligible, with the exception of relatives of NSHSS staff	Fall 2012

Scholarships for Members	members and relatives of scholarship reviewers. Apply online by going to the member log in page and logging in. Once logged in, select the "Scholarships" tab under "member resources." Make sure your information in your profile is up to date (GPA, grad year, contact info). You may update this preliminary scholarship application as many times as necessary prior to the deadline of November 30. A minimum of 100 semi-finalists will be considered for each scholarship. Selection is based on the following criteria: ; Academic performance, Demonstrated leadership, School and extracurricular activities and awards, Community service Semi-finalists are notified by mail and requested to submit an essay, photo, transcript, and school recommendation forms provided by the Society. The scholarship committee bases its final decision on the strength of the student's application and on the strength of the educator's recommendations. All scholarships are cash awards which can be used for educational purposes at any college of the recipient's choice. Scholarship checks will be made out to the university designated by the student, contingent on proof of enrollment.	
KFC Colonel's Scholars Scholarship	For high school seniors planning to attend college. Several scholarships of \$5000 each are available www.kfcscholars.org	Begins Dec. 12th, 2012
Americanism Essay Contest	The Americanism Essay Contest is sponsored by the Fleet Reserve Association (FRA) National Committee on Americanism-Patriotism. Awards include a grand national prize of a \$15,000 US Savings Bond, and \$5,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000 US Savings Bonds awarded to the first, second and third place winners in each grade category. The contest is open to students in grades 7 through 12. Entrants must be sponsored by a FRA member or by a chartered branch or unit. http://www.fra.org/Content/fra/AboutFRA/EssayContest/default.cfm	The deadline is December 1.
School Band and Orchestra Magazine Scholarship	The School Band and Orchestra Magazine Scholarship awards ten \$1,000 scholarships (five to students in grades 4-8 and five to students in grades 9-12). The essay topics focus on music. Entry forms are available online starting September 1.	The deadline is December 31.
<u>Spring 2013 Scholarships</u>		
Dell Scholars Program	The Dell Scholars Program really is looking for <u>you</u> ! They have identified Upward Bound students from across the Nation and they want you to apply! Last year, both Plattsburgh and the Johnson State College Upward Bound students received scholarship money from Dell Scholars. This scholarship should be a priority for you this year—it's \$20,000 plus technological support throughout college (a laptop, printer, etc.)! The requirements are that you were in Upward Bound for 2 years and have at least a 2.4 GPA—even Bryan Fortier could	January 15 th

	do that! Our students also have to show need as determined by your college financial aid letter and you have to be entering an accredited college program that is not a technical college, vocational program or for profit college.. All students will be evaluated on the following: Individual determination to succeed, Future goals and plans to achieve them, Ability to communicate the hardships you have overcome or currently face, Self motivation in completing challenging coursework, Demonstrated need for financial assistance. www.dellscholars.org	
The 7th Generation Community Service Scholarships:	For high school seniors or graduates who are planning to enroll in a 4-year university or college. Several awards of up to \$20000 are available. www.7thgeneration.org/Programs.asp	Jan. 31 st
John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest	The John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest is open to United States high school students in grades nine through twelve. You must write an original essay of no more than 1,000 words on one of the topics found on the Web site provided. Essays should be submitted beginning September 1, 2005 and no later than January 7, 2006. Please visit the sponsor's Web site for additional information.	Jan 5 th , 2013
Sam Walton Community Scholarship	The Sam Walton Community Scholarship is open to high school seniors and is to be used for your freshmen year at an accredited U.S. college or university approved by the Wal-Mart Foundation. All local winners will be automatically entered into the state competition, and all state winners will be automatically entered into a national competition. Selection will be based on financial need, academic record, ACT/SAT scores, community/extracurricular involvement and work experience. Employees of Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. or the children of employees of Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. are not eligible for this award. Applications are available from your high school counselor's office or your local Wal-Mart or Sam's Club in December. Please visit the Web site provided and click on 'Education.'	Jan. 31 st , 2013
Tylenol Scholarship	The Tylenol Scholarship program awards ten \$10,000 scholarships and thirty \$5,000 scholarships to students pursuing careers in healthcare, life sciences or related fields. http://www.tylenol.com/page.jhtml?id=tylenol/news/subptyschol.inc	Spring 2013
Vegetarian Resource Group Scholarship	The Vegetarian Resource Group (VRG) offers two \$5,000 scholarships each year to graduating US high school seniors who have promoted vegetarianism in their schools and communities. The application requires an essay about how the applicant promoted vegetarianism in their high school or community. Applications are available on the VRG web site. For more information, call 1-410-366-8343, write to The Vegetarian Resource Group, PO	February 20, 2013

	Box 1463, Baltimore, MD 21203, or send email to vrg@vrg.org . http://www.vrg.org/student/scholar.htm	
Walt Disney Company Foundation Scholarship:	For high school seniors planning to major in business administration or fine arts programs. 1 scholarship worth \$5000 is available. www.ja.org/programs/programs_schol_dis.shtml	Feb. 1 st , 2013
AFA Teens for Alzheimer's Awareness College Scholarship:	For college-bound high school juniors and seniors. Applicants need to write an essay on Alzheimer, and one winner gets the grand prize of \$5,000. www.afateens.org	February 15 th
Best Buy Scholarship	The Best Buy Scholarships are available to current high school seniors who plan to enroll in a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two- or four-year college or university or vocational-technical school in the United States. Students must demonstrate commitment to and involvement in volunteer community service. One award of 1,000 and one award of \$2,000 will be given. In addition, there will be fifty "at-large" awards of \$1,000 each and eight National awards of \$25,000 each. Selection of recipients will be based on solid academic performance and exemplary community service with consideration also given to participation and leadership in school activities and work experience. Financial need is not considered. http://pr.bby.com/community-relations/programs/best-buy-scholarship-program/	February 15, 2013
Al Neuharth Free Spirit Scholarship:	For Junior high school students who show free spirit and are interested in a career and education in journalism. Several scholarships of a minimum of \$1000 are available. www.freedomforum.org/freespirit	February 15 th , 2013
Calgon Take Me Away to College Contest	The Calgon Take Me Away to College Contest is an essay contest sponsored by Calgon. One \$7,000, one \$3,500, one \$2,000, and five \$1,000 scholarships are awarded. http://www.takemeaway.com/	February 28.
Bank of America Joe Martin Scholarships:	For junior or senior high school students who are able to participate in an 8-week paid internship program in Washington, DC. Number and amount of awards vary. www.bankofamerica.com/foundation	February 28 th , 2013
Barbara Wiedner and Dorothy Vandercook Peace Scholarship	The Barbara Wiedner and Dorothy Vandercook Peace Scholarship is sponsored by Grandmothers for Peace International. The \$500 scholarship is awarded to high school seniors and college freshmen with documented activities or work involving peace and social justice, nuclear disarmament, and conflict resolution. The scholarship competition is open to students from any country. Peacescholarships.org	March 1 st

David Letterman Telecommunications Scholarship	The David Letterman Scholarship was established by David Letterman in 1985 to provide scholarships for telecommunications students at Ball State University. The awards are intended for average students who nevertheless have a creative mind. Winners are selected primarily based on creativity. Projects may involve a variety of media, including written work, research, audio, video, graphics and film. The winner receives a \$10,000 scholarship. The first runner-up receives \$5,000. The second runner-up receives \$3,333.	March 1 st
Junior Achievement Nelnet Scholarship:	For high school seniors with a minimum GPA of 3.00 who demonstrate financial need. 10 awards of 1000 available.	March 15 th
Bruce Lee Scholarships	For graduating high school seniors who are planning to enroll in university. Several awards of \$5000 are available. www.uspaacc.com/student/Bruce_Lee_Scholarship.htm http://celebrasianconference.com/about-celebrasian/scholarships/application-forms	March 15 th , 2013
College Matters Scholarship	For high school graduates or seniors who plan to enroll in college. Several scholarships ranging between \$1000 - \$5000 each are available. (No website; send applications/inquiries to "College Matters, PO Box 380287, Cambridge, MA 02238)	March 15 th
Most Valuable Student Scholarship/leadership Award	\$1,000- \$15,000 Leadership, Financial need. Applicants need not be related to a member of the Elks. For senior high school students who are US citizens. Selection is based on leadership, financial need and scholarship. 500 awards of \$1000 to \$15000 are available. www.elks.org/enf/scholars/mvs.cfm	March 22 nd , 2013
Signet Classics Scholarship	For high school juniors and seniors writing an essay on one of the four topics determined by the committee every year. 5 scholarships of 1,000 each are available. www.us.penguin.com	April 15th, 2013
Teenage Vision for America Photo Contest	The Teenage Vision for America Essay Contest is sponsored by American Spirit Publishing. The first prize is \$300. The contest is open to students aged 13 to 18, inclusive. http://www.bestkeptsecretsforwinning.com/vision.php	June 1
Environmental Essay Contest	The aBetterEarth Environmental Essay Contest is sponsored by the Institute for Humane Studies. Candidates should be full-time undergraduate or graduate students or under age 25 as of May 15. High school students are not eligible. The contest awards one first place award of \$2,000, one second place award of \$1,250, one third place award of \$750, and four runner up awards of \$250 each. For more information, send email to info@abetterearth.org .	May 31st
Price Chopper Golub	For students located in New York, Massachusetts, Vermont, Pennsylvania, Connecticut and New Hampshire.	Deadline was June 8, 2012

Foundation Scholarship	https://scholarships.pricechopper.com/CoverPage.aspx	
National Merit Scholar Awards	These are \$1,000 awards given to selected finalists for the Claes Nobel Academic Scholarships. The application process is identical to that of the Claes Nobel Academic Scholarships. The number will vary based on the number and quality of applications. http://www.nationalmerit.org/nmsp.php	Generated from PSAT's
Holocaust Remembrance Project Essay Contest	The Holocaust Remembrance Project Essay Contest is designed to encourage and promote the study of the Holocaust. Ten first place winners receive an all-expense-paid trip to Washington DC to visit the US Holocaust Memorial Museum and scholarships of \$1,000 to \$5,000. The contest is open to all residents of the United States and Mexico, and also to US Citizens living abroad. The deadline is April 15. Candidates should be enrolled in high school (grades 9-12) and age 19 or younger. For more information, send email to holocaust@hklaw.com. http://holocaust.hklaw.com	April
US Bank Internet Scholarships:	For high school seniors applying to college or university. 30 scholarships of \$1,000 each are available. www.usbank.com/studentbanking	Check back
American Planning Association High School Essay Contest	For high school juniors and seniors writing an essay on certain topics. 11 scholarships of \$5,000 each are available. www.planning.org/essay	On Hiatus
Other Web pages	http://www.scholarships4students.com http://www.scholarships.com/scholarships-for-high-school-students.aspx (Tips for completing FAFSA) http://www.finaid.org/scholarships	