**SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Updated: 1/14/2020**

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| **Name of Scholarship** | **What to do!**  **Scholarship Eligibility and Requirements** | **Deadline** |
|  | **JANUARY 2020** |  |
| **Optimist International Scholarship** | Awards: $2,500. Essay on “Is Optimism the Key to Achieving the Dreams You Imagine?” submitted to local Optimist Club. Go to: [www.optimist.org/member/scholarships3.cfm](http://www.optimist.org/member/scholarships3.cfm) to apply. | **January and February 2020** |
| **Florida P.E.O. Scholarship for Women** | Awards: Up to $2,500 for tuition and fees. Eligibility: Florida resident/Permanent US Citizen, accepted for admission for first-year of full-time post-secondary (collegiate) study at an accredited Florida college or university (private or public); Dual enrolled high school students are eligible; Must be pursuing a course of study leading to associate’s or bachelor’s degree; Sponsored by a Florida chapter of the P.E.O. Sisterhood; Meets requirements of scholarship, character, and financial need; Has a GPA of 3.0 or greater. Award amounts based upon number of applicants and funds available. May be renewed for a second year of full-time study pending requirements. **VERY IMPORTANT**: Your counselor must nominate you so give her plenty of time to do so as she must get in touch with the local chapter. Applications or questions, please contact [FLPEOS@gmail.com](mailto:FLPEOS@gmail.com). Local chapter contact: Suellen Hudson (850) 291-5057 [halhud@aol.com](mailto:halhud@aol.com); Carolyn Kinne (850) 433-9093 [rkinne@bellsouth.net](mailto:rkinne@bellsouth.net) | **1/15/2020** |
| **Stetson University J. Ollie Edmunds Distinguished Scholarship** | Two awards for first-year students to Stetson for the Fall term of 2020. Award includes will include full undergraduate tuition, fees, on-campus housing, meals and books for four years. GPA of 3.5 (can be weighted); ACT composite of 30 or a minimum combined SAT-R score of 1350. Candidates must also demonstrate that they are well-rounded, creative and active participants in sports or fitness, strong communicators; are leaders through participation in co-curricular activities and community service. Students who are finalists will be asked to travel to our campus (Stetson will pay travel expenses) for an interview in February 2020. | **1/15/2020** |
| **Girls Impact the World Film Festival Scholarships** | Awards: $1,000-$5,000. For: High school students. Show in film what you can do to change the story. Submit an original short (3-6 minute) film that brings focus to a global women’s issue. Go to: [www.connecther.org/gitw/learn](http://www.connecther.org/gitw/learn) to apply | **1/20/2020** |
| **FREA Scholarships for Teaching Degrees** | 1st Scholarship: Award: $4,000 over a 4-year period. Go to: <https://www.frea.org/scholarships/> If you have questions, call (727) 577-6400 or email [info@frea.org](mailto:info@frea.org). Scroll down on this website as there is another scholarship opportunity through FREF. Apply today! | **1/20/2020** |
|  | **FEBRUARY 2020** |  |
| **Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship** | Awards: Up to $7,500 per year. For: Minority high school seniors. Must demonstrate leadership and financial need. Go to: [www.jackierobinson.org](http://www.jackierobinson.org) to apply | **2/1/2020** |
| **Jimmy Rane Foundation Scholarship** | Awards: $500-$5,000/year. Scholarship is renewable! For: High school seniors who exhibit academic excellence, leadership skills and community involvement with demonstrated financial need. Go to: [www.jimmyranefoundation.org/scholarship](http://www.jimmyranefoundation.org/scholarship) to apply. | **2/1/2020** |
| **Scholarships for Military Children** | Awards: $2,000. For: Dependent child of an active duty, reserve or retired member of the military. Minimum of 3.0 GPA and an essay required. Go to: [www.militaryscholar.org](http://www.militaryscholar.org) to apply. Also see our Military Counselor, Mrs. Terrell, Room 162 for more military scholarship opportunities. | **2/1/2020** |
| **National Future Farmers of America** | Awards: Dollar amount varies. More than $2 million awarded each year. Numerous programs available to FFA members and a few programs for non-members. Go to: [www.ffa.org/scholarships](http://www.ffa.org/scholarships) to apply. | **2/1/2020** |
| **Patient Advocate Foundation Scholarships for Survivors** | Awards: $3,000 and it’s renewable! Students who have been diagnosed with and/or been actively treated for a chronic, life threatening or life debilitating disease within the past five years. Go to: [www.patientadvocate.org/connect-with-services/apply-for-a-scholarship/](http://www.patientadvocate.org/connect-with-services/apply-for-a-scholarship/) to apply | **2/1/2020** |
| **Simon Youth Community** | Awards: $1,500. For: High school students who live near a Simon property mall. Cordova Mall is owned by Simon Properties. Go to: [www.syf.org/scholarships](http://www.syf.org/scholarships) | **2/1/2020** |
| **Sons of Italy Foundation** | Awards: $4,000 to $25,000. Various scholarships for students of Italian heritage. Go to: [www.osia.org/programs/scholarships](http://www.osia.org/programs/scholarships) to apply | **2/1/2020** |
| **Taco Bell Live Mas Scholarship** | Awards: $5,000-$25,000. For: High school students planning to attend a postsecondary education program. Submit a 2-minute video that tells the story of your life’s passion. Go to: [www.tacobellfoundation.org/live-mas-scholarship](http://www.tacobellfoundation.org/live-mas-scholarship) to apply | **2/1/2020** |
| **Will McLean Foundation Scholarship** | Awards: $3,000. Skills and interests must be musically or technically oriented and related to Florida Folk Music, Florida Folk History, and/or production of materials related to Florida Folklore. Applicants must be attending a Florida school and be a resident of Florida. See the ladies in Guidance for an application and follow the instructions. If you need more information, contact Melinda Lang Hilsenbeck (850) 321-7343, [langhilsenbeck@gmail.com](mailto:langhilsenbeck@gmail.com) or Lucy Lang, (407) 252-3811, [lucylang50@gmail.com](mailto:lucylang50@gmail.com) willmclean.com | **2/1/2020** |
| **Trustmark Scholarship**  **Laura Calfee Higdon Charitable Foundation**  **RENEWABLE**  **Scholarship!** | Applicant must possess a GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale, either upon graduation from high school or at the end of any academic year of an eligible post-secondary institution; Window to apply for this scholarship is January 13 – February 3, 2020; Applicant must be a resident of SRC or Escambia County, Alabama, and seeking to attend a post-secondary educational institution. This includes universities, colleges, and vocational or technical schools. New applicants must provide a completed application, two letters of recommendation from former academic instructors addressing their past academic and extracurricular achievements, an essay (as outlined in application) and an official transcript. [Applicants requesting a renewal of their scholarship must provide an application, a letter informing the Advisory Committee of their wish to have the scholarship renewed, and an official transcript. In addition, applicants must have maintained a 2.0 average.] Applications may be requested from the Guidance ladies at Pace High School. DO NOT wait until the deadline to request transcripts, letters of recommendation, etc. | **2/3/2020** |
| **AgVocator Scholarship** | Awards: $1500 (6 total) will be awarded to high school seniors and students enrolled in college classes. Preference to students who plan to seek a career in Agriculture, Agribusiness, Forestry, Horticulture, Veterinary Medicine, or similar fields. Application and information available on their website, www.farmcredit-fl.com | **2/7/2020** |
| **FSU Young Scholars Program** | If you are interested in being nominated, see your Science teacher or Math teacher to be recommended. You need to talk to your teacher AT LEAST one month (by 1/15/2020) before paperwork is due. http://www.bio.sfu.edu/ysp/ | **2/15/2020** |
| **World Class Scholarship Program** | Awards: 55 ($1,000 each). Applicants must live in the areas serviced by Mediacom. All completed scholarship applications must include an essay on leadership, your transcript and two filled-out recommendation forms. More information can be obtained by sending an email to: [scholarship@mediacomcc.com](mailto:scholarship@mediacomcc.com) Completed applications should be sent to: World Class Scholarship Program, 3737 Westown Parkway, Ste. A, West Des Moines, IA 50266 | **2/15/2020** |
| **Vegetarian Resource Group Scholarships** | Awards: $5,000 to $10,000. For: High school seniors who demonstrate compassion, courage and a strong commitment to promoting a peaceful world through a vegetarian diet/lifestyle. Go to: [www.vrg.org/student/scholar.htm](http://www.vrg.org/student/scholar.htm) to apply. | **2/20/2020** |
| **University of Florida/Santa Fe College**  **Cooperative Living Organization** | Are you in need of low-cost housing that has an ALL-Inclusive deal? Do you need a place with fresh cooked meals? The Cooperative Living Organization provides UF and Santa Fe students with dorm-style room and board for half the cost. For $400, you will receive meals (Monday-Friday, lunch/dinner; internet;fully-furnished rooms; conductive study environments; computer lab; and willing residents to help a friend out. Online application is available at: <https://cloliving.org/apply/> | **Priority Deadline:**  **2/24/2020** |
| **Regions Riding Forward Scholarship** | Awards: $5,000. For: High school seniors. Write a 500-word essay on an African-American individual who has inspired and motivated you. Go to: [www.regions.com/promo/black-history-scholarship](http://www.regions.com/promo/black-history-scholarship) to apply. | **2/28/2020** |
| **BBB Student Ethics Scholarship** | Awards: $1,000; Each student selected will receive $1,000 to the college, trade, university or vocational school of their choice. Open to high school Juniors AND Seniors. Download form from bbb.org/nwfl/torchaward Completed applications must be postmarked by February 28, 2020 or delivered to our office by 2 p.m. February 28, 2020. For questions, call (850) 429-0002 or email [info@nwfl.bbb.org](mailto:info@nwfl.bbb.org). Only THREE applications can be considered from each school so don’t wait! Apply TODAY! | **2/28/2020**  **Postmarked by 2:00 p.m.** |
|  | **March 2020** |  |
| **Florida Realtors Education Foundation Scholarships** | Awards: $1,000 and up. For: High school seniors who will attend an undergraduate college or university and pursue a real estate related field of study. Go to: [www.floridarealtors.org/AboutFar/Scholarships](http://www.floridarealtors.org/AboutFar/Scholarships) to apply. | **3/1/2020** |
| **Society of Exploration Geophysicists Scholarship** | Awards: $500-$10,000 per academic year. For: High school seniors planning to pursue a college curriculum directed towards a career in applied geophysics or a closely related field, such as geosciences, physics, geology, or earth and environmental sciences. Go to: [www.seg.org/Scholarships#eligibility](http://www.seg.org/Scholarships#eligibility) to apply | **3/1/2020** |
| **American Chemical Society Scholars Program** | Awards: $5,000 (350 awards). To be eligible, a student must: Be a U. S. citizen or legal permanent resident of the U.S.; Be a graduating senior or college freshman, sophomore or junior. Applications can be found by going to: <https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9137/american_chemical_society_scholars_program_scholarship.php> | **3/1/2020** |
| **A-1 Auto Transport Scholarships** | Awards: $250-$1,000. For: Students planning to enroll in an institute, truck driving school or other logistics program. Essay required on topic related to automotive shipping. Go to: [www.a1autotransport.com/a-1-auto-transport-scholarship](http://www.a1autotransport.com/a-1-auto-transport-scholarship) to apply | **3/10/2020** |
| **Emerald Coast Public Relations Foundation Scholarship** | Award: $1,000. Stop by Pace High Guidance for application or go online at [www.ecpro.org](http://www.ecpro.org). Criteria: Complete your application; GPA 3.5 or higher; Essay – original typed, double-spaced 200-300-word essay addressing an ethics issue in public relations or journalism; A listing of community service or leadership activities not to exceed one page. | **3/15/2020**  **By mail or email** |
| **University of Florida/Santa Fe College**  **Cooperative Living Organization** | Are you in need of low-cost housing that has an ALL-Inclusive deal? Do you need a place with fresh cooked meals? The Cooperative Living Organization provides UF and Santa Fe students with dorm-style room and board for half the cost. For $400, you will receive meals (Monday-Friday, lunch/dinner; internet;fully-furnished rooms; conductive study environments; computer lab; and willing residents to help a friend out. Online application is available at: <https://cloliving.org/apply/> | **Standard Deadline:**  **3/16/2020** |
| **Pen Air 2020 “Follow Your Passion Scholarship”** | Go to: penair.org/Scholarships to fill out the application and email requested materials. Applications are also available in the PHS Guidance Department. Complete the application and email the materials to [CollegeScholarship@penair.org](mailto:CollegeScholarship@penair.org) or mail to: Pen Air Federal Credit Union, Attn: Scholarship Applications, 1495 E. Nine Mile Road, Pensacola, FL 32514. | **3/27/2020** |
| **Lighthouse Guild Scholarship for the Blind** | Awards: Up to $10,000. For: High school seniors who are legally blind with strong academic accomplishments. Go to: [www.lighthouseguild.org/programs-services/scholarships](http://www.lighthouseguild.org/programs-services/scholarships) | **3/31/2020** |
|  | **APRIL 2020** |  |
| **Florida School Counselor Association Scholarship** | For: High school seniors and includes an essay. To apply, go to: [www.fla-schoolcounselor.org/faca-scholarships](http://www.fla-schoolcounselor.org/faca-scholarships) to apply | **4/1/2020** |
| **Jose’ Marti Scholarship Challenge Grant Fund** | Awards: $2,000. A need -based merit scholarship for eligible students of Spanish culture who will attend Florida public or eligible private institutions. Go to: [www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org](http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org) to apply | **4/1/2020** |
| **Marine Technology Society Scholarships** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. For: High school students accepted into full-time programs with focus in marine technology, marine engineering and/or marine science. MTS membership required. Go to: [www.mtsociety.org/education/scholarships.aspx](http://www.mtsociety.org/education/scholarships.aspx) to apply | **4/1/2020** |
| **National Association for the Self-Employed Dependent Scholarship** | For: High school seniors who are dependents of NASE members. Selection criteria include leadership abilities, strong academics, financial need. Go to: [www.nase.org/Membership/Benefits/NASE\_Dependent\_Scholarship\_Program.aspx](http://www.nase.org/Membership/Benefits/NASE_Dependent_Scholarship_Program.aspx) to apply | **4/1/2020** |
| **Phi Delta Kappa Prospective Educator** | Awards: Dollar amount varies. Numerous opportunities for high school seniors who have a connection to PDK by having a family member or teacher who is a PDK member, or through membership in Educators Rising. Go to: [www.pdkassociation.org/programs-resources/scholarships-awards/prospective-educator-scholarships](http://www.pdkassociation.org/programs-resources/scholarships-awards/prospective-educator-scholarships) | **4/1/2020** |
| **Heavy Equipment Parts Scholarship** | Award: $500 (1 award). To be eligible, a student must: Currently be in high school, college, or university; Be at least 16 years of age. Applications can be found by going to: <https://studentscholarships.org/student_jobs.php> | **4/1/2020** |
| **Southern Scholarship Foundation Housing Award** | UP to four years of college housing valued at nearly $50,000. Students who have been accepted to specific Florida college and universities may apply. Minimum 3.0 GPA, financial need, character, motivation a must. **First** deadline is April 1st for Fall semesters; **Second** deadline is November 1st for Spring semesters. Go to: [www.southernscholarship.org](http://www.southernscholarship.org) to apply. | **4/1/2020** |
| **Locklin Technical College** | To apply: Complete and submit the following to Locklin Tech’s Student Services Department: Locklin Tech Application for the 2019-2020 school year; 2)Complete the Locklin Tech Scholarship Application (See the ladies in PHS Guidance for Scholarship Application); Application fee waived if you submit both documents before Tuesday, April 2, 2019; Complete a 2019-2020 Financial Aid form at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov) by Tuesday, April 2, 2019. Include Radford M. Locklin’s Code number of 017198; GPA will be taken into consideration; Graduate on time. See Scholarship flyer (attached to your scholarship application from PHS Guidance) for additional information. | **4/2/2020** |
| **Gloria Barron Prize for Young Heroes** | Awards: $10,000. Students up to age 18 who have executed a service project to help the community or protect the environment. Go to: [www.barronprize.org/apply](http://www.barronprize.org/apply) | **4/15/2020** |
| **Carid Photo Contest** | Awards: $1,000. For: High school students enrolling in post-secondary education next semester. Create a photo inspired by any aspect of the automotive industry; make it creative, inspiring or though provoking. **First** deadline is 10/31/2019. **Second** chance at a scholarship is 4/30/2020. | **4/30/2020** |
| **Review It Scholarship** | Award: $1,000 (1 award). To be eligible, a student must: Be attending college or university no later than September of 2019; Have a GPA of 2.5 or greater and plan on attending a school in the United States. Applications can be found by going to: <https://www.studentscholarships.org/review.php> | **4/30/2020** |
|  | **MAY 2020** |  |
| **B. Davis Scholarship** | Awards: $1,000. For: High school Juniors and Seniors who plan to attend an accredited college or university. 1,000 word essay describing the three characteristics of leadership you value most and why they are so important. Go to: [www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm](http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm) to apply | **5/1/2020** |
| **American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers** | Awards: $3,000. For: High school seniors accepted into pre-engineering, engineering or engineering technology programs leading to a bachelor’s degree in a course of study that traditionally has been a preparatory curriculum for the HVAC&R profession. Go to: [www.ashrae.org/communities/student-zone](http://www.ashrae.org/communities/student-zone) to apply | **5/1/2020** |
| **James Beard Foundation Scholarships** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. For: High school seniors who plan to enroll in a course of study leading to an associate or baccalaureate degree at a licensed or accredited culinary school. Go to: [www.jamesbeard.org/scholarships](http://www.jamesbeard.org/scholarships) to apply | **5/1/2020** |
| **Jason Ackerman Foundation** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. For: High school seniors who survived a tragic illness or circumstance. Minimum 2.5 GPA. Go to: [www.becauseofjason.org/programs](http://www.becauseofjason.org/programs) to apply. | **5/1/2020** |
| **Sertoma Hard of Hearing Scholarship** | Award: $1,000. For: High school seniors with clinically significant bilateral hearing loss pursuing four-year college degrees in any discipline. Minimum of 3.2 GPA. | **5/1/2020** |
| **Trial Pro Scholarship** | <https://www.trialpro.com/scholarships> to apply. Must be a high school senior at Pace High School or full-time college student pursuing an Associate’s, Bachelor’s, or Master’s degree in an accredited university.      Applicant must have a minimum 3.0 GPA and maintain it throughout academic year.      Student must be a US citizen or permanent resident. | **5/1/2020** |
| **B. Davis Scholarship** | Award: $1,000. To apply, go to  <http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm>. If you have any questions, email  [awards@studentawardsearch.com](mailto:awards@studentawardsearch.com) | **5/22/2020** |
| **LM Scholarship** | Award: $500 (1 award). To be eligible, a student must: Be currently enrolled or expect to be enrolled in a degree program by September 2020; Have a GPA of 3.0 or higher and submit an answer to the essay question prior to the submission deadline. Applications can be found by going to: <https://studentscholarships.org/grants.php> | **5/31/2020** |
|  | **JUNE 2020** |  |
| **Joe Francis Haircare Scholarship** | Awards: $1,200. For: High school seniors applying for entrance into cosmetology/barber school with financial need. Go to: [www.joefrancis.com/apply](http://www.joefrancis.com/apply) to apply. | **6/1/2020** |
| **Ted Rollins Eco Scholars** | Awards: $1,000. For: High school seniors enrolling in a sustainability-related field of study. Go to: [www.tedrollinsecoscholars.com](http://www.tedrollinsecoscholars.com) to apply | **6/1/2020** |
| **Women in Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Scholarship** | Awards: $2,000. For Women entering the HVAC industry through a technical or trade school. Go to: [www.womeninhvacr.org/webbapp/p/244/whvacr-scholarships](http://www.womeninhvacr.org/webbapp/p/244/whvacr-scholarships) to apply | **6/1/2020** |
|  | **July 2020** |  |
| **Resumé Companion Scholarship** | Awards: $1,000. For: High school seniors. Create a resume based on the life of any fictional or non-fictional character from TV, history, literature or myth. Go to: [www.resumecompanion.com/scholarship](http://www.resumecompanion.com/scholarship) to apply | **7/1/2020** |
| **Educational Research Center of America’s Scholarship Program** | Awards: $2,500 to $15,000. For: High school students who have recognized a need or problem in their community and have determined a way to address the issue. Go to: [www.studentresearch.org/our-scholarship-program](http://www.studentresearch.org/our-scholarship-program) to apply. | **7/1/2020** |
| **Great Value Colleges Community Service Scholarship** | Awards: $1,500. For: High school seniors who show exceptional passion for community service and have demonstrated concrete ways to enhance their education through service. Go to: [www.greatvaluecolleges.net/community-service-scholarship](http://www.greatvaluecolleges.net/community-service-scholarship) to apply | **7/1/2020** |
|  | **AUGUST 2020** |  |
| **Law Offices of Sean M. Cleary Scholarship** | Awards: $1,000. For: High school seniors. Essay on “Why You shouldn’t drink and Drive” inspired by a personal story. To apply, go to: [www.seanclearypa.com/scholarship](http://www.seanclearypa.com/scholarship) | **8/31/2020** |
|  | **ONGOING SCHOLARSHIPS** |  |
| **Aircraft Electronics Association Scholarships** | Awards: $1,000 - $35,000. Over 10 scholarship opportunities on this website. For: Students seeking careers in aircraft electronics or aviation maintenance. To apply, go to: [www.aea.net/educationalfoundation/scholarships.asp](http://www.aea.net/educationalfoundation/scholarships.asp) | **See website for deadlines** |
| **Arab America Scholarships** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. For: Arab-American students. Check their website for a list of several scholarships and internship opportunities. Go to: [www.arabamerica.com/scholarships](http://www.arabamerica.com/scholarships) to apply | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **Art & Writing Scholarships** | 9th-12th grade students whose creative work demonstrates originality, technical skill, and emergence of a personal voice or vision through art and writing. Several scholarships to choose from. Go to: [www.artandwriting.org/what-we-do/the-awards/how-to-enter](http://www.artandwriting.org/what-we-do/the-awards/how-to-enter) | **Ongoing dates. See website.** |
| **Asian & Pacific Islander American Scholarship Fund** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. Several scholarships available throughout the year. For: Students of Asian or Pacific Island heritage. Minimum 2.7 GPA. Go to: www.apiascholars.org to apply | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **Association on American Indian Affairs** | Awards: $500 to $1,500. Students enrolled in their tribe with at least one-quarter Indian blood. Complete one application to be eligible for multiple awards. Go to: [www.indian-affairs.org/scholarships.html](http://www.indian-affairs.org/scholarships.html) | **Ongoing dates. See website** |
| **DAR Scholarships & More!** | Go to: [www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships](http://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships) to apply. There are several scholarship opportunities on the right-hand side of website. Make sure you apply during the application dates of 8/1/2019 – 2/15/2020. | **8/1/2019 – 2/15/2020** |
| **Do Something Scholarships** | Awards: $1,000 to $10,000; Participate in campaigns to improve the community and document your participation for eligibility. Go to: [www.dosomething.org/us/about/easy-scholarships](http://www.dosomething.org/us/about/easy-scholarships) to apply. | **Ongoing dates**  **See website.** |
| **Entrepreneurs Scholarships** | There are four times to apply for scholarships every year. March, June, September and December of each year. Scholarships are $1,000 each and for High school seniors. Create a business plan infographic for a company in one of the designated industries. To apply, go to <https://formswift.com/startup-scholarship#eligibility> | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **ESE Scholarships** | Several scholarships available ranging from $2,500 to $10,000. For: High School seniors with a documented learning disability, demonstrated perseverance and commitment to achieving personal goals despite challenges. Go to: [www.ncid.org/scholarships-and-awards](http://www.ncid.org/scholarships-and-awards). | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **Florida American Legion Scholarships** | Awards: $500-$2,500. Multiple opportunities for high school students focused on veteran and military influences. Go to: [www.floridalegion.org/programs-services/scholarships](http://www.floridalegion.org/programs-services/scholarships) to apply | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **Florida Engineering Society Scholarships** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. Multiple scholarships for students interested in pursuing a career in engineering. Submit application to local chapter representative. Go to: [www.fleng.org/scholarships](http://www.fleng.org/scholarships) to print out application and to apply. | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **Florida Nurserymen and Growers Association Scholarship** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. For: High school seniors preparing for a career in horticulture. Go to: [www.fngla.org/professional-development/overview/scholarships](http://www.fngla.org/professional-development/overview/scholarships) to apply | **Ongoing dates. See website.** |
| **FormSwift Startup Scholarship** | Awards: $1,000. For: High school seniors. Create a business plan infographic for a company in one of the designated industries. Go to: <https://formswift.com/startup-scholarship#eligibility> to apply. | **March, June., Sept., December each year.** |
| **Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. Multiple opportunities for members of FBLA. Go to [www.fbla-pbl.org/fbla/membership-benefits/scholarships](http://www.fbla-pbl.org/fbla/membership-benefits/scholarships) to apply | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **Golf Course Superintendents Association of America (GCSAA) Scholarships** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. For: High school seniors pursuing a career in the golf course industry, future turfgrass researchers and children of GCSAA members. Go to: [www.gcsaa.org/education/scholarships](http://www.gcsaa.org/education/scholarships) to apply | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **Hispanic Scholarship Fund** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. Various scholarships for Hispanic students. Minimum GPA of 3.0. To apply, go to: [www.hsf.net/en\_us/scholarships](http://www.hsf.net/en_us/scholarships) to apply | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **NROTC Scholarships** | Receive Full Tuition, Book Stipend, Extra Cash and more…. Go to: <Https://www.nrotc.navy.mil> | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **National Center for Learning Disabilities** | Awards: $2,500 to $10,000. For: High school seniors with a documented learning disability, demonstrated perseverance and commitment to achieving personal goals despite the challenges of the learning needs. Go to: [www.ncid.org/scholarships-and-awards](http://www.ncid.org/scholarships-and-awards) to apply. | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **National Hemophilia Foundation** | Awards: Dollar amount varies. Multiple scholarships for promising students in the bleeding disorders community. Go to: [www.hemophilia.org/Community-Resources/Scholarships](http://www.hemophilia.org/Community-Resources/Scholarships) to apply | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **National Society of High School Scholars Foundation** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. For: High school seniors planning careers in science, technology, engineering, mathematics, business, economics, public policy, environmental science or sustainability. Go to: [www.nshssfoundation.org/scholarships](http://www.nshssfoundation.org/scholarships) to apply | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **Poarch Creek Indian Scholarships** | Eligibility: Must be a Poarch Creek Indian Tribal member; submit a transcript and maintain at least a 2.0 GPA. [www.poarchcreekindians.org](http://www.poarchcreekindians.org) for several scholarship opportunities. | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **(Army) Reserve 4-Year Minuteman Scholarship** | To get started, visit usar.army.mil/MinutemanScholarship If you have questions, please email [usarmy.knox.usacc.mbx.train2lead@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.knox.usacc.mbx.train2lead@mail.mil) or call (502) 624-7695. | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **Scholastic Art & Writing Scholarships** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. For: 9th-12th grade students whose creative work demonstrates originality, technical skill, and emergence of a personal voice or vision through art or writing. Go to: [www.artandwriting.org/what-we-do/the-awards/how-to-enter](http://www.artandwriting.org/what-we-do/the-awards/how-to-enter) | **Ongoing dates.**  **See website.** |
| **United Negro College Fund** | Awards: Dollar amounts vary. More than 7,000 scholarships available. Go to: [www.scholarships.uncf.org](http://www.scholarships.uncf.org) | **Ongoing dates. See website.** |
| **Young Women in Public Affairs** | Awards: $1,5000 or $4,000. Young women ages 16-19 who demonstrate superior leadership skills and a commitment to public service and civic causes. Go to: [www.zonta.org/Global-Impact/Education/Young-Women-in-Public-Affairs-Award](http://www.zonta.org/Global-Impact/Education/Young-Women-in-Public-Affairs-Award) to apply | **Ongoing dates. See website.** |

All seniors should apply for financial aid. Go to [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)

National Scholarship Search sites: [www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com) Other Great websites: commonapp.org

[www.scholarships.com](http://www.scholarships.com) www.gibill.va.gov

<http://www.iefa.org/> www.firstgenerationstudent.com

[www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com) http://www.college-scholarships.com

[www.ed.gov](http://www.ed.gov) <https://www.myscholly.com/>

Unigo.com usnews.com/scholarshipinsider

CollegeScholarship.org collegecovered.com

Wellsfargo.com/getcollegeready floridastudentfinancialaid.org

Floridashines.org Mycareershines.org

Cappex.com Niche.com/colleges/scholarships/

Thescholarshipsystem.com FIDM.edu

Wherever you apply, be sure and check out that college’s website. Many colleges offer scholarships on their own website that aren’t listed here.

Pensacolastate.edu FCGU.edu (Ft. Myers)

UWF.edu FSU.edu (Tallahassee)

\*Coastalalabama.edu GULFCoast.edu (P. C. Bch)

Auburn.edu NWFSC.edu (Niceville)

Faulkner.edu TCC.FL.edu (Tallahassee)

UA.edu (Tuscaloosa) UCF.edu (Orlando)

UAB.edu (Birmingham) UFL.edu (Gainesville)

UAH.edu (Huntsville) UNF.edu (Jacksonville)

Southalabama.edu (U.S.A.) USF.edu (Tampa)

Troyacademicworks.com UT.edu

UWA.edu (Livingston) Stetson.edu (DeLand)

UGA.edu (Athens) FAU.edu (Boca Raton)

LSU.edu (Baton Rouge) [Home.usm.edu](http://Home.usm.edu) (Hattiesburg)

MSState.edu (Starkville, MS) Nossi.edu (Nossi College of Art & Design)

OLEMiss.edu (Oxford, MS) usagermanyscholarship.org (Begins August 1 of each year)

\*Coastal Alabama Community College has an RA program. Go to the following website, apply and if accepted, your housing and meals are free**!** The only Qualification**: 2.5 GPA.**

[**https://form.jotform.com/90096637092159**](https://form.jotform.com/90096637092159)

Questions? Contact Danielle Pitts (251) 580-2178.

***Are you the first person in your household to go to college?***

Google: First Generation Scholarships 2020. Thousands of $$$ available.

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| [https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/images/kids-in-the-hallway-opportunity-scholarships.jpg](http://signup.collegeboard.org/cbos-pledge/) | College Board Opportunity Scholarships  Join a national movement to support students on their college journeys and encourage them to take advantage of the clear steps and benefits of the College Board Opportunity Scholarships.  **signup.collegeboard.org** |

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The top Bright Futures scholarship level now pays full tuition and most fees, plus $300 per semester for textbooks? Sweet!

The Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program, funded by the Florida Lottery, provides scholarships for Florida high school grads with a record of high academic achievement, good test scores and community service. You can use the scholarship for a degree, certificate or applied technology program at most Florida public or private postsecondary education institutions.

Here's how to make sure you get rewarded for your hard work. Go to www.FloridaStudentFinancialAid.org/SSFAD/bf to find out if you qualify.

Go to [www.FloridaStudentFinancialAid.org](http://www.FloridaStudentFinancialAid.org) and submit a completed, error-free Initial Student Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) during your last year of high school, by graduation.

Bright Futures has a handbook available online <https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/PDF/BFHandbookChapter1.pdf>

<https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/PDF/BFHandbookChapter2.pdf>

<https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/PDF/BFHandbookChapter3.pdf>

Take responsibility for tracking your application and award status online and keeping the Office of Student Financial Assistance (OSFA) informed about changes to your address or your educational plans.

Main website:

<https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPBFMAIN/SAPBFMAIN>

**Eligible for the GI Bill? Did you know?**

**You can pair the GI Bill AND Bright Futures.**

**Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Guidelines**

**Class of 2020**

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|  | **Florida Academic Scholarship (FAS)**  **-Covers 120 credit hours-** | **Florida Medallion Scholarship (FMS)**  **-Covers 120 credit hours-** | **Florida Gold Seal Vocational (GSV)**  **-Covers 72 credit hours-** | |
| Award Amount1 | Up to:  $1,545/semester – 4 year  $945/semester – 2 year  $780/semester –Voc. Center | Up to:  $1,155/semester – 4 year  $720/semester – 2 year  $585/semester – Voc. Center | Up to:  $720/semester – AS, AAS, CCC $585/semester – PSAV\*  $585/semester – ATD\* | |
| **Requirements:** | | | | |
| 1. GPA | 3.5 weighted in core classes only | 3.0 weighted in core classes only | 3.0 weighted in core classes AND 3.5 in 3yrs in the same vocational program | |
| 2. Core Classes | 4- English  (3 with substantial writing)  4- Math (Algebra 1 & Above2)  3- Science  (2 with substantial lab)  3- Social Science  2- World Language - (sequential, in the same language) | 4- English  (3 with substantial writing)  4- Math (Algebra 1 & Above2)  3- Science  (2 with substantial lab)  3- Social Science  2- World Language - (sequential, in the same language) | 4- English  4- Math (Including Algebra 12)  3- Science  3- Social Science  (2 with substantial lab)  1- Fine Arts; OR 1 Identified Practical Art; OR .5 credit in each  .5 credit in any P.E. course  .5 credit of Personal Fitness  +3 Career Tech Ed credits in a vocational program over 2 academic years | |
| 3. Service Hours | 100 Hours | 75 Hours | 30 Hours | |
| 4. Test Scores | SAT – 1290 (CR & Math only)  ~OR~  ACT – 29 (Composite) | SAT – 1170 (CR & Math only)  ~OR~  ACT – 26 (Composite) | SAT – 440 (CR) & 440 (Math) | |
| ACT  17 English  19 Reading  19 Math | PERT  106 Reading 103 Writing  114 Math |

*1Award amounts are approximate and subject to change after each legislative session. 2Algebra 1A/1B count as one credit.*

\*PSAV – Career Certificate Program / ATD – Applied Technology Diploma Program

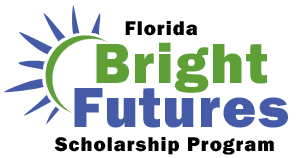
**Check your Bright Futures Eligibility online at www.FLVC.org!**

Simply go to [www.FLVC.org](http://www.FLVC.org). Mouse over the section titled: Go to College. Click on the Pay for College link. Scroll down to the Bright Futures section and click on the Check your Eligibility for a Bright Future Scholarship Now link. Provide the requested information on the next screen: Florida Student Identifier Number (usually your Social Security Number followed by an X), select your district, and enter your last name. Click Submit.

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**Verification of Receipt:** I verify that I have received and read the initial eligibility requirements of the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program for the 2018-19 academic year.

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**AUBURN COLLEGE OPPORTUNITIES**

**Auburn University STEM**

For:  Students interested in Science, Technology

Engineering and Math

When:  January 27, 2020

Time:  8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Where:  Brown-Kopel Engineering Student Achievement Center, Grand Hall

Register at:  Eng.Auburn.edu/stem

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For:  7th-12th graders to visit our campus and learn more about Engineering.

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**Auburn Engineering Summer Camps**

For:  Rising 9th-12th graders.  Applications open December 1st.

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For fall 2020, we are now taking applications for these four ACES living-learning communities:

* Pre-Nursing: Students who are interested in pursuing a nursing degree
* Psychology: Students who are pursuing careers in the psychology field
* Biology: Students planning on majoring in Biological Sciences
* Gen 1: Students whose parents/guardians did not obtain a four-year degree

Please encourage your students to visit our [website](http://clicks.usm.radiussend.com/wf/click?upn=woDmtcac6ZUvdxIGh6GdnXMTvN6u2LHwv29NAYi4xoDPIoilTuDjZe2ESX3OEZsrPZutNXvw249r-2Brtosr28y3RG6i-2FoeYdDIRIO1rpI3U7yBfLJ6GOiGiPzDjLZOugTIIpIj8yGBDMKcxTnTJTGKQ-3D-3D_d6Hu-2BmZEQXx2kljNhLwX-2BLzzlA1N-2F2tssuqpCh-2BpyRZjNNHJJfp2cZrYWtlp3vhQ-2F9UqLyYkxOvXHGoRNVVqEKZClb8-2BUmEJOrS5VOGe9HO5a3GBSG89lI255eQSq9rsUeR-2BA9AOU6YBeBEULh0i-2Bz-2FCaXDVwua0HK2oBg7kf2b3c6Zf1QBxKpfl09NaVkBVbJhvuNGZWz6TUF8aeUa27xMYHqNLwgwQemduGr1dltXwlVfvrIt0m4col2hFRhPC1pTKpc1Ugybv-2F2jf9mY8-2Bcwk-2FqIfC8W8desZ9AexkXboNZ-2Bb75jvHmhOlH-2B3fB8JXpWkt7y7VMoI4UYfygMEmE-2FSlKr21zjruHpkWT-2BM2ce47MRynA-2FGebQmPG9dxLTO) to learn more and apply. Please note that they will also need to [apply for housing](http://clicks.usm.radiussend.com/wf/click?upn=woDmtcac6ZUvdxIGh6GdnSN0vgXbASlEHdmqDbS722GPz7oL1hGDwMfxsJEvxCF85-2FwdTwnLlCzr4l42xiOhDQ-3D-3D_d6Hu-2BmZEQXx2kljNhLwX-2BLzzlA1N-2F2tssuqpCh-2BpyRZjNNHJJfp2cZrYWtlp3vhQ-2F9UqLyYkxOvXHGoRNVVqEKZClb8-2BUmEJOrS5VOGe9HO5a3GBSG89lI255eQSq9rsUeR-2BA9AOU6YBeBEULh0i-2Bz-2FCaXDVwua0HK2oBg7kf2b3c6Zf1QBxKpfl09NaVkBVbJhvuNGZWz6TUF8aeUa27-2BRb17RqMXbxVVV-2FGVtUHZKDIT6wlO7tgJbs5GLgBkOsjY4oATt8aMScNcl2kD1ph-2B7e2PDlhbhlKtgxSJhtRANHHwOE83n5tqpwmz0IQCsTcrMrkKLBK6p2fka0YTtO8SZnvawmD1ayCBtUcsZawUTYhhyhfpISvqXiaP8ddMEB) on campus, as on-campus residency is required for all ACES participants. The priority deadline to submit an ACES application is **February 9**.  
  
If you or your students have any questions, please contact the Office of New Student and Retention Programs at 601.266.6405. We're here to help!

Sincerely,  
Holly Grider   
Assistant Director for First-Year Programs

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