

## **December & January Scholarships**

**Cards Direct Scholarship**- **Deadline December 1, 2023**. \$1,500. Design a holiday card with original artwork, photographs, or computer graphics Eligibility: Must be at least 17 years old and already accepted or enrolled in an educational organization. <u>https://www.cardsdirect.com/scholarship.aspx</u>

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**Visionary Scholarship- Deadline December 1, 2023.** \$1,000-\$2,500. All components of the application must be received completely at the time of submission. Applicant will NOT be notified of a partial and/or incomplete application. All applications for the American College Foundation's Visionary Scholarship Program will consist of:

- Completed ACF Visionary Scholarship Application
- Student's most recent unofficial high school transcript
- 500-word essay on "Why College is Important to Me" <u>https://americancollegefoundation.org/college-planning-visionary-scholarship-details/</u>

**Dell Scholars Program- Deadline December 1, 2023.** \$20,000. Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors who have participated in an approved college readiness program (such as AVID, GEAR UP, Upward Bound – see full list on website) in grades 11 and 12. Applicant must have earned a minimum GPA of 2.4 and demonstrate financial need. https://www.dellscholars.org/scholarship/

**Ron Brown Scholarship Program- Deadline December 1, 2023.** 50 college scholarships annually in the amount of \$40,000. Interested applicants are strongly encouraged to apply for the Ron Brown Scholar Program provided you meet the following requirements:

- Must be Black/African American.
- Must excel academically.
- Must exhibit exceptional leadership potential.
- Must participate in community service activities.
- Demonstrate financial need.
- Be a US citizen or hold a permanent resident visa card.
- Be a current high school senior at the time of your application. NOTE: Current college students are not eligible to apply. <u>https://ronbrown.org/apply/applicants/</u>

**The Hagan Scholarship- Deadline December 1, 2023.** Up to \$7,500 each semester for up to 8 consecutive semesters. Must be a US citizen, 3.5 GPA, demonstrates financial need. Must attend a traditional public high school located in the U.S. that is governed by a school district. <u>https://haganscholarships.org/eligibility/</u>

**Barbara Lotze Scholarship for Future Physics Teachers- Deadline December 1, 2023.** Up to \$3,000. Do you want to become a high school physics teacher? If so, you should check out the Barbara Lotze Scholarship for Future Physics Teachers! This scholarship is open to high school seniors and undergraduate students who are preparing for a career in high school physics. <u>https://www.aapt.org/programs/grants/lotze.cfm</u>

Lamber- Goodnow Scholarship- Deadline December 1, 2023. Amount varies. Open to all students enrolled at an accredited high school, college, or university with at least a 2.8 GPA. (Requires an essay.) https://lambergoodnow.com/lg-scholarships/#college

Your Time to Climb Scholarship- Deadline December 1, 2023. \$2000. Open to high school seniors and current undergraduate students who are U.S. Citizens, permanent residents, or DACA recipients who must submit an essay on a time they pushed themselves to work harder to achieve a goal. <u>https://tengelaw.com/scholarship/</u>

Zack Zolin Athletic Scholarship- Deadline December 1, 2023. \$500-\$2000. Are you a student athlete currently in college or your senior year of high school? Consider applying for the Zack Zolin Athletic Scholarship! Created to honor and remember Zack Zolin, who loved football and overcame life's obstacles to play the game, this scholarship is designed to support those who possess unwavering dedication and fervor for their chosen sport. Whether you're a current college athlete or a high school senior athlete gearing up for college next year, the Zack Zolin Scholarship Foundation welcomes your application. <a href="https://www.zzscholarship.com/scholarships">https://www.zzscholarship.com/scholarships</a>

**The Rise Above Scholarship** – **Deadline: December 1, 2023**- Amount \$1,000. Essay requirement. Students must have a 3.0GPA. Must submit a professional resume, transcript, and proof of acceptance. <u>www.silbermanlam.com/2023-rise-above-scholarship</u>

**Ronald V. Dellums Memorial SMART Scholarship**. – **Due: December 1, 2023**. Full tuition, \$30,000 Annual stipend, and more. Must have a GPA of 3.0. Must maintain a GPA of 3.0 in college. Have the ability to complete summer internships. Must be able to obtain security clearance and accept full time work with the Department of Defense after graduation. Ronald V. Dellums Memorial SMART Scholarship - SMART Scholarship

**Military Child of the Year- Deadline December 3, 2023**. \$10,000 each, a laptop computer, and other donated gifts. Award is open to young people ages 13 to 18 who are children of someone who is/was in the military. <u>https://operationhomefront.org/military-child-of-the-year/</u>

National Space Club and Foundation Keynote Scholarship- Deadline December 4, 2023. \$15,000. Since 2013, The National Space Club and Foundation has offered the opportunity for a student to give the keynote address at the National Space Club and Foundation's annual Goddard Memorial Dinner, one of the space industry's most prestigious gatherings. The student must intend to pursue a career in the Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics (STEM) fields, be academically strong and excel in public speaking. <u>https://www.spaceclub.org/scholarship/index.html</u>

**The Science Ambassador Scholarship- Deadline December 13, 2023.** A full-tuition scholarship for women and nonbinary students in STEM. Film a three-minute educational video of yourself explaining a STEM topic you're passionate about. You must be a high school senior or an undergraduate college student to apply. https://www.scienceambassadorscholarship.org/

**North American Van Lines Logistics Scholarship- Deadline December 15, 2023.** \$1,000. Are you a college-bound high school senior or current college student planning to pursue a degree in Logistics or an equivalent field? If so, consider applying for the North American Van Lines Logistics Scholarship Competition! The scholarship is offered by North American Van Lines, a U.S.-based, long-distance moving company that is dedicated to the growth and development of

the cross-country moving industry. In order to apply for their scholarship, you must submit a 400 – 800 word essay detailing your passion for logistics, in addition to a few other required materials. If you love logistics and want some help paying for college, we encourage you to apply! <u>https://www.northamerican.com/scholarship</u>

Ava Care Medical Scholarship- Deadline December 15, 2023. \$1,000. Submit an essay, video, or image that conveys an act of kindness that inspired you Eligibility: Open to current high school seniors and college students who have at least a 3.0 GPA, are U.S. citizens or holders of an Alien Registration Card and are pursuing a degree in a medical field. Preference will be given to students with a physical disability. <u>https://avacaremedical.com/scholarship</u>

**Rubincam Youth Writing Competition**- **Deadline December 15, 2023**. \$250-\$500. Submit a genealogy in a biographical narrative format for one family line, including four generations, beginning with you as the first generation. Biographies for individual generations should have 1,000 to 1,500 words Eligibility: Open to students in grades 9-12. <u>https://www.ngsgenealogy.org/competitions/rubincam-youth-award/</u>

**G2** Overachievers Student Grant- Deadline December 15, 2023. \$15,000 - \$100,000. Submit 1,000–2,000 handwritten words explaining how you or the person you're nominating makes a difference in the world and why they deserve to be recognized for these efforts. Eligibility: Open to middle and high school students who are on the honor roll. https://powertothepen.com/apply/

**Medical Scrubs Collection Scholarships- Deadline December 15, 2023.** \$1,000. Applicants for the Medical Scrubs Collection Scholarship must meet the following criteria:

- Citizen of the United States or in possession of an Alien Registration Card
- High school senior or enrolled in an accredited U.S. college or university
- Achieved a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0
- Pursuing a degree in the medical field such as therapy, nursing, medicine, nutrition, laboratory science, dentistry, etc.
- Although all students with the above criteria are welcome to apply for this scholarship, preference will be given to students with a physical disability. <u>https://medicalscrubscollection.com/scholarship-program</u>

**Amazon Future Engineer Scholarship** – **Deadline: December 15, 2023** - \$40,000 - Must be a high school senior planning to pursue a bachelor's degree in computer science, software engineering, computer engineering, mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, robotics, or other computer science related field of study. You must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident, planning to attend an accredited 4-year college or university (or an accredited 2-year college, with the intent to transfer to a 4-year institution). <u>https://www.amazonfutureengineer.com/scholarships</u>

**Burger King Scholars Program** – **Deadline; December 15, 2023** - Scholarship grants range from \$1,000 to \$60,000. Must have a cumulative high school GPA of 2.0 or higher; demonstrate community involvement through volunteering, sports, clubs and/or religious organizations; and plan to enroll full-time in 2024-25 at an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school in the U.S., Canada, Puerto Rico or Guam. https://www.burgerkingfoundation.org/programs/burger-king-sm-scholars

**Equitable Excellence Scholarship** – **Deadline: December 15, 2023** - \$5,000 annually for four years . Must be high school seniors with financial need who plan to enroll in a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two- or four-year college or university; Be United States citizens or legal residents in one of the 50 U.S. states, District of Columbia or Puerto Rico, and will be asked to demonstrate outstanding achievement in a school, community or workplace activity. • https://equitable.com/foundation/equitable-excellence-scholarship

**Innovation in Education Scholarship**- **Deadline December 20, 2023**. \$500. Open to any high school or college student in the US with a GPA of at least 3.0. <u>https://www.latutors123.com/scholarships/innovation-in-education/</u>

See Something Say Something – Deadline: December 31, 2023 – Amount unknown. High School seniors, must have a 3.0 GPA. Essay, professional resume, and transcript required. <u>https://billnettleslaw.com/2023-see-something-say-something-scholarship/</u>

**Nelson Scholarship** – **Deadline: December 31, 2023** – \$1,500. Must be finishing senior year. 500 word-statement answering prompt. <u>https://nelsonkb.com/scholarships/#find-me-form</u>

**Getting Real About Distracted Driving Scholarship**- **Deadline December 31, 2023**. \$1,500. Create an advertisement that focuses on the dangers of distracted driving. Ads in any form are accepted, including PSAs, commercials, music, billboards, etc. Eligibility: Open to all students currently attending or planning to attend an accredited college or university: <u>https://comedydefensivedriving.com/scholarships</u>

**The Transgender First Scholarship**- **Deadline December 31, 2023**. \$2,500. Write an answer to the questions, "what do you plan to do with your degree?" and "have you faced difficulties accessing college in relation to your gender identity?" Eligibility: Must identify as transgender or non-binary and be planning to pursue a degree, or currently pursuing a degree, at an accredited U.S. college <u>https://www.onlinedegree.com/transgender-first-scholarship</u>

**Because College is Expensive Scholarship- Deadline December 31, 2023.** \$500. Scholarship is open to high school students, adults looking to head back to school, current college students, and anyone looking to attend college or graduate school within 12 months. Applicants must submit a short form. <u>https://cedaredlending.com/scholarship/</u>

**Travis W. Watkins Tax Attorney Scholarship- Deadline December 31, 2023.** \$1,000. Open to any current or soon-to-be student who has had his or her family's life altered because of tax controversies (back taxes owed, audits, etc.). <u>https://www.traviswatkins.com/scholarship</u>

**MIT Think Scholars Program- Deadline January 1, 2024.** \$1,000. The MIT THINK Scholars Program is an educational outreach initiative offered by the Massachusetts Institute of Technology that promotes high school student-led innovation in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. THINK accepts research project proposals from high school students across the US, providing mentorship and funding to a select few to make their ideas a reality. <u>https://think.mit.edu/</u>

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**Live Mas Scholarship** – **Deadline: January 3, 2024** – Amount varies. Submit a two minute or less video answering prompts. <u>Live Más Scholarship (tacobellfoundation.org)</u>

**GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship** – **Deadline: January 5, 2024** – \$10,000 annually up to four years. for high school seniors nationwide who showcase leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship. Minimum 3.0 GPA. Plan to enroll in a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited four-year college or university in the United States for the entire 2024-2025 academic school year. <u>https://www.reaganfoundation.org/education/scholarship-programs/ge-reagan-foundation-scholarship-program/</u>

**Diller Teen Tikkun Olam Awards- Deadline January 5, 2024.** \$36,000. 13-19 years old (on January 5, 2024), identify as Jewish, a resident of the United States, volunteering without any compensation, Currently serving in a leadership role on a project or initiative that embodies the values of *tikkun olam* — repairing the world <a href="https://dillerteenawards.org/apply/">https://dillerteenawards.org/apply/</a>

**APIA Scholarship Program- Deadline January 9, 2024.** \$2,500- \$20,000. Be able to describe their ethnicity, heritage, or ancestry in relation to the countries, territories, or lands in Asia or the Pacific Islands. Be a citizen, national, or legal permanent resident of the United States. Citizens of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia and the Republic of Palau are also eligible to apply. Must have applied for federal financial aid, for the 2024-2025 academic year, using the Free Application for the Federal Student Aid (FASFA) by mid-March 2024. Be enrolling or continuing enrollment as an undergraduate student in a U.S. accredited college or university in Fall 2024. Have a

Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship- Deadline January 10, 2024. \$35,000. Are you a graduating, minority high school senior who demonstrates both academic excellence and financial need? If so, consider applying for the Jackie Robinson Foundation (JRF) Scholarship! In addition to the monetary award, winners will be invited to JRF's annual fourday "Mentoring and Leadership Conference" in New York City. Lastly, winners will receive four years' worth of a comprehensive program that includes career guidance, internship, and job placement, and more. The scholarship is offered by the Jackie Robinson Foundation, an organization founded by Rachel Robinson in honor of her late husband. It was created with the goal of helping sponsor and support the education of talented young, minority youth. https://jackierobinson.org/scholarship/

**Fidelity Scholars Program- Deadline January 11, 2024.** 200 scholars with more than \$2.8 million in scholarships. 2.5 – 3.5 unweighted GPA or GED. Pell eligible and/or demonstrate financial need. Attend as an incoming 2024-25 freshman at a 4-year accredited college or university in the state that you reside. Student applicants must come from underrepresented populations and historically underserved communities who have faced systemic barriers and challenges to economic mobility. We specifically encourage students from Black, Latino, Native American (with documented tribal affiliation) and underrepresented Asian American/Pacific Islander heritage to apply. https://uncf.org/programs/fidelity-scholars-program

National Washington Crossing Foundation Scholarship- Deadline January 15, 2024. \$500 - \$5,000. Are you a graduating high school senior pursuing a career in government service? If so, consider applying for the National Washington Crossing Foundation Scholarship! The National Washington Crossing Foundation Scholarship! The National Washington Crossing Foundation Scholarship is open to college-bound high school seniors who are planning to pursue a career in local, state, or federal government. https://www.gwcf.org/scholarship

**StudentCam Scholarship- Deadline January 19, 2024.** Are you an aspiring filmmaker? If so, consider applying for the StudentCam scholarship! The StudentCam Scholarship is open to students in grades 6-12 who create a short 5-6 minute video documentary on a topic that relates to the year's competition theme. <u>https://www.studentcam.org/</u>

**Diversity Advancement Scholarship- Deadline January 19, 2024.** Up to \$20,000. Are you a high school senior or college student planning to major in architecture? If so, you might be interested in applying for the Diversity Advancement Scholarship! The scholarship is open to high school seniors and rising college sophomores who will soon be enrolling in or continuing NAAB-accredited architecture programs. <u>https://architectsfoundation.org/our-programs/architecture-scholarship/</u>

**Tuskegee Airmen Scholarship- Deadline January 24, 2024.** \$1,500. Applicants must be students from accredited high schools who will graduate (or who have graduated) in the spring of their academic cycle. Additionally, those who apply must have a Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least three point zero (3.0) on a four-point scale. If you're a high school senior with plans to pursue a career in aviation or aerospace, we encourage you to apply! https://www.taisf.org/scholarship-information.html

**Technology Addiction Awareness Scholarship- Deadline January 30, 2024.** Are you a U.S. citizen or legal resident currently in high school, college, graduate school, or homeschool? Further, do you believe that too much screen time and technology addictions are having a negative impact on young people today? If so, Digital Responsibility wants to hear about it! Each year, their Technology Addiction Awareness Scholarship offers \$1,000 to the applicant who writes the best 140-character statement (and subsequent 500 – 1,000 word essay) about technology addiction. https://www.digitalresponsibility.org/technology-addiction-awareness-scholarship

\*\*\* Please be advised that some scholarships may require you to create an account with another scholarship agency such as Scholarship America, or Bold.org.