

## LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS

**American Legion Carl Neff Post #571** – This scholarship is open to any senior from Iroquois High School with a G. P. A. of 2.5, and is planning to pursue a bachelor associate degree from an accredited college. A \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded. Other requirements are listed on the applications. ***Please return completed applications to the counseling office by the first Friday in May.***

American Legion Carl Neff.pdf

**Edgar Snyder & Associates “Words to be Heard” Scholarship** – Edgar Snyder & Associates will hold their annual “Words to be Heard” Scholarship contest. We are asking high school seniors in Central PA and Erie to write a proposal for a program that would effectively teach pre-teens and teenagers the consequences of underage drinking. Two grand prize scholarships will be given--one to a student in the Erie area and one to a student from the Central PA area. We will also be selecting two-second place winners in each market to receive scholarships. In addition, three scholarships will be given in both the Erie and Central PA region. Graduating high school seniors in the Central PA and Erie region are encouraged to participate. You can also go online for more information [www.edgarsnyder.com](http://www.edgarsnyder.com) regarding the Scholarship Contest.

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Erie Community Foundation Scholarships** – Local donors with a deep commitment to the educational needs of our region have created dozens of scholarships within The Erie Community Foundation. To date, hundreds of thousands of dollars have been made available to deserving young men and women. Seniors are eligible to participate in these scholarship programs.

- Ernst R. Behrend Scholarship
- The Goodwine Scholarship
- Lovisa Card-Catlin and Roesner Art Scholarship
- Dr. Michael J. Relihan Scholarship

<http://www.eriecommunityfoundation.org/scholarships/erie-community-foundation-scholarships>

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Erie County Association of Township Officials** – The Erie County Association of Township Officials (ECATO) is offering two scholarships in the amount of \$500.00 each to two selected students of Erie County. Applicants must reside in a Township in Erie County. Applicants must have been accepted for admissions to an accredited college, university or school, which offers a two (2) or a four (4) year degree/certificate program.

[http://www.millcreektownship.com/2008\\_application.pdf](http://www.millcreektownship.com/2008_application.pdf)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Jim Bonniger Memorial Scholarship** – This scholarship is for graduating seniors who have been active in extracurricular activities at Iroquois High School. A G.P.A. of 2.5 or higher is required. ***Please return completed applications to the counseling office by the first Friday in May.***

Jim Bonniger Memorial Scholarship.pdf

**James J. DeDad Scholarship** – Americo Federal Credit Union members between the ages of 17 and 24 who are enrolled or will be enrolled as a full-time undergraduate student in the current school year are eligible to apply to the Erie Chapter of Credit Unions **James J. DeDad Scholarship**. Six scholarships “amount to be determined each year” will be awarded. Students of Iroquois School District are eligible to join AMERICO Federal Credit Union. A \$5.00 minimum deposit is required to open a savings account. Americo Federal Credit Union – 4101 Main Street, Erie, PA 16511, (814) 899-6608.

[www.americofcu.com](http://www.americofcu.com)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Iroquois All Sports Boosters Scholarship** – The Iroquois All Sports Boosters are offering \$500.00 scholarships to Iroquois Senior Student Athletes who are attending an institution of higher education.

***Please return completed applications to the counseling office by the first Friday in May.***

Iroquois All Sports Boosters.pdf

**Iroquois Education Association** – The I. E. A. is offering a scholarship of \$1,000 to an Iroquois Senior who plans to pursue a career in education. The Association will award \$250.00 per year for each of the four years that the student attends an accredited college while working towards certification in elementary or secondary teaching. ***Please return completed applications to the counseling office by the first Friday in May.***

Iroquois Education Association.pdf

**Lawrence Park Athletic Club Scholarship** – A scholarship is offered to 2 male and 2 female students each, who plan to attend a two or four-year program at a technical school or college. The student will receive the award based on scholarship, character and leadership. ***Please return completed applications to the counseling office by the first Friday in May.***

Lawrence Park Athletic Club.pdf

**Mechanical Contractors Association** – Northwest Pennsylvania is pleased to announce a scholarship program for students entering plumbing, HVAC, engineering or construction related fields of study. The MCA of Northwest Pennsylvania will recognize two (2) outstanding students by awarding each a \$500.00 scholarship. These scholarships are available to students attending two or four-year programs at accredited colleges, universities, and technical schools located in Western Pennsylvania. The recipients are well-rounded individuals with a deep interest and involvement in their communities. They spend time volunteering, have outstanding academic performance, and are leaders in their schools through involvement in athletics, clubs, and student government. They are the leaders of tomorrow.

[http://www.mcanwpa.com/PDFs/ScholarshipProgram\\_Application.pdf](http://www.mcanwpa.com/PDFs/ScholarshipProgram_Application.pdf)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**The Bill Vorscheck Scholarship**– Two students, one male and one female senior athlete from Iroquois Jr. Sr. High School, will receive this scholarship. To receive this renewable scholarship students must maintain status as a full time student in good standing, drug free and have no felony record. All applications will be given consideration based upon, but not limited to, the following criteria: financial need, citizenship, leadership, academic standing and multi-sport athlete. ***Please return completed applications to the counseling office by the first Friday in May.***

The Bill Vorscheck Scholarship.pdf

**The Dagmar Horn Serr and Robert J. Serr Education Fund Application** – The Dagmar Horn Serr and Robert J. Serr Education Fund was established in 1973 under the will of Robert J. Serr to provide assistance to “deserving and financially needy students” Preferably having an interest in majoring in library science or related fields. Preference is to be given to students from Erie County attending a college or university in Erie County.

***See counseling office for an application.***

**The Eric Wingrove Memorial Scholarship** – Two students, one male and one female, will be awarded a college scholarship. The following criteria must be met for consideration: A graduating senior at Iroquois Jr. Sr. High School, a one page letter on why you deserve the scholarship, and explanation of sports participation and financial need. ***Please return completed applications to the counseling office by the first Friday in May.***

Eric Wingrove Scholarship.pdf

**The Frank A. Kartesz Scholarship** – The Kartesz family once again will be offering a scholarship to an Iroquois senior who plans to pursue a degree in education, exhibits extracurricular and community involvement and achieves a minimum grade-point average of 3.0. ***Please return completed applications to the counseling office by the first Friday in May.***

Kartesz, Frank.pdf

**The Harry K. Rhodes Scholarship** – The recipient of this scholarship must be a graduate of Iroquois High School, enrolled in college and must be majoring in one of the following areas found on the application. ***Please return completed applications to the counseling office by the first Friday in May.***  
The Harry K.pdf

**The Italian American Women's Association** – Applicants must be a female of Italian heritage who is currently a senior in high school. The applicant must show leadership qualities and must do well academically. An essay is to be written on the importance of her ancestry in her life, her academic and leadership abilities, her involvement in community activities, any part-time work and her goals and aspirations. Two letters of recommendation are required.

***See counseling office for application***

**The Jean Forsyth Scholarship** – A scholarship will be awarded to an Iroquois female athlete. The recipient of this scholarship is to be both an athlete and a scholar. ***Please return completed applications to the counseling office by the first Friday in May.***

The Jean Forsyth Scholarship Application.pdf

**Zonta Club of Erie Scholarship** – Applicants must be a female or male resident of Erie County, Pennsylvania and possess good scholarship and good character. Individuals must be attending a four (4) year accredited college, and have financial need. Please follow the listed links below for the scholarships Zonta Club offers.

- **Amelia Earhart Fellowships** - Since 1938 Zonta has awarded 1,227 Amelia Earhart Fellowships totaling \$7 million to women pursuing PhD degrees in aerospace science and engineering - women following Amelia's dream for gender equality. <http://www.ninety-nines.org/aemsf.html>
- **Young Women in Public Affairs Awards** - Since 1990, Zonta has presented 498 district and international Young Women in Public Affairs Awards to young women from 49 countries.
- **Women in Business Scholarships** - Today, women are still more likely to be pouring the coffee in global boardrooms than sitting on the boards. According to Corporate Women Directors International, women hold just 10.4% of the board seats of global 200 companies, as ranked by *Fortune Magazine*. Jane M. Klausman Women in Business Scholarships are helping women pursuing undergraduate degrees in business management overcome gender barriers, from the classroom to the boardroom. Since 1998, Zonta Women in Business Scholarships have helped women find their place in the business world.

[http://www.zonta.org/site/PageServer?pagename=prog\\_jmk](http://www.zonta.org/site/PageServer?pagename=prog_jmk)

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## STATE SCHOLARSHIPS

**Big 33 Waste Management Scholarship** – As a major sponsor of the Big 33, Waste Management is

committed to supporting their efforts to provide financial assistance to high school seniors who have exhibited excellence in the area of environmental preservation. Student must be a high school senior enrolled in a public or accredited private school in Ohio or Pennsylvania; attained a 2.0 on a 4.0 scale for the previous two academic years (grades 10 and 11); and plans to continue his/her education beyond high school in an accredited institution of higher education or technical school. [www.big33.org](http://www.big33.org)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Big 33 Academic Scholarship Award Program** – The Big 33 Scholarships provide financial assistance to high school seniors who exhibit excellence in a well rounded educational and extracurricular program. Scholarships are awarded based on academic achievement, community service, financial need, leadership, obstacles overcome, special talents and unique endeavors. Student must be a high school senior enrolled in a public or accredited private school in Ohio or Pennsylvania; attained a 2.0 on a 4.0 scale for the previous two academic years (grades 10 and 11); and plans to continue his/her education beyond high school in an accredited institution of higher education or technical school. [www.big33.org](http://www.big33.org)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Big 33 Scholarship Award Program** – This scholarship is available to seniors who possess talent, leadership, an ability to overcome obstacles, have a minimum 2.0 GPA, plan on continuing their education, have community service experience as well as unique endeavors and show financial need. [www.big33.org](http://www.big33.org)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Big 33 Nursing Scholarship** – provides financial assistance to high school seniors who exhibit excellence in a well-rounded educational and extracurricular program. Scholarships are awarded based on academic achievement, community service, financial need, leadership, obstacles overcome, special talents and unique endeavors. Student must be a high school senior enrolled in a public or accredited private school in Ohio or Pennsylvania, attained a 2.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale for the previous two academic years (grades 10 and 11), and plan to continue his/her education beyond high school in a accredited institution of higher education or technical school.

[www.big33.org](http://www.big33.org)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**High School Oratorical Contest** – The contest consists of two parts. An 8-10 minute oration on a phase of the United States Constitution followed by a 3-5 minute oration on one of the assigned topics assigned by National Headquarters.

[http://www.palegion.com/fileadmin/user\\_upload/oratorical/pdf/Oratorical\\_Brochure.pdf](http://www.palegion.com/fileadmin/user_upload/oratorical/pdf/Oratorical_Brochure.pdf)

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**Horatio Alger Franklin Scholarship Program** – There are twenty-five scholarships awarded annually in Pennsylvania that are funded through The Pew Charitable Trusts. The program is designed to increase student understanding and appreciation of the contributions of Benjamin Franklin and Horatio Alger, Jr. The Horatio Alger Franklin Scholarship Program provides assistance to students in the state of Pennsylvania who have exhibited integrity and perseverance in overcoming personal adversity and who aspire to pursue higher education. To be eligible to apply, the applicant must meet the following criteria: Students must produce two essays regarding Benjamin Franklin during the application process. With the submission of the essays, students do not need additionally apply for the Pennsylvania Scholarship, as they will be automatically considered; Be enrolled full time as a high school senior in Pennsylvania, progressing normally toward graduation, and planning to enter college no later than the fall following graduation; Have a strong commitment to pursue a bachelor's degree at an accredited institution (students may start their studies at a two-year institution and later transfer to a four-year institution; Critical financial need (refer to website for the amount of adjusted gross income); Involvement in co-curricular

and community activities; Demonstrate academic achievement (minimum grade point average Of 2.0); Be a resident of Pennsylvania; Be a citizen of the United States. To apply for the Horatio Alger Franklin Scholarship Program, please visit <http://www.horatioalger.org/schoalrships/apply.cfm>

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Pennsylvania Association Of Community Bankers Foundation Scholarship** – (Four renewable scholarships)- The goal of the PACB Foundation is to provide scholarships to children of PACB member institution’s employees and directors. It is the Foundation’s desire to not only be a part of helping students financially, but also to take an active role in developing tomorrow’s leaders. Students must be a high school senior; be a legal dependent of either a PCAB member bank employee (working a minimum of 1,000 hours annually) or of a director of a PCAB member institution; plan to attend an accredited post-secondary school (colleges, universities and community colleges) full time and complete application, including an essay. In addition, an interview will be conducted. [www.pacb.org](http://www.pacb.org)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Pennsylvania Association of Educational Professionals Scholarship** – This scholarship was established in 1992 to assist students pursuing higher education. Criteria used in the selection process include scholastic achievement, motivation for higher education, leadership, citizenship, service to the school and community and financial need. Students must be a high school senior and must complete an application. Field of specialization: Secretarial, office technology, accounting, business education and business education teaching.

<http://www.paeop.org/studschol.htm>

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Pennsylvania Burglar and Fire Alarm Association (PBFAA) Scholarship** – a Chartered State Association of the National Burglar and Fire Alarm Association (NBFAA), Scholarships are awarded on the regional, state and national levels. PBFAA is the state trade association for professional burglar and fire alarm companies. Members are companies that design, sell, install, maintain and monitor electronic burglar and fire alarm systems. The scholarship is a way for the industry to thank the dedicated public safety community and to help pay for advanced education. Student must be a high school senior; have a father, mother or legal guardian who is a full-time active fire or police employee and not on disability; parent or guardian must be a member of the police or sheriff’s department or a full-time paid or volunteer member of a fire department in Pennsylvania; submit proof of acceptance to a college or university (letter acceptable); submit proof of parent’s occupation (ID or supervisory letter acceptable) and complete application and essay.

<https://www.collegedata.com/cs/data/scholar/pdf/ScholarshipProfile.PDF?scholarshipId=94900>

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Pennsylvania Elks “Most Valuable Student** – For the current school years Most Valuable Student Scholarship Competition, the Elks National Foundation will award 500 four-year scholarships to be administered over the 2006-07 through 2009-10 academic years. Male and female students compete separately for identical awards. The amounts are as follows: 2 First- Place Awards of \$60,000 (\$15,000 per year); 2 Second-Place Awards of \$40,000 (\$10,000 per year); 2 Third-Place Awards of \$20,000 (\$5,000 per year); 494 Fourth-Place Awards of \$4,000 (\$1,000 per year); Total of \$2,216,000. The contest is for high school seniors who are U.S. citizens; college students are not eligible. You do not need to be related to an Elks member. For information concerning deadlines and an application go to <http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/mvs.cfm>

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Pennsylvania Land Surveyors’ Foundation, Inc. Scholarship** – Several scholarships totaling up to a predetermined amount will be awarded. The amounts will be paid as lump sum awards. The

Pennsylvania Land Surveyors' Foundation, Inc. is an affiliate of the Pennsylvania Society of Land Surveyors. The goal of the organization is to promote, improve and encourage the profession and practice of land surveying in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Applicants must be a high school senior; plan to pursue higher education at a two-year or four-year institution; be a citizen of the United States and a resident of Pennsylvania and complete application. Students must be entering a Two-year surveying technology program or four-year Bachelor of Science program in land surveying.

<http://www.psls.org/Foundation/2008-2009%20Scholarship%20Application.pdf>

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Pennsylvania New Economy Technology Scholarship (NETS)** offered by: The Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency (PHEAA) in conjunction with the Pennsylvania Department of Education (PDE). (Technology scholarships provide up to \$1,000 per year based on total educational costs.) Technology scholarships are offered to prepare students to succeed in the new, technology-based economy of the 21st century, and to stem the migration of Pennsylvania's young people to other states. Student must be a high school senior; resident of the Commonwealth of PA; be enrolled in an approved science or technology program at an approved Pennsylvania community college, two or four year college or a licensed technical institute; begin employment in the state within one year after completion of studies, one year for each year the scholarship was awarded and apply for a Federal Pell Grant and Pennsylvania State Grant.

[http://www.pheaa.org/specialprograms/pdf/nets/nets\\_mpn.pdf](http://www.pheaa.org/specialprograms/pdf/nets/nets_mpn.pdf)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Pennsylvania School Public Relations Scholarship** – The Pennsylvania School Public Relations Association wants to encourage and promote the field of public relations to high school students through an educational scholarship for those interested in studying the field or related subjects. In an effort to share this scholarship, PenSPRA will present three scholarship awards to worthy recipients from the East Region, Central Region and West Region of the Commonwealth.

More information and the application are available at <http://www.penspra.org>.

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Pennsylvania State Employees Credit Union (PSECU) Scholarship** – (Six scholarships will be awarded.) Student must be a high school senior planning to enter a two or four- year college or university; be a member of PSECU by the date specified on the application; compile a list of school, work, civic and other activities including awards, honors and part-time employment (note the number of hours of involvement); and compose a typed, double-spaced essay.

<http://www.psecu.com/iTools/Students/College/Scholarships>

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Pennsylvania State Foster Parent Association (PSFPA) Scholarship** – This scholarship is offered annually to convey that the association believes in students. Student must be a high school senior planning to pursue post-secondary education; be a foster child, adoptive child or biological child of PSFPA and complete application and essay.

<http://www.psfpa.com/ScholarshipApp.pdf>

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Pennsylvania State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution Scholarship** – The amount of the scholarship will be determined by the organization.) The Pennsylvania State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution offers this scholarship on the basis of academics, recommendations and financial need. No affiliation or relationship with the DAR is necessary to qualify for the scholarship. Student must be a high school senior enrolled in an accredited, registered, approved or licensed school; resident of Pennsylvania; planning to attend an accredited college or university which

confers associate or bachelor degrees; and agrees to acknowledge the scholarship in a letter to the State Chairman.

[http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout\\_scholar.cfm](http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**PHEAA Academic Excellence Scholarship Award Program** – This scholarship is available to seniors who have applied for the Robert C. Byrd Scholarship Program, but did not receive the scholarship. This scholarship program is open to seniors who are ranked in the top 5% of their class or hold a ranking of 1, 2, or 3 in a class of 60 students or less. Applicants must have GPA of 3.50 or above on an unweighted 4.00 scale, and a SAT score = 1150 combined critical reasoning and math **only** or an ACT score of 25 or above. The student must be a Pennsylvania resident, be enrolled full-time at a PHEAA approved Pennsylvania postsecondary school following graduation, and be a Pennsylvania State grant recipient for at least one term during his/her freshman year.

[http://www.keystone.edu/tuition\\_aid/types\\_ofaid/state\\_programs.dot](http://www.keystone.edu/tuition_aid/types_ofaid/state_programs.dot)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Phi Delta Kappa International and Phi Delta Kappa Educational Foundation Scholarship** –

(A minimum of 30 scholarships will be awarded- twenty seven grants. Two of the 30 grants will be awarded to dependents of Kappans.) Phi Delta Kappa International has established this scholarship to support future educational careers. The criteria used in the selection process are academic standing, school and community activities and the student's essay and letters of recommendation. Student must be a high school senior; and complete application and essay.

Students must be education majors. [http://www.pdkintl.org/awards/pros\\_ed.htm](http://www.pdkintl.org/awards/pros_ed.htm)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Post Secondary Education Gratuity Program** – Full tuition, room and board, and fees paid to a student attending a public college in Pennsylvania who's parent was a Pennsylvania police officer, firefighter, rescue and ambulance squad member, correction employee, or National Guard member and was killed in the line of duty. Information available at

[http://www.pheaa.org/specialprograms/Postsecondary\\_Educational\\_Gratuity.shtml](http://www.pheaa.org/specialprograms/Postsecondary_Educational_Gratuity.shtml).

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Prudential Spirit of Community Awards** program recognizes middle and high school students solely on the basis of volunteer work in their communities. Each participating school may select at least one Local Honoree. One high school and one middle school student in each state will an scholarship award, a medallion, and an all-expenses-paid trip to Washington D.C. with a parent or guardian. If you are interested, more information is available in the Guidance Office.

[www.prudential.com/spirit](http://www.prudential.com/spirit) [www.principals.org/prudential](http://www.principals.org/prudential)

***Deadline: refer to website application for dates***

**Western Pennsylvania Golf Association Scholarship Fund** provides tuition scholarships to students employed at WPGA Member Clubs for at least two golf seasons. In addition to employment for two seasons, applicants must possess strong academic records, solid test scores, financial need and extra curricular participation.

[http://www.wpga.org/news/news\\_2008/1027\\_scholarship\\_apps.htm](http://www.wpga.org/news/news_2008/1027_scholarship_apps.htm)

***Deadline: refer to website application for dates***

## NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

**29th Annual High School Writing Contest** – 1st place- amount to be determined, 2nd place- amount to be determined 3rd place-amount to be determined All finalists receive a Certificate of Honorable Mention. All winners will be considered for publication in *Venture*, Rider's literary magazine Categories  
Essay- Write a personal essay, labeled ESSAY, on a topic of your choice of no more than five double spaced, typed pages. Fiction- Write a short story, labeled FICTION, of no more than five double-spaced, typed pages. Poetry- Write a poem of no more than 50 lines Rules-Type on the Entry- Your Name and address, grade, teacher's name, school name and address include a letter from a teacher stating the work is original and by you. Entries **must be typed**. Handwritten entries will **not be read**. Stories and essay **must be double-spaced**. Single spaced prose will **not be read**. Please give your story, essay, or poem a title. Only one entry per category will be considered. Choose your best writing and send only one.  
[http://www.morris catholic.org/resources/writing\\_contest.pdf](http://www.morris catholic.org/resources/writing_contest.pdf)

**Mail your entry to:** Dr. Robbie Clipper Seth, English Department, Rider University, Lawrenceville Road, Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**Air Force Grant Opportunity** – This grant provides funds to selected sons and daughters of Air Force retirees, deceased retirees, and the surviving spouses of Air Force retirees. Applicants must be enrolled or accepted in an accredited college, university or vocational/trade school approved by the U.S. Department of Education for participation in federal aid programs. They must maintain at least a cumulative 2.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

[www.afas.org/education/body\\_grant.cfm](http://www.afas.org/education/body_grant.cfm)

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**America's Homecoming Queen** – This contest is available to a reigning high school Homecoming Queen. You must submit an application along with a picture of yourself. All state winners who compete in National Selection will receive a scholarship to the school of their choice. Amount varies. <http://www.americashomecomingqueen.com/pdf/AHQBrochure2009.pdf>

**Deadline:** refer to website for deadline

**Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship** – This scholarship is designed to attract outstanding students to careers in mathematics, the natural sciences, and engineering. Scholarships are awarded on the basis of merit to students who are college sophomores or juniors during the current academic year, who have excellent academic records, and who have demonstrated interest in and potential for careers in these fields. For more information regarding the program and application materials, visit [www.act.org/goldwater](http://www.act.org/goldwater) or email [goldwater@act.org](mailto:goldwater@act.org)

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**Burger King Scholars Program** – scholarships available to all eligible high school seniors

Applicants must be high school seniors who:

- Maintain a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher.
- Work part-time an average of 15 hours per week or 40 weeks per year.
- Actively involved in community service activities.
- Demonstrate financial need.
- Plan to enroll in an accredited two or four-year college, university, or Vocational/technical School by fall of the application year.

Log on to [www.bk.com/scholars](http://www.bk.com/scholars) Access Key: BKS

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**Coca-Cola** – (National Scholars for four years) (Regional Scholars for four years). This scholarship is available to seniors who have a GPA of 3.0 or better and part-time employment. The applicants should show leadership qualities and participate in community service.  
<https://www.coca-colascholars.org/cokeWeb/index.jsp>

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**College-sponsored Merit Scholarship awards** - Officials of each sponsor college select winners of their awards from Finalists who have been accepted for admission and have informed NMSC by the published deadlines that the sponsor college or university is their first choice. These awards are renewable for up to four years of undergraduate study.

<http://www.nationalmerit.org/nasp.php>

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**Colonel's Kids Scholars Program** – (funded by KFC) This national competition is open to high school seniors committed to attending a public college or university in their state of residence. The program emphasizes community involvement, leadership, and entrepreneurial spirit. The scholarship covers tuition, fees, books, and room and board up to a determined amount per academic year, renewable for four years. Scholars must work towards a four-year degree and complete an internship during their tenure as a Colonel's Kids Scholar. Each scholar must work a minimum of 10 hours per week, beginning in their sophomore year, and maintain a satisfactory academic record. Applications are available online at <http://www.kfcscholars.org/>

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**Corporate-sponsored Merit Scholarship awards** – Corporate sponsors designate their awards for children of their employees or members, for residents of a community where a company has operations, or for Finalists with career plans the sponsor wishes to encourage. These scholarships may either be renewable for four years of undergraduate study or one-time awards.

**Dell Scholars Program** – This scholarship offers an opportunity for under-served and lower income students to go to college. The scholarships are offered to high school seniors for full-time study towards a bachelor's degree at an accredited university of their choice. The Dell Scholars Program emphasizes a student's determination to succeed over academic records or test scores. To encourage thorough preparation, the program requires that student's participate in an approved college readiness program, have a high school GPA of 2.4 or higher, be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident, and have a demonstrable financial need. More information is available online at <http://www.dellscholars.org/>

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**Devon Scholars Scholarship** is offered to three high school seniors interested in pursuing a career in the healthcare industry. The scholarship is open only to legal residents of the United States (including the District of Columbia) who are graduating high school seniors at the time of entry. Scholarship applicants must be interested in pursuing health-related studies. Employees, officers and directors of DHS, their respective related companies and agents, as well as the immediate family (defined as parents, spouse, children, siblings and grandparents) and household members of each such employee, officer and director are not eligible to enter. Copies of the application may be downloaded at <http://www.devonhealth.com>

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**Discover Card tribute Award** – This award is available to juniors who have a GPA of 2.75 or better and are planning on continuing their education. Various monetary awards are available.  
<https://www.applyists.net/Login.asp>

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**Discover Colleges** –provides a FREE private college information service as well as a private college scholarship drawing. Your student/child can simply log onto <http://www.discovercolleges.com> to request information and automatically be entered in a scholarship drawing.

**Deadline:** *refer to website application for date*

**Elks National Federation 2006 Most Valuable Student Scholarship Competition** – The Elks National Foundation will award 500 four-year scholarships to the highest-rated applicants in the current competition. Applicants will be judged on scholarship, leadership, and financial need. More information and the application are available at <http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/mvs.cfm>.

**Deadline:** *refer to website application for date*

**Elks National Most Valuable Student** – This scholarship is offered by the National Foundation of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. This scholarship/leadership financial aid program is sponsored by the National Foundation and coordinated through the Pennsylvania Elks State Association. The state organization will forward no more than six applications to the national level. Student must be a high school senior; demonstrate involvement in extra-curricular activities; demonstrate financial need; complete application and essay; attach a 200 word or less statement from parent/guardian summarizing the family's financial obligations and resources and include two letters of recommendation (one from a teacher and one from a community member). <http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/downloadMVS.cfm>

**Deadline:** *refer to website application for date*

**George Washington Crossing Foundation** – Through nationwide distribution of more than \$800,000 in scholarship awards to high school seniors who are planning careers in public service, the members, volunteers, and Trustees of the Washington Crossing Foundation demonstrate their steadfast commitment to honoring America's history by perpetuating its ideals in those who rise to lead. More information available at [www.gwcf.org](http://www.gwcf.org)

**Deadline:** *refer to website application for date*

**Hispanic Scholarship Fund** – The Hispanic Scholarship Fund (HSF) is the nation's leading organization supporting Hispanic college students. During its 29-year history it has awarded more than 68,000 scholarships, more than \$114 million to students from all 50 states, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. For more information on scholarship opportunities for Hispanic Americans, including eligibility requirements go to [www.hsf.net](http://www.hsf.net) or call 1-800-HSF-INFO.

**Deadline:** *refer to website application for date*

**Holocaust Remembrance Project Scholarship** – The Holocaust Remembrance Project is a national essay contest for high school students which is designed to encourage and promote the study of the Holocaust. Participation in this project encourages students to think responsibly, be aware of world conditions that undermine human dignity, and make decisions that promote the respect and value inherent in every person. The project serves as a living memorial to the millions of innocent victims of the Holocaust. This contest is open to all students age 19 and under who meet the following criteria: (1) are currently enrolled as a high school student in grades 9-12 (including home schooled students) or who are high school seniors who may graduate high school at any time in the current school year, or are students who are enrolled in a high school equivalency program; AND (2) are residents of either the United States or Mexico or who are United States Citizens living abroad. First Place winners participate in an all-expense-paid trip to Washington, D.C. to visit the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum and other historic sites. Essay themes are available online at <http://holocaust.hklaw.com>

**Deadline:** *refer to website application for date*

**Imagine America Scholarship Program** – Helps fund students’ education at hundreds of career colleges nationwide. For more information go to <http://www.imagine-america.org/scholarship/01-application-process.asp>.

**Deadline:** *refer to website application for date*

**Keppra Family Epilepsy Family Scholarship** – The purpose of this scholarship program is to demonstrate the continued commitment of UCB, Inc. to people with epilepsy, their families, and caregivers. The award is a one-time scholarship in an amount to be determined. Twenty scholarships will be awarded to people with epilepsy, and 10 scholarships will be awarded to family members or caregivers of people with epilepsy, for use toward tuition at a United States-based center for higher learning. Information and the application are available online at <http://www.ucbepilepsyscholarship.com/>.

**Deadline:** *refer to website application for date*

**Masonic Scholarship Resource Guide** – This resource guide provides a list of Masonic scholarships that are available to high school seniors. Applicants must have a parent or grandparent that is a member of the Masons to apply. Scholarship deadlines vary throughout the school year. Please refer to following website to access the Masonic Scholarship Resource Guide <http://www.pagrandlodge.org>

**Deadline:** *refer to website application for date*

**Mental Floss Magazine Tuition Giveaway-** A few well-chosen words can win you a determined amount towards your tuition at the college of your choice. By simply coming up with the best answer to the question “Why are you the most deserving person on the planet to win a scholarship?” VISIT [www.tuitiongiveaway.com](http://www.tuitiongiveaway.com) for more details

**Deadline:** *refer to website application for date*

**National Achievement Scholarship Program** – This program is a privately financed academic competition. Its purpose is to honor scholastically promising Black American high school students and increase their educational opportunities, and to provide National Achievement Scholarships for college undergraduate study to a substantial number of the most outstanding participants in each annual competition. <http://www.nationalmerit.org/nasp.php>

**Deadline:** *refer to website application for date*

**National Association of Secondary School Principals** – The Principals Leadership award is available to a student nominated by his/her high school principal for a national scholarship. One senior per school may be nominated based on leadership skills, participation in service organizations and clubs, achievements in the arts and sciences, employment experience and academic record. Please see [www.principals.org/PLA](http://www.principals.org/PLA) for nomination details.

**Deadline:** *refer to website for date.*

**National Merit Scholarship** – To participate in the National Merit ® Scholarship Program, a student must: take the PSAT/NMSQT® in the specified year of the high school program and **no later than** the third year in grades 9 through 12, *regardless of grade classification or educational pattern*; be enrolled full time as a high school student, progressing normally toward graduation or completion of high school, and planning to enroll full time in college no later than the fall following completion of high school; and be a citizen of the United States; or be a U.S. lawful permanent resident (or have applied for permanent residence, the application for which has not been denied) and intend to become a U.S. citizen at the earliest opportunity allowed by law. The National Merit Scholarship is awarded in three forms. **National Merit® Scholarships** Every Finalist competes for these single payment scholarships, which are awarded on a state representational basis. Winners are selected without consideration of family financial

circumstances, college choice, or major and career plans.

**National Society Daughters of the American Revolution** - DAR scholarships are available to any male or female student planning to go on to some form of higher education. All graduating seniors may apply.

- Daughters of the American Revolution National Scholarships
- The Indian Scholarship
- The Good Citizen Committee Scholarship

[http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout\\_scholar.cfm](http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm)

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**Outstanding Students of America** – is a national organization dedicated to providing high school seniors with scholarships. The scholarships are an amount to be determined each and are payable to the college of the student's choice. Outstanding Students of America is seeking a well-rounded, intelligent student as a recipient. The focus of the scholarship committee will be the students who are participative in community/school involvement and maintain a GPA of 3.0 or above. You can get more information and apply online at [www.outstandingstudentsofamerica.com](http://www.outstandingstudentsofamerica.com).

**Deadline:** Please refer to website application for dates

**Prudential Spirit of Community Award** – (Awards vary) State and national honors are given to award recipients. Young people in grades 5-12 who live in the 50 United States or Washington, D.C., who have conducted a volunteer service activity within the past year are eligible to apply for The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards. Also eligible are American students in these grades who live elsewhere, as long as their parents or guardians are legal voting residents of one of the 50 states or the District of Columbia. (Employees of Prudential, NASSP, or any of its affiliates, and any firm involved in the program, their children, and previous National Honorees are NOT eligible. Previous State Honorees are eligible only if their submitted activities are significantly different from previously honored activities.) Eligible students may complete a Prudential Spirit of Community Awards program application and submit it to their middle or high school principals; or to the head of one of these officially designated local organizations: a Girl Scout council, county 4-H organization, American Red Cross chapter, YMCA, or member Volunteer Center of the Points of Light Foundation & Volunteer Center National Network. Students cannot apply directly to The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards. They must apply through one of the approved channels for local judging. <http://www.prudential.com/view/page/public/14544>

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship** – The Robert C. Byrd Scholarship Program is a federally funded program offering a merit scholarship for outstanding high school seniors who have been accepted at an institution of higher education. The Byrd Scholarship Program rewards academic excellence in high school and encourages students to continue their education. The federal government allocates the funds that determine the amount of the scholarship award. More information and the application are available at [http://www.pheaa.org/specialprograms/Robert\\_C\\_Byrd\\_Honors\\_Scholarship\\_Program.s.html](http://www.pheaa.org/specialprograms/Robert_C_Byrd_Honors_Scholarship_Program.s.html)

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**Ron Brown Scholar Program** – awards scholarships to academically talented, highly motivated African American students who are currently seniors in high school and plan to pursue undergraduate degrees full-time. Applications can be found online at [www.ronbrown.org](http://www.ronbrown.org). There are 2 application deadlines. Students who apply by November 1, are considered for the Ron Brown Scholar Program AND will have their application information forwarded to a select and limited number of additional scholarship providers.

**Deadline:** refer to website application for date

**SAE Engineering Scholarship** – To qualify, the applicant must enroll in an engineering program accredited by the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) at a university of the applicant's choice. Undesignated scholarships are paid directly to the college or university. All scholarships are contingent upon the applicant's enrollment in engineering and acceptance from their chosen college or university. Judging will be based on the criteria established by the sponsor and as outlined in the individual scholarship descriptions. Applicants must intend to enroll in an engineering program accredited by ABET; be a citizen of the United States (not permanent resident) at the date of application; be a high school senior at the date of application; meet minimum requirements with regard to grade point average; SAT I and/or ACT scores as outlined in the individual requirements of each scholarship.

<http://students.sae.org/awdscholar/scholarships/engscholar/>

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**The AXA Achievement Scholarship** – Awarding AXA Achievers  
Forty-two State Winners and ten National Winners

To qualify, you must demonstrate:

- Ambition and drive.
- Determination to set and reach goals.
- Respect for self, family and community.
- Ability to succeed in college.

To learn more about AXA Achievement Scholarships and to download an application, go to [www.axa-achievement.com](http://www.axa-achievement.com)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**The Council for America's First Freedom** – The First Freedom Student Competition is a national essay competition for students in grades 9-12. Contestants compete for different awards as they examine the First Amendment and the history and relevance of religious freedom in America and the world today. For more details go to [www.firstfreedom.org](http://www.firstfreedom.org)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**The Gates Foundation** – Gates Millennium Scholars Program, provides scholarships to one thousand minority students who have attained a minimum GPA of a 3.3 and meet a variety of other criteria. To apply for this program, interested students must fill out three required forms: a Nominee Personal Information Form, a Nominator Form, and a Recommender Form. Nomination forms are available at [www.gmsp.org](http://www.gmsp.org)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**The Miss Cheerleader of America Scholarship** – The selection program is offered to female high school cheerleaders in 9th to 12th grades. (Normally there are one to three cash scholarship prizes awarded (varies by size of pageant). Each First Place Scholarship Award was a determined amount in previous years. In some cases (depending on the size of the pageant) Second and Third Place Scholarships are offered. Of course, not every girl wins a scholarship, but the experience is wonderful and rewarding! This scholarship promotes education through the distribution of cash scholarships. The selection process was established to give high school cheerleaders the recognition, respect, and tuition assistance they deserve. The scholarships **ARE NOT** awarded on a need basis; financial information is not requested. The organization is registered with the State Department of Consumer & Industry Services and trademarked according to applicable laws. [http://misscheerleaderofamerica.com/\\_wsn/page3.html](http://misscheerleaderofamerica.com/_wsn/page3.html)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**The National Alliance for Scholastic Achievement**, a national scholarship program, was organized as a

for-profit partnership for the purpose of assisting graduating seniors advance their education. We are seeking individuals who have demonstrated outstanding academic achievement during their high school education; and who hold the values of integrity, truthfulness, and determination to succeed in attaining a higher education. To be eligible to compete for a National Alliance for Scholastic Achievement scholarship a student must:

- Graduate during the current school year.
- Be accepted or anticipate being accepted to a four-year academic college or university.
- Be a United States citizen or permanent resident.
- Have a GPA of at least 2.75 at the time the application is submitted.
- Complete either the S.A.T. or A.C.T. test.
- Provide a letter of recommendation from a teacher or school official.
- Complete the application and essay question.
- Return the completed application documents by the deadline.

The National Alliance for Scholastic Achievement will be awarding the following scholarships (All awards are paid solely through application fees):

- **(One Award) Typically a Grade Point Average of 3.9 - 4.0** - Each year a determined amount is paid directly to institution of choice. The scholarship is renewable yearly for four years.
- **(One Award) Typically a Grade Point Average of 3.7 - 4.0** - Each year a determined amount is paid directly to institution of choice.
- **(Two Awards) Typically a Grade Point Average of 3.5 - 3.9** - Each year a determined amount is paid directly to institution of choice. The scholarship is renewable yearly for four years.
- **(Two Awards) Typically a Grade Point Average of 2.8 - 3.7** - Each year a determined amount is paid directly to institution of choice. The scholarship is renewable yearly for four years.
- **(Two Awards) Typically a Grade Point Average of 2.75 - 3.5** - A determined amount is paid directly to institution of choice upon award notification and acceptance. The scholarship is renewable yearly for four years.

Applications are available online at: <http://www.edfed.com/planning-college/scholarship-indetail.php?id=28412>

**Deadline: refer to website application for date**

**The National Co-op Scholarship Program** – To qualify for scholarships, students must have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale, complete all required admission applications material and be accepted for the following academic year at one of the National Commission Partner Institutions listed on the website. An application is also available online. [www.co-op.edu](http://www.co-op.edu)

**Deadline: refer to website application for date**

**The Society for Range Management (SRM) Masonic-Range Science Scholarship** – offers financial assistance and recognition to a high school senior, college freshman or college sophomore planning to major in/presently majoring in range science and/or closely related field. The recipient of the scholarship must be planning to attend or be currently in attendance at a college or university with a range science program. Applicants must be sponsored by a member of the Society for Range Management (SRM), the National Association of Conservation Districts (NACD), or the Soil and Water Conservation Society (SWCS). The SRM Student Affairs Committee will select the recipient(s) and announce their selection at the SRM Annual Meeting held in February each year. Applications are available online at <http://www.rangelands.org/>

**Deadline: refer to website application for date**

**SunTrust Scholarship Sweepstakes** – High school seniors can win a determined amount scholarship for their first year expenses at an accredited college or private career school. Each winner's school of attendance will also receive money for their General Scholarship Fund. For complete details visit [suntrustededucation.com](http://suntrustededucation.com)

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Toyota Community Scholarships** – Participating high schools may nominate one student who exemplifies outstanding academic excellence, leadership and most importantly - commitment to community service. Past Toyota Community Scholars have done everything from spearheading charity drives and organizing cultural and educational summits, to establishing their own community service organizations. The program includes an all-expenses paid recognition trip. Educational Testing Service administers the program. The school's nominee should have a consistent record of academic excellence, be active in school programs, and be recognized as a leader by his/her peers and instructors. In addition, the nominee must have initiated or be actively involved in a service program that addresses a school or community need. Only one nominee will be accepted from a school. The Scholarship and Recognition Programs unit at Educational Testing Service (ETS) in Princeton, New Jersey handles all phases of selection.

***Please visit the counseling office for more information, and scholarship deadline.***

**Wal-Mart Scholarships** – The following scholarships are sponsored by Wal-Mart Stores Inc.

- **Higher REACH Scholarship** - Up to a determined amount per year. Students out of high school 1 year OR have GED equivalency (see application for details). Employed by Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. at least 1 continuous year as of January 20. Meet/Exceed Expectations on most recent Associate Evaluation. Can prove financial need by required documentation.
- **Associate Scholarship** – a determined amount please check website. Employed by Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. at least 1 continuous year. Senior, graduating High School in spring OR has a GED equivalency (see application for details). Minimum 18 ACT or 800 SAT score can prove financial need by required documentation.
- **Walton Family Foundation Scholarship** – a determined amount please check website. Son/Daughter of a full time Wal-Mart Associate. Senior, graduating High School in spring OR has a GED equivalency (see application for details). Minimum 22 ACT or 1030 SAT score. Can prove financial need by required documentation.

<http://walmartstores.com/CommunityGiving/235.aspx>

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Wendy's High School Heisman** – This scholarship recognizes the nation's most accomplished high school seniors for excellence in academics, community service, and athletics. Wendy's late founder, Dave Thomas, created this scholarship in partnership with the Heisman Memorial Trophy Committee, which annually honors one outstanding college football player. Principals, guidance counselors, and coaches at all U.S. high schools are asked to nominate one male and one female student who are active in any of the 32 sports sanctioned by the National Federation of State High Schools. Nominees are judged on their academic achievements, community service involvement, and athletic accomplishments. State and national finalists are selected each fall. Men and women entering their senior year of high school who have at least a "B" grade average and participate in at least one of the 32 sports officially sanctioned by the National Federation of State High Schools. Students are judged based on their academic achievements, community service involvement, and athletic accomplishments. More information is available online at <http://www.wendysheisman.com/>

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Youth for Understanding Scholarships for American Students to travel overseas for summer semester and year programs** – Visit [www.yfu-usa.org](http://www.yfu-usa.org) for applications and guidelines for scholarships.

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

## COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

For applications or scholarship information, please visit the following college/university websites:

**D'Youville College** – Scholarships are available for undergraduate applicants of D'Youville College. Awards vary depending on grade point average and SAT/ACT scores. Please see [www.dyc.edu](http://www.dyc.edu) for details.

**Deadline: refer to website application for dates**

### Erie Business Center

- **Charles P. McGeary Scholarships** – Charles P. McGeary Scholarships are awarded to eligible applicants pursuing associate degrees at Erie Business Center. Awards are based on applicants meeting EBC's standard entrance requirements. Additionally, each applicant must submit an essay of 300 to 500 words on one of the following topics: (1) What motivates me Explain and give examples. (2) Are you a leader and/or a follower? Explain and give examples. Applications are reviewed by members of the EBC administrative team, and scholarships are awarded.

**Deadline: refer to website application for date**

- **Erie Business Center Scholarship – ½ Tuition** – EBC awards two scholarships each year to high school seniors based on academic ability, involvement in extracurricular activities and financial need. These scholarships are awarded in amounts up to \$10,000, depending on whether a student is pursuing an associate in specialized business (ASB) degree or shorter-term diploma program.
- **Goodwine Scholarship** – The Goodwine Scholarship is a local fund administered by the Erie Community Foundation. Through this fund, EBC is able to award up to five scholarships every year in amounts up to \$5,000 each, depending on whether the student is pursuing an ASB degree or shorter-term diploma program. Selection is based on academic ability and financial need. To be considered, you must:
  - Meet EBC's standard entrance requirements for the requested program of study
  - Submit transcripts and an essay on "Why Education Is Important."
  - Participate in a personal interview with a member of the fund's selection committee
- **Imagine Military America Award Program** – This program, established by the Career College Foundation, makes scholarship funds available to military personnel pursuing postsecondary career education. Through the Imagine Military program, EBC is able to award up to five scholarships every year in amounts up to \$5,000 each, depending on whether the student is pursuing an ASB degree or shorter-term diploma program. To be considered, you must:
  - Meet EBC's standard entrance requirements for the requested program of study.
  - Be an active duty member of the military in good standing or an honorably discharged veteran.

Use the following link to access the above scholarships <http://www.eriebc.edu/scholarships.html>

**Deadline: refer to website application for date**

**Milwaukee School of Engineering-** International scholarships are available for full-time international, engineering students and are based on the applicants grade point average. To apply for the academic scholarship, please go to [www.msoe.edu/fulltime\\_students/index.shtml](http://www.msoe.edu/fulltime_students/index.shtml)

**Deadline: refer to website application for date**

**Saint Vincent College-** The Wimmer Scholarship is available to applicants with at least a 3.25 GPA that embody the well-rounded approach to life that Saint Vincent College seeks to further develop in its students. The competition is comprised of an exam including matters in English, mathematics and general knowledge.

**Please see the guidance office for an application.**

**Slippery Rock University Scholarships for Freshmen** – Slippery Rock University has many different scholarships for incoming Freshmen. A complete list can be found at <http://www.sru.edu/pages/4986.asp>.

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Slippery Rock University T-Pride Scholarship** – A full funding scholarship for qualified minority and other disadvantaged candidates who are interested in the field of education. For more information, go to <http://academics.sru.edu/Education/TQEInitiative/t-prideScholarship.htm>.

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**The Conclave-Six Radio/TV- Music Industry** – Scholarships are now available Valuable Conclave Scholarships are now available to attend Broadcast Center/St. Louis-MO, Brown College/Minneapolis, MN, McNally Smith College of Music/St. Paul, MN, or Specs Howard School of Communication Art, Southfield, MI. The current school year scholarship competition ends (**refer to website for deadline**) for Broadcast Center, Brown College and Specs Howard Scholarships for the McNally Scholarship. For more information and to obtain application forms visit [www.radioscholarships.com](http://www.radioscholarships.com) or [www.theconclave.com](http://www.theconclave.com)

***Deadline: refer to website application for dates***

**The Culinary Institute of America** – Several scholarships are available to graduating seniors. The CIA wants you to come up with an exciting, original recipe for your leftover Thanksgiving turkey. Please go to [www.ciachef.edu/topturkey](http://www.ciachef.edu/topturkey) for contest rules and scholarship details. The CIA is offering a scholarship for members of a National Student Organization. Please go to [www.ciachef.edu](http://www.ciachef.edu) for more information.

***Deadline: refer to website application for dates***

**Thurgood Marshall Scholarship Fund** – A variety of scholarships are available to student attending the 47 member public Historically Black Colleges and Universities. More information and applications available at <http://www.thurgoodmarshallfund.org/>.

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**University of Dayton** – Scholarships are available for undergraduate applicants of the University of Dayton. Awards vary depending on grade point average and SAT/ACT scores. Please see [www.admission.udayton.edu](http://www.admission.udayton.edu) for details.

***Deadline: refer to website application for dates***

**Washington University in St. Louis-** Students who are interested in attending Washington University in St. Louis have the opportunity to be nominated for the Danforth Scholars Program. Candidates should exhibit a capacity for service and leadership, academic excellence, maturity, strong moral character, selflessness, and commitment to the community.

[http://waltonhigh.typepad.com/guidance/2006/09/danforth\\_schola.html](http://waltonhigh.typepad.com/guidance/2006/09/danforth_schola.html)

***Deadline: Please refer to website application for date***

**Westminster College: the Jerb Miller Scholarship** is awarded to a student with a 3.5 or higher grade point average who has been nominated by a Westminster alumnus in the field of education. Applicants may choose any college major offered at Westminster. Applications and nominations can be submitted online, at [www.westminster.edu/jerb](http://www.westminster.edu/jerb) Westminster also has several merit-based scholarship opportunities.

***Deadline: Please refer to website application for dates***

**Youngstown State University Scholarships** – A variety of scholarships for students enrolling in the Fall of 2009. Descriptions and the applications are available at [www.ysu.edu/finaid](http://www.ysu.edu/finaid).

***Deadline: refer to website application for date***

**Please visit the websites of Colleges and Universities around the area. Further information is available in the Iroquois Guidance Office.**

**Allegheny College** [www.allegheny.edu](http://www.allegheny.edu)

**Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania** – [www.bloomu.edu](http://www.bloomu.edu)

**California University of Pennsylvania** – [www.cup.edu](http://www.cup.edu)

**Cheyney University of Pennsylvania** – [www.cheyney.edu](http://www.cheyney.edu)

**Clarion University** – [www.clarion.edu](http://www.clarion.edu)

**Cleveland State University** – [www.csuohio.edu](http://www.csuohio.edu)

**Drexel University** – [www.drexel.edu](http://www.drexel.edu)

**Duquesne University- Pittsburgh, PA** – [www.duq.edu](http://www.duq.edu)

**East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania** – [www.esu.edu](http://www.esu.edu)

**Edinboro University of Pennsylvania** – [www.edinboro.edu](http://www.edinboro.edu)

**Gannon University** – [www.gannon.edu](http://www.gannon.edu)

**Indiana University of Pennsylvania** – [www.indiana.edu](http://www.indiana.edu)

**Kutztown University of Pennsylvania** – [www.kutztown.edu](http://www.kutztown.edu)

**Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania** – [www.lhup.edu](http://www.lhup.edu)

**Mansfield University of Pennsylvania** – [www.mansfield.edu](http://www.mansfield.edu)

**Mercyhurst College** – [www.mercyhurst.edu](http://www.mercyhurst.edu)

**Millersville University of Pennsylvania** – [www.millersv.edu](http://www.millersv.edu)

**The Ohio State University** – [www.osu.edu](http://www.osu.edu)

**Ohio University** – [www.ohio.edu](http://www.ohio.edu)

**Penn State Erie- The Behrend College** – [www.erie.psu.edu](http://www.erie.psu.edu)

**Penn State University- Main Campus** – [www.psu.edu](http://www.psu.edu)

**Point Park University** – [www.pointpark.edu](http://www.pointpark.edu)

**Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania** – [www.ship.edu](http://www.ship.edu)

**Slippery Rock University** – [www.sru.edu](http://www.sru.edu)

**Temple University** – [www.temple.edu](http://www.temple.edu)

**University at Buffalo** – [www.buffalo.edu](http://www.buffalo.edu)

**University of Pennsylvania- Penn** – [www.upenn.edu](http://www.upenn.edu)

**University of Pittsburgh** – [www.pitt.edu](http://www.pitt.edu)

**West Chester University of Pennsylvania** – [www.wcupa.edu](http://www.wcupa.edu)

**Westminster College** – [www.wvu.edu](http://www.wvu.edu)

**West Virginia University** – [www.wvu.edu](http://www.wvu.edu)

**Youngstown State University** – [www.yzu.edu](http://www.yzu.edu)

**Please click on the following links to visit Business and Technical Schools around the area. Further information is available in the Iroquois Guidance Office.**

**Art Institute of Pittsburgh** – [www.artinstitutes.edu/pittsburgh](http://www.artinstitutes.edu/pittsburgh)

**Erie Business Center** – [www.eriebc.edu](http://www.eriebc.edu)

**Erie Institute of Technology** – [www.erieit.org](http://www.erieit.org)

**Great Lakes Institute of Technology** – [www.glit.org](http://www.glit.org)

**ITT Technical Institutes** – [www.Itt-tech.edu](http://www.Itt-tech.edu)

**Northwest Regional Technology Institute** – [www.nwrti.com](http://www.nwrti.com)

**Toni&Guy Hairdressing Academy** – <http://toniguyacademy.com>

**Triangle Tech** – [www.triangle-tech.edu](http://www.triangle-tech.edu)

**Tri-State Business Institute** – [www.tsbi.org](http://www.tsbi.org)

#### **UPROMISE – College Savings Plan**

Upromise is a nationwide program that allows families, to save for college by purchasing the products of participating manufacturers. Upon creating an account, individuals can register shopper's club cards from grocery and pharmacy chains, and also register their credit cards. When they shop and use these cards, a portion of the purchase price of various products is credited to their account. The network of participating companies now includes thousands of manufacturer and retailers, meaning Upromise account holders can accumulate college savings nearly anywhere they shop. This program has been endorsed by PHEAA. For additional information visit [www.upromise.com](http://www.upromise.com).

**Online Scholarship & Financial Aid Info and college search engine:**

<http://www.pheaa.org>

<http://www.petersons.com/scholarships>

<http://www.advocacv-net.com/scholarships.htm>

<http://www.supercollege.com>

<http://www.thecollegehound.com>

<http://www.educationplanner.org>

<http://www.campusdoor.com>

National Scholarship Website: <http://www.fastweb.com>

College Board Website: <http://www.collegeboard.com>

Federal Financial Aid: <http://www.fasfa.ed.gov>

Register and learn NCAA rules: <http://www.ncaaclearinghouse.net>

Princeton Review Online Applications: <http://www.apply.embark.com>

Career Planning/Information: <http://www.actstudent.org/wwm/index.html>

To apply online for the common application: <http://www.commonapp.org>

Paying for College: <http://www.salliemae.com>

Merit-based scholarships: <http://www.meritaid.com>

Mental Floss magazine essay competition: [www.tuitiongiveaway.com](http://www.tuitiongiveaway.com)

Find Money for college: [www.scholarships.com](http://www.scholarships.com)