



SCHOLARSHIP MATRIX

December 2021

NAME	AMOUNT	GRADE	REQUIREMENTS	DEADLINE
The Kosove Society Scholarship - USF	Full Ride Scholarship	12	<p>The Kosove Society, one of the most prestigious awards given to USF students, consists of a group of undergraduate and graduate students with a passion for leadership, community service, and academics. Scholars come from diverse backgrounds and pursue medical, engineering, education, social science, fine arts, and business degrees—to name just a few of the disciplines in which Kosove scholars engage. Every year, we accept applications from incoming freshmen (high school seniors), rising USF juniors, and graduate students.</p> <p>Applications for the 2022-2023 school year are now open and the undergraduate deadline is Friday, December 3, 2021. Undergraduate minimum requirements are 3.5 GPA, 1250 SAT or 28 ACT. Interviews will be held for selected applicants from February to March 2021.</p> <p>Applications and more information can be found by visiting our website www.usfkosovesociety.org.</p>	12/03/21
The Course of Action Scholarship (COA)	(5) \$1000	12	<p>The Course of Action (COA) Foundation began its scholarship program in 2014, by granting funds to highly selective, last-dollar scholarship for outstanding, minority, high school seniors from low-income households. Each year, the scholarship is awarded to five of these student leaders, with the intent of helping them realize their maximum potential.</p> <p>Scholarship Application Here... https://coafoundation.com/2021-coa-scholarship-grant-application/</p>	12/10/21
Burger King Scholars	\$1,000 to \$50,000	12	<p>For employees, employee's spouses or domestic partners, employees' children and high school seniors in the United States, Puerto Rico and Canada. Application opens Oct. 15th. For requirements, more information and how to apply, visit: www.bkmcclamorefoundation.org</p>	12/15/21
The Coolidge Scholarship of America	Varies	11/12	<p>2021 Coolidge Scholarship applicants must intend to enroll full-time at an accredited U.S. college or university as an undergraduate for the first time in fall 2021. That is to say, students in their junior year of high school, or the equivalent if home schooled, are eligible to apply. (Students who are currently high school juniors but take some courses at a local college are indeed eligible to apply for the Coolidge Scholarship.) For more information go to https://coolidgescholars.org/</p>	1/01/22
Foot Locker Scholar Athletes	\$20,000 (20)	12	<p>In order to be eligible for the Foot Locker Scholar Athletes program, the applicant must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Be a current high school senior entering a four-year, accredited US college or university in the Fall of 2022 - Be currently a member (in good standing) of a high school sports team or be involved in after-school sports (e.g. intramurals, martial arts, etc.) - Have maintained an unweighted GPA of 3.0 or higher from ninth 	1/03/22

			<p>grade to first semester of 12th grade</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Be a U.S. citizen or US Permanent Legal Resident - Foot Locker employees and their immediate family members are ineligible <p>Get more information here: https://footlockerscholarathletes.squarespace.com/faqs</p>	
Spectrum Bay News 9 Project Weather Scholarship Contest	(7) \$1,000	12	<p>Submit a completed Application Form along with a written essay of 500 words or less explaining why you believe you should receive the prize, a letter of recommendation from one of your high school teachers, and a copy of your transcript for proof of GPA. For more information and to apply, visit: http://www.baynews9.com/fl/tampa/community/project-weather</p>	1/07/22
U. S. Air Force ROTC Scholarship	Up to \$18,000	12	<p>To qualify:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Be a US citizen or have obtained U. S. citizenship by the last day of the first term of their freshman year. -Obtain a SAT composite score of 1240 or ACT composite of 26 -Possess an unweighted cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher (grades 9-11) -Pass a Department of Defense Medical Examination Review Board -Complete the Air Force Physical Fitness assessment which consists of 3 events: pushups, sit ups, and a 1.5 mile run. <p>For more information:: www.afrotc.com</p>	1/13/2022
Mensa Foundation Scholarship	Ranging from \$600 - \$7000		<p>The Mensa Foundation works to identify and foster human intelligence for the benefit of humanity and to encourage research into the nature, characteristics, and uses of intelligence.</p> <p>Among the Mensa Foundation's major programs is its scholarship program, which annually gives over 100 awards based on the merit of a short essay submission. Essays are submitted online, at https://www.mensafoundation.org/what-we-do/scholarships/ between September 15th, 2021 and January 15, 2022 Last year, the Foundation awarded 190 scholarships. This year, there are several new large endowments for some larger scholarships (four \$7,000 scholarships, one \$5,000 scholarship and a new \$600 scholarship).</p>	1/15/22
The Helping Project	Up to \$10,000	12	<p>A nonprofit out of Clearwater dedicated to improving lives through focused action. We just announced the inaugural year of our Black American Engineering Scholarship Award, which provides up to \$10,000 in flexible scholarship funds plus a robust professional mentorship program for any Black American with a financial need to pursue a four-year degree in engineering.</p> <p>For more information and to apply online, students can visit their website at https://thehelpingproject.org/scholarship/</p>	1/15/22
Nu Upsilon Zeta Thelma Louise Stokes Craig Scholarship	Varies up to \$2,500	12	<p>Applicant must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be a Black/African-American female high school senior Be enrolled in an accredited public, parochial, charter, or private high school in Hillsborough County, FL Plan to attend an accredited institution of higher learning at the beginning of the 2022-2023 academic year. Link for more information and/or Application: Thelma Louise Stokes Craig Scholarship Application 	1/29/22

Hillsborough Education Foundation Scholarships	Varies	6-12	Any student who attends a traditional public school in Hillsborough County and is currently in the 6th through 12th grade can apply for a scholarship. In order to apply for any of the Foundation scholarships, you only need to complete one online scholarship application. To start an application, go to http://www.educationfoundation.com/scholarships	1/31/22
Rose C. Diaz Memorial Scholarship	\$1,000	12	Hillsborough County Public Schools Hispanic Senior, demonstrate financial need, with minimum 2.75 GPA and must plan to attend Hi-Tech Centers: Brewster, Learey, Aparicio-Levy or Erwin Technical Center. Apply through the Hillsborough Education Foundation https://www.educationfoundation.com/scholarships	1/31/22
The LPGA Foundation	Varies	12	The LPGA Foundation is pleased to offer scholarships and grant funding for high school students and eligible LPGA-USGA Girls Golf programs to continue our mission of empowering and inspiring girls through the game of golf. For more information, please visit: : https://www.lpga.com/lpga-foundation/scholarships Please use this portal to apply for the Marilyn Smith, Dinah Shore and/or Phyllis G. Meekins scholarship.	1/31/22
The Tampa Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc.	Varies	12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be an African American female and currently a high school senior • Be enrolled in an accredited public, charter, parochial or private high school in Hillsborough County, Florida. • Have a 3.50 minimum grade point average (GPA) • Demonstrate accomplishments in any of the following areas: Special Talents, Leadership, Extra Curricular, Athletics, and Community Service. • Plan to attend an accredited institution of higher education in the U.S. For scholarship application and details, please visit: https://www.dstta.com	1/31/22
Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps Scholarship	Varies	12	For information/application: https://www.netc.navy.mil/Commands/Naval-Service-Training-Command/NROTC/Apply	1/31/22
BVA scholarship.	\$1000	12	The Beirut Veterans of America is pleased to provide an opportunity for any college or trade-school student. For more information/application: https://www.beirutveterans.org/scholarship	1/31/22
			Students whose parent, guardian, grand or great-grandparent meet one of the following criteria: 1. A Retired, Active Duty, National Guard, and Reserve Officer, or a Former Officer of the US Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, Coast Guard, Public Health Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, i.e. Officers (O-1 thru O-10), Warrant Officers (WO-1 thru WO-5) and Non-commissioned Officers (E-5 thru E-9). 2. An Officer who died while on active duty in the service of his/her country. 3. All recipients of the PURPLE HEART no matter their pay grade or length of service. 4. A WWII Combat Veteran of the Merchant Marine who is recognized by the Veterans Administration. 5. An Honorably Discharged or Retired Foreign Military Officer of	

Military Family Support Trust Application	\$2,000-\$12,000	12	<p>an Allied Nation meeting the service and disability retirement criteria of his/her respective country and living in the US.</p> <p>6. Cadets in FL MFST JROTC Honors Program participating in school's special program.</p> <p>Student must be a High School Senior, need recommendation of his/her principal, must have achieved a minimum score of 21 on the ACT or 1,000 on SAT, and have a GPA of 3.00 on a 4.00 grading scale. (Other test scoring not acceptable.)</p> <p>Application is available online at http://mfst.us/our-programs/scholarships/ or at the Military Family Support Trust (MFST) Corporate Office, 1010 American Eagle Blvd., #400, Sun City Center, FL 33573.</p>	2/1/22
Bailey Family Foundation	\$5,000 per year for 4 years, up to \$20,000 total	12	<p>For information:</p> <p>www.bailey-family.org.</p>	2/28/22
Sunshine Opportunity Scholarships	(10) \$20,000	12	<p>The Sunshine Opportunity Scholarships, offered annually, target high achieving high school seniors in the Tampa Bay area who plan to attend in-state public universities in Florida. Applications for the 2022 Sunshine Opportunity Scholarships, sponsored by the Godbold Foundation Inc., are available ONLINE at www.sunshineopportunitiescholarships.com to high school seniors in Hillsborough, Pinellas and Pasco counties.</p>	3/03/22
Department of Florida AMVETS Scholarships	\$4000	12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> JROTC scholarship: candidates must have at least 2-years of JROTC participation, maintain a minimum 3.0 or higher school GPA, participate in high school sponsored extra-curricular activities, participate in community service, and maintain a military appearance/demeanor while in the JROTC uniform. General scholarship: candidates will have completed, at a minimum, their first year of an accredited university, must be a member of the Department of Florida AMVETS, son/daughter and or grandchild of a member of Department of Florida AMVETS. <p>For more information/application:: See your school counselor for application</p>	4/30/2022
Florida Bright Futures	Varied Amounts	12	<p>For specific requirements and application visit: http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org</p>	6/30/22
University of South Florida Scholarships	Varied amounts	12	<p>Please visit www.usf.edu/ua/scholarships to view scholarships in detail and download the application. Any questions can be directed to UA_Scholarships@usf.edu</p>	Various
Hillsborough Community College	Varied Amounts	12	<p>See link below for specific scholarships https://www.hccfl.edu/financial-aid/scholarships-grants-workstudy/scholarships.aspx</p>	Varies
University of Tampa	Varied Amounts	12	<p>See link below for specific scholarships http://www.ut.edu/financialaid/scholarshipsandgrants/</p>	Varies
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Raise.me Micro-Scholarships	Amounts		Discover colleges and earn scholarships for your academic and extracurricular achievements throughout high school. For more details visit: https://www.raise.me/	
College Board Opportunity Scholarship	\$500-\$40,000	9-12	The class of 2020 and attending high school in the United States, Puerto Rico, and other U.S. territories, can complete the first step now. Build your college list for a chance to earn a \$500 scholarship, and you'll be eligible to win once you sign up for the program when it opens. Log in to your College Board account on BigFuture. Explore colleges and start adding the ones you're interested in to your list. You'll need to add six or more colleges to be eligible for the scholarship.	On going
Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)	Varied Amounts	12	Get help paying for college! Apply by clicking on the link below. See your CCC to assist you with this process. https://fafsa.ed.gov/	Applicati on opens October 1st

Other scholarship opportunities and resources:

- **Scholar Snapp** - A free, simple to use data standard that allows students to reuse their application information - including contact information, essays, transcripts, etc. - from one scholarship application to another thereby streamlining the college scholarship application process.
- **Scholly** – A mobile app that provides students with a fast and simple way to find scholarships for college. (Created by Christopher Gray, a Coca-Cola Scholar!)
- **Peerlift** - Proven scholarships, internships, summer programs, and more gathered by fellow students like you. (Founded by a team of 2017 Coca-Cola Scholars!) [Learn more about the creation of Peerlift.](#)
- **Fastweb** – Create a profile and let fastweb do the research on scholarships, internships colleges and more for you.
- **CashCourse** – Information that helps college students stay financially informed.
- **Common Knowledge Scholarship Foundation** – Educational and scholarship opportunities for students of all levels.
- **Cappex** – A free website where you can learn which colleges want you, before you apply and learn about more than \$11 billion in merit aid scholarships.
- **Scholarships.com**– A free college scholarship search and financial aid information.
- **Scholarship America** – Provides information and resources for your scholarship search.
- **KnowHow2GO** – Complete information on college prep, whether in middle school or seniors.
- **HS Finder (Hispanic Scholarship Fund)** – Scholarship information for Latino students.
- **Thurgood Marshall College Fund** – Provides scholarships, programmatic and capacity building support to the 47 public Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs).
- **Gates Millennium Scholars** – Provides outstanding low income African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian Pacific Islander American, and Hispanic American students with an opportunity to complete an undergraduate college education in any discipline they choose.
- **Asian & Pacific Islander American Scholarship Fund** – The nation's largest non-profit organization devoted to providing college scholarships for Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders (AAPI).
- **American Indian College Fund** – Provides Native American students with scholarships and financial support for the nation's 33 accredited tribal colleges and universities.
- **Dell Scholars Program** – Recognizes academic potential and determination in students that have a definite need for financial assistance.

- **UNCF** – Awards 10,000 students each year through 400 scholarship and internship programs so that students from low- and moderate-income families can afford college tuition, books and room and board.
- **Chegg** – A place to connect with scholarships and learn about colleges.
- **Reagan Foundation Scholarships** - Scholarship opportunities for outstanding student leaders.
- **Goizueta Legacy Scholarship** - Provides scholarships for the children of Coca-Cola employees.
- **American Indian Graduate Center & AIGCS** - The largest scholarship providers to Native students in the United States, awarding \$15 million in scholarships annually and more than \$200 million since inception. For almost 50 years, AIGC has funded students pursuing undergraduate, graduate, and professional degrees in any field of study at any accredited institution of choice, working with over 500 tribes in all 50 states.

***If you have a scholarship opportunity that you would like to add to our matrix, please contact Shanshera.quinn@hcps.net**