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## SCHOLARSHIP MATRIX October 2021

AMOUNT	GRADE	REQUIREMENTS	DEADLINE
Varies	12	Full time high school senior in the U.S; pursue a bachelor's degree at an accredited non-profit public or private institution in the U.S. no later than the fall following graduation; demonstrate critical financial need; minimum 2.0 GPA; be a U.S citizen. For more information and to apply visit: <a href="https://scholars.horatioalger.org/applicants/">https://scholars.horatioalger.org/applicants/</a>	10/25/21
\$10,000	11-12	Must be currently serving in an elected capacity in any of the following student government, civic, or educational organizations: A) student body or class president, vice-president, secretary, or treasurer, B) student council representative, C) student representative to a district, regional or state-level civic education organization; permanent residency in the U.S. & enrollment in a Florida public or private school; must participate in the Washington Week program. For more details and to apply visit: <a href="www.ussenateyouth.org">www.ussenateyouth.org</a> OR email <a href="mailto:apitts@flsouthern.edu">apitts@flsouthern.edu</a> .	10/26/21
\$1,000 - \$30,000	9-12	9-12 <sup>th</sup> grade permanent U.S. residents who are enrolled in a public, private or parochial high school or home study program; written and recorded essay (3-5 minutes). For more details and application visit: <a href="http://www.vfw.org/VOD/">http://www.vfw.org/VOD/</a>	10/31/21
\$20,000	12	Current high school (or home-schooled) student attending a school in the U.S. (or select DoD schools) who will graduate during the 2020-2021 academic school year U.S. Citizens, U.S. Nationals, U.S. Permanent Residents, Refugees, Asylees, Cuban-Haitian Entrants, or Humanitarian Parolees - based on the guidelines utilized by U.S. Department of Education for Federal Financial Aid eligibility. Will receive high school diploma during current academic year planning to pursue a degree at an accredited U.S. post-secondary institution. For more information and to apply, visit: https://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/apply/	10/31/21
Varies	12	The Presidential Special Scholarship program is a merit scholarship for high school graduates. These individuals are diverse and have special talents outside of the classroom setting. The scholarship will cover fees associated with tuition, but minus the postal fee and the orientation fee or charges associated with room and board. Students are eligible to receive an award for a maximum of eight (8) semesters. For other qualifications visit:	Varies
Ranging from \$1,000 per year to \$12,500 per year	12	Current high school seniors, or the equivalent, who are citizens of the United States are eligible to apply.  Applicants need not be related to a member of the Elks.  High school graduates are not eligible to apply.  Applicants must be citizens of the United States on the date their applications are signed; permanent legal resident status does not qualify.  For more information and application, go to <a href="https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholars/scholars/mvs.cfm">https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholars/scholars/mvs.cfm</a>	11/15/21
\$1,000 to \$50,000	12	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. 15 <sup>th.</sup> For requirements, more information and how to apply, visit: https://bk-scholars.com/	12/15/21
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Lillian Roselli Hoffman Scholarship	<b>#4.000</b>		Student must be a high school senior, United States citizen of Italian descent.	
	\$1,000	12	Student must plan on majoring in either Medicine or Law Enforcement and will attend any College or University as a full-time student during either the Summer 2021 or Fall 2021 semester. For application, please see your Counselor.	1/31/22
Da Bulls Fan Club/Southside Tailgate Scholarship	\$500 (2)	12	Student must be a high school senior, United States citizen of Italian descent. Student must plan on majoring in either Medicine or Law Enforcement and will attend any College or University as a full-time student during either the Summer 2022 or Fall 2022 semester. For application, please see your Counselor.	1/31/22
University of South Florida Scholarships	Varied amounts	12	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	Various
Hillsborough Community	Varied Amounts	12	See link below for specific scholarships <a href="https://www.hccfl.edu/paying-college/financial-aid-and-scholarships/scholarships-grants-and-work-study/scholarships">https://www.hccfl.edu/paying-college/financial-aid-and-scholarships/scholarships-grants-and-work-study/scholarships</a>	Varies
University of Tampa	Varied Amounts	12	See link below for specific scholarships <a href="http://www.ut.edu/financialaid/scholarshipsandgrants/">http://www.ut.edu/financialaid/scholarshipsandgrants/</a>	Varies
Raise.me Micro- Scholarships	Varied Amounts	9-12	Discover colleges and earn scholarships for your academic and extracurricular achievements throughout high school. For more details visit: <a href="https://www.raise.me/">https://www.raise.me/</a>	On going
College Board Opportunity Scholarship	\$500- \$40,000	9-12	The class of 2021 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/	Application opens October 1st
Florida Bright Futures	Varied Amounts	12	For specific requirements and application visit: http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org	8/31/22
2022 Annual SPAHA Scholarship	\$1000	12	This scholarship is open to any high school senior whose parents/guardians live within the Sunset Park boundaries and are members of SPAHA (Sunset Park HOA).  SPAHA boundaries: North – W. Neptune St., South- W. Leona St., East – Manhattan Ave., West – Tampa Bay. All Sunset Park is in zip code 33629, but not all 33629 is in Sunset Park.  Link: https://www.spaha.org/SPAHA-Scholarship	01/17/2022

## 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 pursing 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