

**Ruben S. Ayala High School**

**SCHOLARSHIP BOOK**

**2015 - 2016**

Dear Parents and Students:

Welcome to a new school year. The following is the 2015 - 2016 Ayala High School Scholarship Book. The scholarships are listed by **“approximate”** deadline dates. Scholarships come into the Career Center year-round. Scholarship updates will be posted on the website. It is important for students to apply for a scholarship a **minimum of at least one or two weeks before the deadline.**

This list is based on the scholarships encountered in past years - New scholarships will surely come around and some, which are listed, may no longer exist or may have undergone changes during the last few weeks or months.

**It is the student’s responsibility to request information and/or applications.**

Scholarships marked (LOCAL) will be awarded to students in the local area. These are ones the student has the best chance of receiving.

The following page includes tips for students to help them with their scholarship hunting.

Good luck,

AHS Counselors/Career Center

**Don’t Forget FAFSA (Free Application for Federal**

**Student Aid) Official Website: Fafsa.ed.gov**

**And Cal Grant Applications open Jan. 1 and close March 2nd !**

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**TIME-LINE FOR SENIORS**

**SEPTEMBER**

1. Plan to take the SAT or ACT if you are applying to a 4-year college.

Testing must be completed by the December test dates (Preferably before).

Cal State Universities and most private universities require either the SAT Reasoning Test or the ACT college test. The University of California requires the SAT Reasoning Test or ACT (plus writing) and 2 SAT subjects test from two different disciplines.

Register for ACT Tests at [www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org/)

Register for SAT Tests at [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com/)

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1. Acquire paper applications or find websites for admission to the colleges and/or universities of your choice.
2. Almost all colleges prefer students to apply online.

**OCTOBER**

Some private colleges require a CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE be completed on line starting October 1st. There is a nonrefundable $25 fee and $16 is charged per school. To see a list of the colleges requiring the PROFILE, and to complete it, go to <https://profileonline.collegeboard.com/index.jsp>

1. Take the SAT or ACT if needed.

2. Prepare college applications.

3. Write a good essay for your applications (if needed). Have it checked out for errors--get help from teachers and parents!

1. Get letters of recommendation ready to go with your applications (if necessary).

**REMEMBER**: Anyone writing a letter of recommendation needs time to write a good letter! Please give your teacher or counselor plenty of advanced notice when requesting a letter of recommendation. (The counseling office provides forms that you can fill out to give to teachers when asking for a letter).

**NOVEMBER**

1. Priority enrollment at the University of California and California State University schools is November 1st thru 30th --GET YOUR APPLICATION IN ON TIME! (Don’t wait till the last minute to send your on-line application. The large number of last minute applications could cause computer problems causing you to miss the deadline).
2. Take SAT again or take the SAT II Subject tests if you are applying to a UC school.

**JANUARY**

1. Have your parents get their taxes done as soon as possible. Then file your FAFSA online as soon as possible at [**http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/**](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/)

**MARCH**

1. FAFSA forms must be filed by March 2nd!!

**MARCH/APRIL**

* 1. The Career Center hosts early registration events with the community colleges to help students get enrolled in community college
  2. Go to the Career Center for more community college information.

**REMINDER**: *Listen to classroom announcements and check the Ayala website for updates.*

**TIPS FOR SCHOLARSHIP HUNTERS**

**How to Win a Scholarship**

Students that win the most scholarships are students who know how to research scholarship opportunities. They are prepared and organized in the application process and know how to write a unique and compelling personal statement/essay. Here are more tips:

1. Start early and check with your counselor or the Career Center often throughout the year.

2. Check for new & updated information online, or for updates in your English classes.

3. Take the SAT and or ACT tests early (many scholarships require SAT/ACT scores).

4. Listen to the classroom announcements, read the bulletin, and check the website.

5. Use the computer system in the Career Center/Library to gather scholarship information.

(Do this early in the year to meet deadlines).

6. Register with scholarship search engines – it only takes a few minutes and they do all the work for you FREE of charge (check privacy settings); check out the links at the end of this bulletin.

7. Check with clubs, unions, churches, etc. that you and family members belong to, for scholarship information.

8. Look in newspapers and magazines for scholarship announcements.

9. Write, call or visit the financial aid office of the colleges, universities or other schools to which you plan to apply.

10. Have parents check with their employers.

11. Find out if you are eligible for benefits from the military if you are the child or grandchild of a veteran.

12. BE WARY OF COMPANIES THAT WANT YOU TO PAY THEM FEES OR BUY EXPENSIVE BOOKS FOR SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION. YOU CAN PROBABLY GET THE SAME INFORMATION FROM AHS SOURCES OR THE INTERNET FOR FREE! Find out about Scholarship Scams at: <http://www.ftc.gov/bcp/conline/edcams/scholarship/>

13. Many private colleges require the CSS Financial Aid PROFILE Form be filed, on line, early in the year. Go to collegeboard.com for a list of these colleges and to file.

14. Be sure to file a FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA) between Jan 1 - March 2 for state and federal grants and scholarships. (You need to file these forms even if you do not think you will qualify for government aid, as all college financial aid offices use the student aid report to determine eligibility for other types of scholarships as well. The fact that you don’t qualify for government aid may mean that you do qualify for something else.) **Paper copies of the FAFSA are no longer sent to the schools. You will need to submit your FAFSA via the internet! Apply at:** [**www.fafsa.ed.gov**](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/)

15. Apply early to colleges (November 30 deadline for Cal. States and U.C.’s). For Private Universities, checks with each one individually; some have rolling or later admission dates.

16. If applying to Private Universities, check to see if there are any special financial aid forms required by them.

17. **Be Prepared** – strive for academic achievement – if your grades are not perfect then aim to show progress through an upward trend in your marks.

18. **Get Organized** – Once you have the scholarships for which you want to apply, keep track of the deadlines.

19. All schools offer their own scholarships. Check their website when you apply.

20.  **Remember, scholarships are not likely to just come to you -- you have to go out and get them -** ***SO GO FOR IT!***

***Suggested Scholarship Sites:***

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

More sites are listed at the end of this bulletin.

**SCHOLARSHIPS 2015 - 2016**

Some scholarships may not have applications online. Check with the Career Center to see if there are paper applications for the following scholarships. \*\*If the scholarship has a web site noted, you MUST use it to obtain an application and apply ONLY on-line.

ERCA (Educational Research Center of America) Community Contribution Scholarship

Open to seniors that recognized a need or a problem in their community and have developed an action plan to solve it. Apply at <http://www.studentresearch.org/>

*Application period August 1 through the following July* *Amount*: $1,000

California’s Veteran’s Dependents College Fee/Tuition Waiver Program

Open to dependents of deceased or disabled veterans planning to attend a California Community College, Cal-State University, or University of California. For information go to [www.cdva.ca.gov/vetservices/education](http://www.cdva.ca.gov/vetservices/education).

*Deadline*: Prior to starting college *Amount*: Based on fee and tuition costs

Wells Fargo College Steps Program Scholarship Sweepstakes

A monthly sweepstakes drawing open to all high school students, that enroll on line in the College Steps Program. This is a free program that provides tips for financing a college education. Enroll at https://www.wellsfargo.com/student/planning/scholarships/

*Deadline:* None *Amount:* $1,000

California Conservation Corps

Open to students that join the Conservation Corps after high school. Upon completion of one (1) year, the student qualifies for a scholarship. Apply at <http://www.ccc.ca.gov/>

*Deadline*: Can apply at any time. *Amounts*: $2000 to $4,725 scholarships + pay

Americorps National Service Program – Segal Education Award

Open to students that join AmeriCorps after high school. Upon completion of one term of service, the student qualifies for a scholarship. Apply at: [www.americorps.gov/home/site\_map/index.asp](http://www.americorps.gov/home/site_map/index.asp)

*Deadline*: Can apply at any time.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority Scholarships

Over a hundred scholarships awarded annually with various amounts and deadlines. Go to: [www.epsilonsigmaalpha.org/esa-foundation/scholarships](http://www.epsilonsigmaalpha.org/esa-foundation/scholarships) for list of scholarships and applications.

*Deadline:* Varies *Amounts:* $500 - $2,000

American Liberty Scholarship

Open to seniors with a 3.0 or higher GPA. Apply at: <http://www.americanlibertyscholarship.com/?lt=2&source=Ggb>.

*Deadline:* Can apply at any time *Amounts:* $50 - $5,000

*Additional Resources:*

EdFed Scholarship Search –.Edfed.com/planning-college/scholarship-search

White Picket College – [www.whitepicketcollege.com/non-need-based-scholarships](http://www.whitepicketcollege.com/non-need-based-scholarships)

American Legion Auxiliary – various scholarships – [www.walegion-aux.org/scholarships/htm](http://www.walegion-aux.org/scholarships/htm).

College Scholarships. org – [www.collegescholarships.org](http://www.collegescholarships.org)

Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation – [www.ww38.ecisf.org](http://www.ww38.ecisf.org) –various scholarships and deadlines.

**SEPTEMBER**

University of La Verne Computer Science Engineering & Mathematics Scholarships

Open to seniors planning to major in Computer Science or Mathematics at the University of La Verne. Student must have a minimum 3.0 GPA. Apply at <http://www.ulv.edu/math/csem.shtml>.

*Deadline:* September 6 *Amount:* 30 grants awarded at $3,125, renewable each year.

SunTrust Off To College Scholarship Sweepstakes

Open to seniors that register at https://www.suntrusteducation.com/ScholarshipSweepstakes/

Applications open **Sept. 15**. One winner is chosen every two weeks from October 26th through May 10th.

*Deadline:* May 10 *Amount:* $1,000

College Toolkit Scholarship

Open to seniors that submit their college entrance essay or compose an essay on “Why do you want to go to college”. Student then get their friends to vote for them by visiting the website. The student with the most votes will win the scholarship. Apply at: <http://www.collegetoolkit.com/ScholarshipContest/Contest.aspx>

Deadline: September 30 Amount: $1,000

Questbridge – National College Match

Open to seniors that have demonstrated academic excellence in the face of economic obstacles. Many past recipients have also been among the first generation to attend college. Matches student to one of 19 private prestigious universities or colleges. Apply at [www.questbridge.org](http://www.questbridge.org)

*Deadline:* September 30 *Amount:* Full tuition, books, housing up to $180,000

NAAS-USA National Awards – National Academy of American Scholars

Open to seniors with a GPA of at least a “C” and planning to attend a two or four-year American college. Based solely upon scholastic ability, intellectual potential, personal integrity, and enthusiasm for learning. Fee required. http://www.naas.org

*Open Sept. 1 – May 1st* *Amount:*  Varies

Cappex Scholarships

“A GPA Isn’t Everything Scholarship” – Amount: $1,000

**OCTOBER**

Edison International – Edison Scholars Program

Open to high school seniors with a minimum 2.8 GPA and above, planning to major in science, technology, engineering and math, also know as STEM. Must demonstrate financial need. Students from ethnic minorities are encouraged to apply.

Go to this website for more information and to apply: [www.scholarshipamerica.org/edisonscholars](http://www.scholarshipamerica.org/edisonscholars).

Application period: October 1 – February 1. *Edison offers 30 scholarships valued at $40,000 ea.*

Siemens Competition in Math, Science & Technology

Open to high school students (grades 9-12) who are citizens or permanent residents who are submitting individual research projects, or 2 or 3 member teams.

Apply at: [www.siemens-foundation.org](http://www.siemens-foundation.org).

*Deadline:* October 1 *Amounts:* $1,000 - $100,000

Young Arts Awards

Open to seniors in the performing, literary and visual arts. Awards will be given for Music, photography, writing, theater, dance & voice.

Apply at: [www.youngARTS.org](http://www.youngARTS.org).

*Deadline:* October 1 *Amounts:* $5,000 - $10,000

Wendy’s High School Heisman Award

Open to seniors that have a minimum “B” (3.0) grade point average who excel in academics, athletics and student leadership. Information and application at [www.wendysheisman.com](http://www.wendysheisman.com). The first 41,000 applicants will receive a Wendy’s gift card from $5 to $50.

*Deadline:* October 1 *Amounts:* Up to $500 in Wendy’s Gift cards and $10,000 gift **to the school** in the student’s name – National Trophy presented on TV during Heisman ceremonies.

AES Engineers Scholarship

Open to high school seniors. Student does not need to be an engineering major. Students must submit an essay to one of two questions posted on their web site: <http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm>.

*Deadline:* October 6 *Amount:* $500

Music Center Spotlight Award

Open to 9th-12th grade students in performing arts or visual arts music and dance. There is a $10 application fee. Check website calendar for when auditions are. Finalists will perform in a competition. Winners will receive scholarships. Apply online at http://www.musiccenter.org/education/

*Deadline*: October 17 *Amount*: $100 - $5,000

California Museum’s Hall of Fame Dreamers Challenge Contest

Open to California High School Seniors that enter an essay, video, audio or artwork explaining how their dreams will leave a lasting impression on the world. Entries must be made as digital files. Info at: <http://www.californiamuseum.org/Exhibits/Hall-of-Fame/essay-contest-rules.html>.

*Deadline:* October 15 *Amount:* $5,000

Horatio Alger California Scholarship Program

Open to seniors with financial need, who have overcome personal adversity. Apply at <http://www.horatioalger.org/scholarships>

*Deadline*: October 30 *Amount*: $2,500 - $20,000

Outstanding Students of America Scholarship

Open to students with a 3.0 or higher GPA that have been involved in community service.

Apply at: [http://www.outstandingstudentsofamerica.com](http://www.outstandingstudentsofamerica.com/)

*Deadline:* October 15  *Amount:* $1,000

Washington University, St. Louis

Ayala may nominate students who stand out among their peers for their maturity, strong moral character, selflessness, and commitment to community. Additional scholarships are available to students who will be attending the school.

*Deadline:*  October 15th *Amounts:* Partial & Full Tuition

Boston University College of Engineering Scholarship Examination Competition

Open to extremely high academic students that pay a $35 fee to take a test. The top 6 candidates in the nation will receive scholarships. You must request information when applying to Boston University College of Engineering.

*Deadline:*  October 30th *Amounts:* $10,000 plus prizes

Coca-Cola Scholars Program

Applicants must be planning to pursue a degree at an accredited U.S. post secondary institution. Based on Academics and Leadership. Students must carry a minimum 3.0 GPA at the end of their junior year of high school. Apply at https://www.coca-colascholars.org/

*Deadline*: October 31 *Amount*: $1,000 - $20,000

Prudential Spirit of Community Award

Ayala nominates three students who deserve to be recognized for volunteer community services.

Apply on-line at: <http://spirit.prudential.com>

*Deadline:* October 31st *Amount:* $1,000

Miss Teenage California Scholarship

Candidates are judged on the basis of academic achievement, activities, personality, poise & presence. Apply at [www.missteenageca.com](http://www.missteenageca.com/).

*Deadline:* October 31st *Amount:* Up to $15,000

Kaplan College Sweepstakes

Open to students that send in an entry card or enter online at: <http://www.kaptest.com/oneoff/win10k/index.jhtml?source=directmail>

*Deadline:* October 31st *Amount:* $10,000

Cal. Poly, Pomona ROTC Program

Open to juniors & seniors with demonstrated academic success, (SAT 1050 Math and Verbal and a 2.7 or higher GPA. ROTC requires that the student will be commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant Army officer after completing their Bachelors degree in any major they choose.

Applications online at: www.rotc.usaac.army.mil/scholarship

For more information contact Captain Miguel Rodriguez at (909) 869-3266 or [mrodriguez2@csupomona.edu](mailto:mrodriguez2@csupomona.edu).

*Deadline:* October 31 *Amount:* Full tuition - $900 books & stipend of $500/mth.

Platt College Imagine America Scholarship – Career Training Foundation

Ayala will nominate three students with at least a 2.5 GPA, who had demonstrated financial need, participate in community service, and plan to attend Platt College. Get information at: [www.plattcollege.edu](http://www.plattcollege.edu) let the counseling office know if you will be attending Platt College.

*Deadline:* October 31st *Amount:* $1,000

**NOVEMBER**

RMHC U.S. Scholarships – various scholarships available for seniors through the Ronald McDonald House Charities. Applications begin in November and end in January. Check website for specific dates. <http://rmhc.org/what-we-do/rmhc-u-s-scholarships/>

Burger King Scholars Program

Open to seniors with a 2.5 or higher GPA – who work part-time – are actively involved in community service and demonstrate financial need. Apply at:

[www.haveityourwayfoundation.org/burger\_king\_scholars\_program.html](http://www.haveityourwayfoundation.org/burger_king_scholars_program.html)

*Apply Nov.- Deadline in January* *Amount:* $1,000

 Voice of Democracy

The Voice of Democracy is an annual national audio essay contest that is designed to foster patriotism. Open to students grades 9 – 12. Get information at: [www.vfw.org/yourtown/you\_Voiceof.htm](http://www.vfw.org/yourtown/you_Voiceof.htm)

*Deadline:* November 1st *Amount:* Varies

Graceland University

For students planning to attend this college. Apply to Graceland University and then go online to submit an application for a scholarship.

[www.graceland.edu/scholarships](http://www.graceland.edu/scholarships)

*Deadline:* November 1st *Amount:* Tuition, Fees, room and board

New York University Martin Luther King, Jr. Scholars Program

Open to Black seniors that have demonstrated scholastic ability, leadership and community service. Info at: <http://www.nyu.edu/mlkscholars/about.html>.

*Deadline:* November 1 *Amount:* Unspecified by substantial

Dan Stover Memorial Music Scholarship

Open to talented senior musicians. Apply through your local Rotary Club.

*Deadline*: November 1 *Amounts*: $1,000 - $3,000

Veterans of Foreign Wars - Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program

Open to 10th-12th grade students who write and record an essay on the current year’s theme. Through local VFW chapter or on-line at:

http://www.vfw.org/community/voice-of-democracy

*Deadline*: November 1 *Amount*: $1,000 - $25,000

Scripps (The Women’s College of Claremont) New Generation Scholarship

Open to female seniors with GPAs above 4.0 and SAT scores over 1400, who plan to apply to Scripps.

*Deadline*: November 15 *Amount*: Full tuition, board and summer research stipend.

Prom Guide Scholarship

Open to seniors. Students will submit a YouTube video that explains the benefits of using a PG card.

Apply online at http://www.promguide.com/scholarship

*Deadline*: November 1 *Amount*: $1,000

Spotlight Award – Music Center Visual Arts and Performing Arts Competition

Open to 9th – 12th grade students. Apply online at:

[www.musiccenter.org/spot/indez.html](http://www.musiccenter.org/spot/indez.html)

*Deadline:* Performing Arts – Oct. 17 Visual Arts – Dec. 1 *Amount:* $250 - $1,500

Asian Pacific Youth Leadership Program

Open to 15-18 year olds who demonstrate academic achievement and outstanding leadership skills. Students must be of Asian/Pacific heritage.

*Deadline:* November 12th *Amounts:* $500-$1,000

Seattle University Sullivan Leadership Award

California resident, 3.5GPA or above, be committed to leadership and social justice, have good written and oral communication skills. Apply to Seattle University and get scholarship information at: [www.seattle.edu](http://www.seattle.edu)

*Deadline:* November 15th *Amount:* Full tuition, room, meal expenses for all four years

ARMY ROTC Scholarship

Must enroll in Army ROTC in College. Scholarship awards are based on Merit, SAT or ACT test scores, school official evaluations, extra curricular activities, leadership, athletic activities and personal interview. www.armyrotc.com

*Deadline:* November 15th *Amounts:* up to $68,000

Emory Scholars’ Program

Open to seniors with high academic achievement, planning to attend Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia. Info at: <http://www.college.emory.edu/current/achievement/scholars/scholars.html>.

*Deadline*: November 15th *Amount*: Unknown

CABE Student Writing Contest

Open to all high school students that write an essay on Bilingualism.

*Deadline*: November 16th *Amounts*: $200 - $1,000

First Freedom Student Competition

Open to **9th – 12th grade students** that submit an essay that examines the First Amendment and the history and relevance of religious freedom in America. For information and to enter, go to: <http://www.firstfreedom.org/education/students.html>.

*Deadline:* November 24 *Amounts:* $750 to $3,000

National Security Agency Stokes Educational Scholarship Program

Requirements - minimum SAT of 1200 or ACT of 27 and a GPA of 3.0 or higher. Demonstrated leadership abilities, applicant and immediate family must be U.S. citizens - minority status preferred. Apply at [www.nsa.gov/careers/students\_4.cfm](http://www.nsa.gov/careers/students_4.cfm)

*Deadline*: November 30th *Amount*: Full tuition, books, year-round salary, housing and travel, and job at NSN after graduation.

Cal State Fullerton Scholarships

Open to seniors planning to attend CSF. Information at: <http://www.fullerton.edu/financialaid/scholar/scholarships_default.htm>

*Deadline*: November 30th *Amounts*: vary by scholarship

U.C. Berkeley - Department of Mechanical Engineering

Mary & William G. Drake Scholarship

Open to seniors planning to attend U.C. Berkeley and major in Mechanical Engineering.

*Deadline*: February 12 for Scholarship *Amount*: Full Expenses

November 30 for University

Chino Basin Water Conservation District Annual Art/Poster Contest

Open to a student that designs a poster for the theme: “Promoting Water Conservation”.

Info at <http://www.cbwcd.org/index.html>

*Deadline:* November 30th *Amount:* $250 to student $500 to art class

President’s Scholar’s Program, Cal. State University, Long Beach

Must be ranked #1 or be a National Merit Semifinalist.

Information at: <http://www.csulb.edu/presidents_scholars/counselors_nominee>.

*Deadline:* November 30 *Amount:* Full Ride (including books & meals)

Cal Poly Pomona Scholarships

Open to seniors planning to attend Cal Poly, Pomona

Apply at: <http://www.dsa.csupomona.edu/financial_aid/scholarship.asp>

*Deadline:* November 30 *Amounts:* vary by scholarship

Cal State, Chico Scholarships

Open to students planning to attend Cal State, Chico. Info at: <http://www.csuchico.edu/fa/home/types/schol.html>

*Deadline*: November 30 *Amounts*: vary by scholarship

Cal State, San Bernardino Scholarships

Open to seniors planning to attend CSUSB. Apply at:

<http://finaid.csusb.edu/>

*Deadline*: November 30 *Amounts*: vary by scholarship

Cal State Fullerton Scholarships

Open to seniors planning to attend CSUF. Info at:

<http://www.fullerton.edu/financialaid/scholar/scholarships_default.htm>

*Deadline*: November 30 *Amounts*: vary by scholarship

California State University, Fresno – Scholarship Opportunities

Open to seniors planning to attend Cal State Fresno. Information and applications are available online at: <http://studentaffairs.csufresno.edu/scholarships>

*Deadline:* November 30th *Amount:* $100-$5,000

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program – Scholarships available to seniors who demonstrate exemplary leadership, drive, integrity and citizenship at school and within the community; be nominated by an eligible community leader (see website for details); 3.0 GPA or higher; recommendation from an authority figure; financial need; U.S. citizen; use scholarship money to pursue a bachelor’s degree at an accredited U.S. college or university. Go to [www.reaganfoundation.org/ge-scholarship.aspx](http://www.reaganfoundation.org/ge-scholarship.aspx) to learn more. **Apply between Nov. 14 – Feb. 17**

*Deadline: February 17, 2012 Amount: $10,000 - $40,000 - renewable*

Platt College Presidential Scholarship

Open to seniors planning on attending Platt College:

[www.plattcollege.edu](http://www.plattcollege.edu)

*Deadline:* November 30th *Amount:* $1,000

William S. Davila Scholarship Fund

Open to seniors working in the food industry, or a son or daughter of parents working in the food industry. [www.sms.scholasrhipamerica.org](http://www.sms.scholasrhipamerica.org)/davila

*Deadline* *Amount:* $1,000 - $2,500

Inland Empire Scholarship Fund for Hispanic Students

Open to Hispanic seniors with a 2.7 or higher GPA planning to attend college. Apply at www.iesfbecas.org

*Deadline*: Nov. 1 - February 1 *Amount*: $500 - $1,500

**DECEMBER**

Soroptimist Violet Richardson Award

Open to high school girls, ages 14 - 17. Based upon community service. Info at: http://www.soroptimist.org/members/program. Apply through your local Soroptimist Club or online.

*Deadline*: December 1 *Amount*: $1,000 - $2,500

University of La Verne

Performance Scholarships – applicants must submit a completed application for admission to La Verne and submit the performance scholarship application and recommendation. <http://laverne.edu/performance>

Deadline: December 31

KFC Colonel’s Scholars Program

Open to seniors with a 2.75 or higher GPA. Apply at: [www.kfcscholars.org](http://www.kfcscholars.org).

*Open Dec. 1*

*Deadline:* February 10 *Amount:* $20,000

DeSales University

Talent scholarships in theatre, dance and TV/film. Auditions in December and January. Get information and apply at [www.desles.edu](http://www.desles.edu)

*Deadline:* December 1st *Amount:* $500 to $5,000

IONA College, New York, Deans Scholarship

Open to students with a minimum SAT 1 score of 1260 or ACT score of 28.

www.iona.edu/info

*Deadline:* December 1st *Amount:* 4-year full tuition

Southern California Edison Co. College Scholarship Program

Apply by taking the SAT Test and marking No. 0175 on your test sheet. www.edison.com/community/public-scholarship.asp

*Deadline:* December 1st *Amount:* $5,000

Azusa Pacific Scholarship

For first-time freshman applicants to Azusa Pacific University. Min. high school GPA of 3.9 on a 4.0 scale. Min. combined score of 1300 on SAT of 30 on ACT; demonstrate a strong Christian Commitment; completed application for undergraduate admission postmarked by 12/1/2006. [www.apu.edu](http://www.apu.edu)

*Deadline*: December 1st *Amount:* Not specified

Air Force ROTC College Scholarships

Open to seniors that are 17 years or older. Must have a Minimum SAT of 1100 or ACT 24. and a GPA of 3.0 or higher. Must complete physical aptitude exam. Apply at <http://www.afrotc.com/>

*Deadline:* December 1 *Amount:* Up to $15,000 a year

SAE Engineering Scholarships

Open to seniors planning to major in Engineering at one of the 65 listed Universities (including Univ. Of The Pacific, in Stockton, CA). Info at: [www.sae.org/students/engschlr.htm](http://www.sae.org/students/engschlr.htm).

*Deadline:* December 1 *Amounts:* $400 to Full Tuition

Boston University Trustee Scholarship

Open to seniors in the top 5% of their class, with a 1400 SAT score or 32 ACT score.

*Deadline*: December 1 *Amount*: Full tuition ($27,000 per year); Renewable

[www.bu.edu/admissions/trustee](http://www.bu.edu/admissions/trustee)

The following are additional scholarships Boston University offers but have varying due dates:

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Scholarship

[www.bu.edu/admissions/apply/scholar\_mlk.html](http://www.bu.edu/admissions/apply/scholar_mlk.html)

Alexander Graham Bell Scholarship

[www.bu.edu/admissions/apply/scholar\_bell.html](http://www.bu.edu/admissions/apply/scholar_bell.html)

University Scholarships [www.bu.edu/admissions/apply/scholar\_merit.html](http://www.bu.edu/admissions/apply/scholar_merit.html)

National Merit/Achievement Finalist

[www.bu.edu/finaid](http://www.bu.edu/finaid)

Ancient Greek and Latin Scholarship

[www.bu.edu/admissions/apply/scholar\_school.html](http://www.bu.edu/admissions/apply/scholar_school.html)

School of Education Presidential [www.bu.edu/admissions/apply/scholar\_School.html](http://www.bu.edu/admissions/apply/scholar_School.html)

American Architectural Foundation Minority/Disadvantaged Scholarship

Open to seniors planning to attend a NAAB accredited college program in architecture. Information and application on line at <http://www.archfoundation.org/scholarships/>

*Deadline:* December 6 *Amount:* $500 - $2,500

AFS Awards For Excellence Scholarship Program

AFS stands for American Field Service. They are national student exchange program.

Open to students that are nominated by a teacher, counselor or principal. Based upon academic excellence (3.5 or higher GPA), community service and leadership. Info at: [www.afs.org/usa](http://www.afs.org/usa).

*Deadline:* December 6 *Amount:* unspecified

The Chapel of Four Chaplains

2005 Annual Project Lifesaver. A team project.

www.fourchaplains.org/programs.html

*Deadline:* December 8th *Amount:* $750 - $1,000

Johnson & Wales National Outstanding Student Leader of the Year Scholarship Competition

Open to seniors planning to attend one of 4 Johnson & Wales Universities. Base upon academics and an essay on community leadership. For more info on J&W visit the web site at [http://www.jwu.edu/sfs/scolar.htm](http://www.jwu.edu/sfs/scholar.htm)

*Deadline:* December 10 *Amount:* $3,500 to $7,500 per year

The Chapel of Four Chaplains

2005 Annual Essay Contest

www.fourchaplains.org/programs.html

*Deadline:* December 12th *Amount:* $300 - $1,000

The Sport Foundation Scholarships

Open to seniors with high academics, sports involvement, and who have an interest in sports medicine. Apply at <http://sportfoundation.org/schol.html>

*Deadline*: December 12 *Amounts*: $500 - $1,000

AXA Achievement Scholarship Program

Open to seniors that have demonstrated achievement in a job, sport or extracurricular activity. Apply at [www.axa-achievement.com](http://www.axa-achievement.com/).

*Deadline*: December 15 *Amount*: $10,000 to $25,000

The Geisinger Scholarship Program

Recipients must be enrolled at the University of Michigan and pursuing an undergraduate degree program in engineering. [www.engin.umich.edu/students.current.scholarships.New\_Students.html](http://www.engin.umich.edu/students.current.scholarships.New_Students.html)

*Deadline:* December 15th *Amount*: Up to $20,000

National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution Essay Contest

Open to 11th or 12th grades students that write an essay dealing with the American Revolution.

Apply at <http://www.sar.org/youth/knightrules.html>

*Deadline:* December 31 *Amount:* $500 - $2,500

Writers & Illustrators of The Future Contest

Open to any student that submits an original work of writing or illustration in the realm of science fiction, fantasy or horror with fantastic elements. Details and applications at: <http://www.writersofthefuture.com/index.htm>. Prizes awarded every 3 months.

*Deadlines:* Dec. 1, March 31, June 30 & Sept. 30 *Amounts*: $500 to $4,000

Cappex Scholarships

Cappex Student Athlete of the Year Scholarship – Deadline Dec. 31, 2012 Amount: $1,000

Cappex “Lead With Your Heart” Scholarship – Deadline Dec. 31, 2012 Amount: $2,500

Cappex Promoter Scholarship – Deadline Dec. 31, 2012 Amount: $1,000

**JANUARY**

Union Plus Trade School or College Scholarship, **AFL-CIO Benefit Program**

Open to students of CSEA members. Based on academic ability, social awareness, financial need, and appreciation of labor. Download application at [www.unionplus.org](http://www.unionplus.org)

*Deadline:* January *Amount:* Not Specified

Soroptimist Youth Citizenship Award

Open to seniors and based upon service, dependability, leadership and clear sense of purpose.

*Deadline:* January 3rd *Amount:* $500

Johnson & Wales National Outstanding Leader Of The Year Scholarship Competition

Apply at: <http://www.jwu.edu/admiss/scholarships/sch_cont.htm#leader>.

Open to seniors wanting to attend Johnson & Wales University (in Denver, Colorado).

*Deadline:* January 5 *Amount:* $3,500 to Full Tuition

Jeff Krosnoff Scholarship

Open to four-year College bound seniors with excellent academics, and community involvement.

Apply at: <http://www.krosnoffscholarship.com/>

*Deadline*: January 8 *Amount*: $10,000

Ron Brown Scholar Program – CAP Charitable Foundation

Open to all African-American seniors demonstrating excellence, leadership potential, community service and financial need. [www.ronbrown.org](http://www.ronbrown.org) or [mmallory@ronbrown.org](mailto:mmallory@ronbrown.org)

*Deadline:* January 9th *Amount:* $10,000 - $40, 00

John F. Kennedy – Profile In Courage Essay Contest

**Open to all high school students.** Students submit an essay of less than 1,000 words that demonstrates an understanding of political courage as described by John F. Kennedy in *Profiles in Courage.* More info at: [www.jfklibrary.org](http://www.jfklibrary.org).

*Deadline:* January 10 *Amounts:* $500 - $5,000

Gates Millennium Scholars Program

Open to seniors that are African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian Pacific Islander American or Hispanic Americanwith high academic and leadership promise. Applicant must be citizens or legal permanent residents of the United States and have at least a 3.3 GPA. Have demonstrated leadership through school or community service. **Meet Federal Pell Grant eligibility criteria (Low income).** Apply at http://www.gmsp.org

*Deadline:* January 11 *Amount: Full scholarship*

Wal-Mart Foundation Scholarship Programs

This scholarship is for Associates and children of Associates of Wal-Mart. Applications are available from store personnel manager or online. Application period opens 1/3/2012 and ends 3/15/2012. 2.0 GPA and proof of financial need required.

Go to walmartstores.com/communitygiving

*Deadline:* January 12th *Amount:* $13,000

CTA Cesar Chavez Memorial Education Awards Program

Open to all grades. A student or group of students, submit either an essay or visual arts work that demonstrates the vision of Cesar Chavez. Info at <http://www.cta.org/InsideCTA/TrainingHR/Scholarships/ScholarChavez.htm>

Or also, our local ACT office 628-0713

*Deadline*: January 13 *Amount*: $500

Education Is Freedom Scholarship

Open to B-average students that have financial need, but do not qualify for government aid.

APPLY ONLINE at [www.educationisfreedom.org](http://www.educationisfreedom.org/)

*Deadline*: January 15 *Amount*: $2,000

Washington University (St. Louis) Hispanic Students – Black Americans Scholarships

Open to Hispanic or Black students planning to attend the University.

*Deadline*: January 15 *Amount*: Full tuition and annual stipend

Mensa Education and Research Foundation Essay Contest

Open to all students that write an essay about their career, vocational or academic goals. Apply at [www.merf.us.mensa.org](http://www.merf.us.mensa.org/) scholarships.

*Deadline*: January 15 Amount: $250 - $1,000

California Association of Educational Office Professionals Scholarship

Open to students planning to major in Business Administration. Must have a 2.0 GPA. Apply at <http://www.caeop.org/scholarship_info.htm>

*Deadline*: January 15 *Amount*: $1,000

McKelvey Foundation Entrepreneurial Scholarship

Open to seniors that have owned their own business for at least one year and have at least 1 paid employee. Apply at: [www.mckelveyfoundation.org](http://www.mckelveyfoundation.org).

*Deadline:* January 15 *Amount:* Up to $40,000

California Association Of Collectors Educational Scholarship

Open to seniors that write an essay on the topic**: *“Importance of Establishing and Maintaining Good Credit During Your College Years”.*** Go to <http://cacesf.org/> for information.

*Deadline:* January 16 *Amounts:* $1,500 - $2,500

Citrus Chapter - California Environmental Health Association

Open to seniors planning to attend a 2-year or 4-year college. Students write a paper addressing a current environmental health issue. Information at: <http://www.ceha.org/awards.html>.

*Deadline*: January 18 *Amount*: $300

California State University, Dominguez Hills Scholarships

Open to seniors planning to attend Cal State Dominguez Hills. Various scholarships.

*Deadline:* January 19 *Amount:* $500-$1,735

nextSTEP Magazine Ultimate Scholarship Giveaway

Open to all high school students that register at <http://www.nextstepmag.com/NSMPages/newregister.aspx>

*Deadline:* January 22 *Amount:* $5,000

Cal State Fullerton President’s Scholars

Academic GPA at least 3.75 in 10th & 11th grades, verify outstanding individual achievement, show significant contributions to school & community. [www.fullerton.edu/scholars](http://www.fullerton.edu/scholars)

*Deadline:* January 26th *Amount:* 4-year full-ride scholarship

McDonald’s Charities of So Cal Scholarships

Four scholarships available to high school seniors who are eligible. Categories are African/American Future Achievers, Asian/American Future Achievers, RMHC/Scholars, and RMHC/HACER. [www.rmhcsc.org](http://www.rmhcsc.org)

*Deadline: January 27, 2012 Amount $2000 - $5000*

Rotary Club – Dan Stover Music Contest (Local)

Open to seniors planning to continue their music studies in college. Students will perform with a musical instrument for eight minutes before a panel of judges.

Entry forms at: [www.district5300.org](http://www.district5300.org). Students may also contact [preston\_carr@chino.k12.ca.us](mailto:preston_carr@chino.k12.ca.us) or [romoleo@hotmail.com](mailto:romoleo@hotmail.com).

*Deadline:* January 31 *Amounts:* $1,000 - $4,000

Rotary Club – George R. Hensel Ethics Essay Contest (Local)

Open to students that write an essay to analyze ethical issues and concerns confronting them.

Entry forms at: [www.district5300.org](http://www.district5300.org). Students may also contact [Diana\_Yarboi@chino.k12.ca.us](mailto:Diana_Yarboi@chino.k12.ca.us). *Deadline:* January 31 *Amounts:* $500 - $3,000

Cal Poly Agriculture, San Luis Obispo-USDA Multicultural Scholars

Enroll at Cal Poly in an agricultural major. Have min. SAT score of 1000 & min. GPA of 3.00, have strong leadership record & be Hispanic American, African American, Asian American or Native American. Once accepted mail inquiries to: [cagr@calpoly.edu](mailto:cagr@calpoly.edu)

*Deadline:* January 31st *Amount:* $5,750/student per year for four years

PanHellenic Scholarship Foundation

Open to students of Greek American decent. Go to http://www.panhellenicscholarships.org/apply.php

*Deadline*: January 31 *Amount*: $100 - $300

**FEBRUARY**

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program – Scholarships available to seniors who demonstrate exemplary leadership, drive, integrity and citizenship at school and within the community; be nominated by an eligible community leader (see website for details); 3.0 GPA or higher; recommendation from an authority figure; financial need; U.S. citizen; use scholarship money to pursue a bachelor’s degree at an accredited U.S. college or university. Go to [www.reaganfoundation.org/ge-scholarship.aspx](http://www.reaganfoundation.org/ge-scholarship.aspx) to learn more.

*Deadline: February 17, 2012 Amount: $10,000 - $40,000 - renewable*

California Teachers Association Scholarships

Open to the children of CTA members. Apply at [www.cta.org](http://www.cta.org).

*Deadline:* Feb. 3 *Amount:* $2,000

Elks National Foundation Scholarships

Open to seniors. Based on financial need, leadership and scholarship. Different scholarships are available with different deadlines. Check website. http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars

*Deadline:* Feb. 1 *Amount:* $1,000 - $15,000 per year

The University of Puget Sound

If you are applying to the University of Puget Sound, there are several renewable scholarships available. Get information at pugetsound.edu.

*Deadline:* February 1st *Amount:* Up to $13,000

University of California, Davis – Cal Aggie Alumni Leadership Scholarship

Open to seniors with a 3.5 GPA and planning to attend UC Davis. Directions are in the UC Application for Admissions and Scholarships on page 37 of the instruction booklet. More information available at [www.alumni.ucdavis.edu](http://www.alumni.ucdavis.edu)

*Deadline:* February - April 23 *Amount:* $1,000

Johns Hopkins University - Hodson Trust Scholarship

Open to minority students that plan on attending Johns Hopkins University in Maryland. Students should have a 1200+ SAT score, leadership, high grades in CP and Honors Classes and financial need. <http://apply.jhu.edu>

*Deadline:* February 1st *Amount:* Up to $28,000 per year

Southern California Mothers Of Twins Scholarships (LOCAL)

Open to seniors that are from multiple births (twins, triplets or higher). Applications at: http://www.scmotc.org/

*Deadline:* February 1  *Amount:* $250 - $1,800

Christermon Foundation Scholarship Program – a non-profit organization of the Beverage Alcohol Industry. Open to children or grandchildren of persons employed by any individual or company holding a liquor license in California. Apply at [www.christermon.com](http://www.christermon.com/)

*Deadline*: February 1 *Amount*: Up to $5,000

Savannah College of Art & Design Scholarship

Open to seniors with a 3.5 or above GPA and 1250 or higher SAT. Must have extraordinary talent in Visual Performing Arts, planning to attend SCAD in Savannah, Georgia. Info at: [www.scad.edu/admission/financial/scholarships/undergraduate](http://www.scad.edu/admission/financial/scholarships/undergraduate)

*Deadline*: February 1 *Amount*: $7,500 per year

American Musical and Dramatic Academy (New York – Los Angeles)

Open to seniors that audition for AMDA. Must be nominated by CHHS. Apply at <http://www.amda.edu/pages.cfm?page=aid>

*Deadline:* February 1 *Amount:* Unspecified

California College of the Arts Scholarships

Open to seniors planning to attend CCA (in San Francisco or Oakland). Apply at [www.cca.edu](http://www.cca.edu).

*Deadline:* February 1 *Amounts:* $15,000 - $26,000

Inland Empire Scholarship Fund for Hispanic Students

Open to Hispanic seniors with a 2.7 or higher GPA planning to attend college. Apply at [www.iesfonline.org](http://www.iesfonline.org/)

*Deadline*: February 1 *Amount*: $500 - $1,500

California State PTA Scholarship and Grant Program

Open to seniors demonstrating achievements for volunteer service to the school and community. Application at: [www.capta.org/sections/programs/high-school-grad.cfm](http://www.capta.org/sections/programs/high-school-grad.cfm).

*Deadline:* February 1 *Amount:* $500

California State University, Chico (Music Department Scholarships and Awards)

Interested in a degree in music? CSU Chico is offering scholarships. Go to [www.csuchico.edu/mus/](http://www.csuchico.edu/mus/)

*Deadline:* February 4th for February 14th auditions

American Physical Society Scholarship for Minority Undergraduate Physics Majors

Open to African American, Hispanic American or Native American seniors that are U.S. citizens or permanent residents and planning on majoring in Physics in college. Applications available after November 1st at <http://www.aps.org/educ/com/scholars/index.cfm>

*Deadline:* February 4 *Amount:* $2,000 - $3,000 per year

U. C. Berkeley – Mary C. & William G. Drake Scholarship for Mechanical Engineering

Open to gifted seniors planning to major in mechanical engineering at UC Berkeley. Apply at: [www.me.berkeley.edu](http://www.me.berkeley.edu).

*Deadline:* February 5 *Amount:* Full expenses for 4 years

Southern California Video Arts Contest-sponsored by Mt. Sierra College

Juniors or seniors interested in Motion Graphics or Visual Effects & Video must submit a video presentation with entry form. Information in counseling office or at www.mtsierra.edu/video\_arts\_contest.php

*Deadline:* February 11th *Amount:* Various

American Legion Auxiliary National Girl Scout Achievement Award

Department forms are available to high school students on the Internet. [www.walegion-aux.org/scholarships](http://www.walegion-aux.org/scholarships)

*Deadline:* February 13th *Amount:* $1,000

EIF – Education is Freedom

Open to seniors with a 3.0 GPA planning on attending a two or four-year College, has a work history, and community service. [www.educationisfreedom.org](http://www.educationisfreedom.org)

*Deadline:* February 13th *Amount:* $500 - $5,000

American Legion Auxiliary Scholarships

Various scholarships open to seniors that are children of veterans. Info at: <http://www.walegion-aux.org/scholarships/htm>.

*Deadlines*: Vary from February 13 to April 15 *Amounts*: Vary from $500 to $2,000

 UCLA Alumni Association Scholarships

Open to seniors planning to attend U.C.L.A. Info at <http://www.uclalumni.net/Scholarships/>

*Deadline*: February 14 *Amount*: $4,000 to $12,000

RMHC/HACER Scholarship Program for Hispanic Students

Open to Hispanic seniors. Ronald McDonald House will be awarding 4 $100,000 scholarships nationally plus local scholarships. Go to rmhc.org/what-we-do/rmhc-u-s-scholarships/

*Deadline:* February 15 *Amount:* $1,000 to $100,000

AXA Achievement Scholarship Program

Open to seniors that have demonstrated achievement in a job, sport or extracurricular activity. Apply at [www.axa-equitable.com/axa-foundation](http://www.axa-equitable.com/axa-foundation).

*Deadline*: February 15 *Amount*: $10,000 to $25,000

Imagine Your Future in Agriculture by Monsanto Company

Anyone interested in a career in agriculture is eligible. Applications can be downloaded at [www.Monsanto.com](http://www.Monsanto.com) or [www.NAFB.com](http://www.NAFB.com)

*Deadline:* February 15th *Amount:* $1,500

Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizen Scholarship Contest

Based on dependability, service, leadership, patriotism and must write an essay as well. Go to [www.dar.org](http://www.dar.org)

*Deadline:* February 15th *Amount:* varies

CTA Scholarship Program

For a dependent child of an active California Teacher’s Association member. Info at:

<http://www.cta.org/InsideCTA/TrainingHR/Scholarships/ScholarDependent.htm>

or contact Associated Chino Teachers at 628-0713.

*Deadline:* February 15 *Amount:* $2,000

California Teacher’s Association Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Scholarship

Open to students from an ethnic minority, planning to pursue a teaching related career. Must be the dependent of an active CTA member or be a member of Student CTA. Info at:

<http://www.cta.org/InsideCTA/TrainingHR/Scholarships/ScholarMLK.htm>

*Deadline:* February 15 *Amount:* varies

Best Buy Scholarship

Open to seniors that have good grades and outstanding community service. Apply online at [www.bestbuy-communityrelations.com/scholarship/htm](http://www.bestbuy-communityrelations.com/scholarship/htm)

*Deadline:* February 15 *Amount:* $1,000 to $2,000

Colorado State University Scholarships

Open to seniors planning to attend Colorado State. Info at: <http://sfs.colostate.edu/j21000.cfm>

*Deadline:* February 15 *Amounts:* vary by scholarship

USA Funds Access To Education Scholarships

Open to seniors of low income families and who are from various ethnic minority groups (Native American, Black, Asian, and Hispanic). Apply at <http://www.usafunds.org/> Various scholarships.

*Deadline:* February 15 *Amount:* Up to $6,000

National Commission for Cooperative Education Scholarship

Open to seniors with a 3.5 or higher GPA. The student submits an essay on Co-operative Education Programs. Scholarship must be used at one of 10 participating colleges. For more information and to apply, go to [www.co-op.edu](http://www.co-op.edu/).

*Deadline:* February 15 *Amount:* $6,000 per year

National Co-Op Scholarship Program & Poster

High School GPA of 3.5 (b+) or better; Complete application and essay. [www.co-op.edu](http://www.co-op.edu)

*Deadline:* February 15th *Amount:* Unspecified

Future Farmers of America Scholarships

Many different scholarships open to seniors that are FFA members. Info at: [www.ffa.org/programs/scholarships/index.html](http://www.ffa.org/programs/scholarships/index.html)

*Deadline*: February 16 *Amounts*: $500 - $25,000

Diller Teen Tikkun Olam Award

Open to Jewish teens ages 13-19 that have demonstrated remarkable leadership and are actively engaged in projects which embody the spirit of *tikkun olan* (repair of the world). Info at: [www.sfjcf.org/diller/teenawards](http://www.sfjcf.org/diller/teenawards).

*Deadline:* February 17 *Amount:* $36,000

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program – Scholarships available to seniors who demonstrate exemplary leadership, drive, integrity and citizenship at school and within the community; be nominated by an eligible community leader (see website for details); 3.0 GPA or higher; recommendation from an authority figure; financial need; U.S. citizen; use scholarship money to pursue a bachelor’s degree at an accredited U.S. college or university. Go to [www.reaganfoundation.org/ge-scholarship.aspx](http://www.reaganfoundation.org/ge-scholarship.aspx) to learn more.

*Deadline: February 17, 2012 Amount: $10,000 - $40,000 - renewable*

Mt. Sierra College - So. California e-plan contest

Entrepreneutial students start building on your business dreams. Submit a project proposal to [highschoolplan@mtsierra.edu](mailto:highschoolplan@mtsierra.edu). More information and entry guidelines at [www.mtsierra.edu/eplan\_comp.php](http://www.mtsierra.edu/eplan_comp.php)

*Deadline:* February 18th *Amount:* Varies

Vegetarian Resource Group Scholarship

Open to seniors that who have promoted vegetarianism in their schools and/or communities. Vegetarians do not eat meat, fish, or fowl. Applications available at:

<http://www.vrg.org/student/scholar.htm>.

*Deadline:* February 20 *Amount:* $5,000

Pacific Community Credit Union Scholarship

Local scholarship for high school seniors. Applications available at [www.YourCreditUnion.com/Scholarship](http://www.YourCreditUnion.com/Scholarship)

*Deadline: February 20 Amount $750*

**MARCH**

Colorado State Provost Scholarship

Scholars who demonstrate outstanding academic achievement in high school. [www.sfs.colostate.edu](http://www.sfs.colostate.edu) (select “Search SFS and type “Provost.”)

*Deadline:* March 1st *Amount:* $20,000

California Association of Collectors, Inc. (CAC)

A one-page application and a three to four page essay. [www.cacesf.org](http://www.cacesf.org)

*Deadline:* March 1st *Amount:* $1,500 - $2,500

American Legion National High School Oratorical Contest

Open to all high school students that submit a taped speech on the current year’s topic. [www.legion.org/oratorical](http://www.legion.org/oratorical)

*Deadline:* March 1st *Amount:* $1,500 - $18,000

American Foreign Service High School Essay Contest

Open to all students grades 9-12 that submit an essay on how members of the Foreign Service promote government interests. Details at [www.afsa.org/essaycontest/](http://www.afsa.org/essaycontest/)

*Deadline:* March 1 *Amount:* $750 - $2,500

LUSO-American Education Foundation Scholarships

Open to students of Portuguese descent. Apply at [www.luso-american.org/laef/scholarships.html](http://www.luso-american.org/laef/scholarships.html)

*Deadline*: March 1 *Amount*: $4,000

U.S. Bank Internet Scholarship Program

Open to seniors planning to attend a 4-year college full time. Based on academic achievement and community involvement. Must apply online at [www.usbank.com/studentloans](http://www.usbank.com/studentloans)

*Deadline*: March 1 *Amount*: $1,000

California Farm Bureau Scholarship

Open to students planning to attend a 4-year college directly out of high school. Students must be pursuing a career in the agricultural industry. Apply at [www.cfbf.com/programs/scholar](http://www.cfbf.com/programs/scholar)

*Deadline*: March 1 *Amount*: $1,250 - $2,000

California School of Culinary Arts

Future Chef of America High School Culinary Scholarship Competition

Call 1-888-900-CHEF ask for High School Admissions and mention the Future Chef Competition for full scholarship details. www.futureusachef.com

*Deadline:* March 1st *Amount:* up to $4,300

USA Funds Access to Education Scholarships

These scholarships are for ethnic-minority groups or physically disabled students. Download an application at [www.usafunds.org](http://www.usafunds.org)

*Deadline:* March 1st *Amount:* $6,000

Veterans of Foreign Wars – Scout of The Year Scholarship

Open to a young man that is an Eagle Scout or has won the Venture Silver Award or Sea Scout Quartermaster Award. Student **must be at least 15 years old**. Application at: <http://www.vfw.org/index.cfm?fa=cmty.leveld&did=4371>.

*Deadline:* March 1st *Amount:* $3,000 - $5,000

Cal State San Marcos

Must be enrolled at Cal State San Marcos in at least 6 units for the current academic year;

Must be admitted to a degree or certificate program. Must submit a typed essay.

[www.csusm.edu/finaid/scholarship](http://www.csusm.edu/finaid/scholarship)

*Deadline:* March 2nd *Amount:* $300 - $2000

California State University San Bernardino

Apply online at: <http://finaid.csusb.edu> and file a FAFSA

*Deadline*: March 2nd *Amount*: Various

California State University, San Bernardino Scholarship

Open to seniors with at least a 2.5 GPA and planning to attend CSUSB. Apply online at: <http://finaid.csusb.edu>

*Deadline:* March 2nd *Amount:* Not Specified

California State University, San Bernardino Alumni Scholars Program

Open to seniors with high achievement planning to attend CSUSB. Apply at school web site.

*Deadline:* March 2nd *Amount:* $3,000

California State University, San Bernardino J.C. Robinson Memorial Scholarship – (ALFSS -Association of Latino Faculty, Staff and Students)

Open to seniors with a competitive GPA planning to attend CSUSB as a History major.

*Deadline*: March 3rd Amount: $750

Cal. State, San Bernardino Scholarships(LOCAL)

Open to seniors planning to attend CSUSB. Apply at: <http://finaid.csusb.edu/>

*Deadline:* March 2 *Amount:* $12,000

Cal. State, Fullerton Guardian Scholars

Open to seniors that have been in the Foster Care System, planning to attend Cal. State, Fullerton. Apply at [www.fullerton.edu/guardianscholars](http://www.fullerton.edu/guardianscholars)

*Deadline*: March 2 *Amount*: Full expenses for up to five years.

Johnson & Wales University National High School Chef of the Year Contest

Open to high school students that submit a recipe. Details & brochure available at: <http://culinary.jwu.edu/content1263.html>.

*Deadline:* March 3 *Amount:* $1,000 to Full tuition at Johnson & Wales

Scholar Athlete Milk Mustache of the Year Award Program

Based upon athletics, leadership and community service. Apply at <http://www.sammy.application.com>

*Deadline*: March 7 *Amount*: $7,500

Annual Links Scholarship Award

Open to African American seniors with a minimum 2.5 GPA, planning to attend a 4 year college or university.

*Deadline:* March 8 *Amount:* unspecified

DeVry Institute Scholarship

Open to seniors planning to attend DeVry. Info at: <http://www.devry.edu/outreach/scholarships.html>

(Must take the ACT or SAT test)

*Deadline*: March 9 *Amount*: $5,000

American Legion Auxiliary National Presidents’ Scholarship-Western Division

Department forms are available to high school students on the Internet. [www.calegionaux.org/scholarships2003.html](mailto:d.delashmit@worldnet.att.net)

*Deadline:* March 10th *Amount:* $300 - $1,000

American Legion Auxiliary National Spirit of Youth Scholarship for Junior Members-Western Division

Department forms are available to high school students on the Internet. [www.calegionaux.org/scholarships2003.html](mailto:d.delashmit@worldnet.att.net)

*Deadline:* March 10th *Amount:* $1,000

The Tylenol Future Cares Scholarship

Students pursuing a health-related career may apply for a grant online at [www.tylenol.com](http://www.tylenol.com)

*Applications Open March 12*

*Deadline:* May 31st *Amount:* $1,000 or $10,000

Chino Basin Water Conservation District California Water Awareness Scholarship

Open to seniors that exhibit interest or are pursuing a career in the water industry.

Info at: [www.wateraware.org](http://www.wateraware.org/).

*Deadline:* March 14 *Amount:* $2,500

Hispanic Heritage Youth Awards

Open to seniors of Hispanic heritage with a minimum 3.00 GPA. Apply at <http://hispanicheritage.org/>

*Deadline:* March 14 *Amount:* $8,000 and a laptop computer

Mount St. Mary’s College – Women’s Leadership Scholarship Program

Ayala nominates one female senior planning to attend Mount St. Mary’s College, Chalon or Doheny campus.

*Deadline:* March 14th *Amount:* $3,000

Ronald McDonald House Scholarships

Open to seniors. Includes African American Future Achievers Scholarship – Asian Pacific American Students Increasing Achievement Scholarship – Hispanic American Commitment to Educational Resources Scholarship and Scholars of Tomorrow Scholarship.

*Deadline*: March 14 *Amount*: $2,000

Cabrillo Civic Clubs of California State Scholarship Award

Open to seniors of Portuguese descent with a 3.5 or higher GPA. Apply at [www.cabrillocivicclubs.org/scholarship.asp](http://www.cabrillocivicclubs.org/scholarship.asp)

*Deadline*: March 15 *Amount*: $500

American Legion Auxiliary Scholarships

Open to seniors that are children of veterans. Applications can be downloaded from [http://www.calegionaux.org](http://www.calegionaux.org/). Applications are too turned in to Nina Navarro Chino American Legion Auxiliary Unit #299 13759 Central Avenue Chino, CA 91710.

*Deadline:* March 15 *Amounts:* $500 to $2,000

Save Me A Spot In College Scholarship Contest

Open to all grades. Students submit a poster, TV ad or written word entry to highlight the importance of college access. Information at: [www.collegecampaign.org/contest](http://www.collegecampaign.org/contest).

*Deadline:* March 15 *Amounts:* $500 - $2,500

Kohl’s Kids Who Care Scholarship Program

Open to any student ages 6 to 18. Scholarship honors a student that has taken the lead in planning and performing an outstanding community service project.

Information at: <http://www.kohlscorporation.com/CommunityRelations/Community02.htm>.

*Deadline:* March 15 *Amounts:* $50 to $6,550

Educational Communication Scholarship

Open to seniors that have taken the SAT or ACT test. Based on high test scores, activities, and financial need. Fee required. [www.honoring.com](http://www.honoring.com)

*Deadline:* March 15th *Amount:* $1,000 - $6000

SCCTA - Lee Brennan Memorial Scholarship Fund

Open to seniors planning to pursue a career in the cable/telecommunications industry. Apply at [www.sccta.org](http://www.sccta.org/)

*Deadline*: March 16 *Amount*: $5,000

Los Angeles Junior Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Program

Open to seniors. Based upon contributions to the community, academics and participation in athletics, art, music, and poetry. Info at [www.lajcc.org/foundation/scholarships.html](http://www.lajcc.org/foundation/scholarships.html)

*Deadline*: March 17 *Amount*: $2,000 - $8,000

Ayn Rand – Anthem Essay Contest

**Open to 8th, 9th & 10th grade students** that write an essay based upon Ayn Rand’s Novelette, *“Anthem”.* Enter at: http://essaycontest.aynrandnovels.org/Anthem.aspx?theme=blue

*Deadline:* March 20 *Amounts:* $30 to $2,000

California Alarm Association Scholarship

Open to seniors that are children of law enforcement or fire service personnel.

www.caaonline.org

*Deadline:* March 31th *Amount:* $500 - $2,000

Harvard Scholarships for Low Income Families

Harvard is offering full tuition scholarships to students that come from families making less than $60,000 per year. They offer reduced tuition to student from families making between $60,000 & $80,000 per year. Information at: <http://www.fao.fas.harvard.edu/> or call the school's financial aid office at (617) 495-1581.

*Deadline:* March 20 *Amounts:* Up to full tuition & expenses

Italian Catholic Federation Inc. Scholarship

Open to seniors wholly or partially of Italian ancestry and of the Catholic Faith. Apply at [www.icf.org/scholarships.html](http://www.icf.org/scholarships.html)

*Deadline*: March 21 *Amount*: $400 - $3,400

Stan Chambers Journalism Award

Open to seniors that write a 150 word essay about “What Matters Most” in their lives. Apply at [www.ktla.com](http://www.ktla.com). Click on the Stan Chambers Journalism Awards link.

*Deadline:* March 23 *Amount:* $1,000

CIF Scholar-Athlete of The Year Scholarship

Open to seniors with a 3.7 or higher GPA that have shown superior ability in at least 2 years of a varsity sport.

*Deadline:* March 25 *Amount:* $2,000 and a trip to Sacramento

Trenza Scholarship

Open to seniors of Chicana/Latina heritage, planning to attend a 4-year university and have a 2.5 or higher GPA. Info at [www.trenza.org/scholarships](http://www.trenza.org/scholarships)

*Deadline*: March 25 *Amount*: $500

American Academy of Pediatrics Medicine-Biological Sciences Scholarship - **(LOCAL)**

Open to seniors living in San Bernardino Co. planning to enter college to study Medicine or Biological Sciences. There is a strong emphasis on high GPA & SAT scores. I student per high school may apply.

*Deadline:* March 25 *Amount:* $750 - $1,000

Soroptimist International of Chino Hills / Inland Empire **– (LOCAL)**

Open to female graduating seniors with a minimum 2.5 non-weighted GPA.

*Deadline:* March 28 *Amount:* $1,000

National Association of Women in Construction Scholarship

Open to senior females with a 2.6 or higher GPA, planning to obtain a degree in construction or a technical skill related to construction.

*Deadline:* March 28 *Amount:* $250 - $1,000

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Scholarship

Open to African American female seniors with a 3.0 or higher GPA and community service.

*Deadline:* March 28 *Amount:* $1,000

ACSA Region 12 Scholarship Program – Association of California School Administrators

Open to outstanding college bound seniors who are children or grandchildren of ACSA Region 12 members.

*Deadline:* March 30th *Amount:* $1,000

California State University – Dominguez Hills

Must have submitted an application to CSU Dominguez Hills and be involved in school and community activities.

*Deadline:* March 30th *Amount:* up to $4,000 annually

Linda Q. Smith Chess Scholarship – **(LOCAL)**

Open to seniors that have made a significant contribution to the game of chess. Go to www.rycachess.weebly.com

*Deadline:* March 30 *Amount:* $1,000

CSEA Scholarship – California School Employees Association

Open to students whose parents or legal guardians are CSEA members and to members pursuing educational goals. [www.csea.com](http://www.csea.com)

*Deadline:* March 31st *Amount:* $1,000

LULAC (League of United Latin American Citizens) Scholarship

Open to Hispanic seniors that are U.S. citizens planning to enroll in a 2 or 4 year college or vocational school. Information and applications at <http://www.lulac.org/programs/scholar.html>

*Deadline:* March 31 *Amount:* $250 - $1,000

Lagrant Foundation Scholarships

Open to seniors of minority background (Black, Asian, Hispanic, and American Indian) with a 2.5 GPA planning to major in Business, Journalism or Communications. Info at [www.lagrantfoundation.org](http://www.lagrantfoundation.org/)

*Deadline*: March 31 *Amount*: $2,000

Arrowhead Foundation Scholarship Application **(LOCAL)**

Open to college bound seniors living in San Bernardino and Riverside Counties. Must have a minimum 2.5 GPA and have demonstrated community involvement. Apply at <http://www.arrowheadcu.org/index.cfm?Parent=ArrowheadCreditUnion&Category=ArrowheadCommunity&SubCategory=SupportingEducation>

*Deadline*: March 31 *Amount*: Unspecified

College Prowler – Wachovia Monthly Scholarship

Open to seniors that submit an essay that they have written as part of the college application process. Essays should be no longer than 1,000 words. Apply at <http://www.collegeprowler.com/the_scholarship.asp.\>

*Deadline:* End of each month *Amount:* $1,000 + 10 College Prowler books (value $169.50)

Tzu Chi Scholars

Open to all seniors. Based on financial need, academic achievement and community involvement.

Info at: <http://www.us.tzuchi.org>. (Click on Tzu Chi Scholars)

*Deadline:* March 31 *Amount:* $1,000

Questbridge College Prep Scholarship

Open to **juniors** who have demonstrated excellence in the face of economic obstacles. Either the student is the first in the family to attend college or comes from a home where the family income is less than $60,000 annually. Apply at [www.questbridge.org](http://www.questbridge.org).

*Deadline:* March 31 *Amount:* Full tuition, room and board at a private university

National Association of Theatre Owners Scholarship

**Dependents** (dependent applicants must be either a dependent child by birth, marriage, adoption or foster care, or a spouse) of qualifying home office employees or theatre managers (see above for qualifications) of a NATO of CA/NV member theatre company, based in California or Nevada. Go to [www.natocalnev.org/scholarship.html](http://www.natocalnev.org/scholarship.html)

*Deadline*: March – Check for current date *Amount*: Up to $10,000

**APRIL**

Phi Delta Kappa International - Scholarship Grants For Prospective Educators

Open to seniors pursuing careers in the education field. Apply at <http://www.pdkintl.org/awards/pros_eds.htm>

*Deadline*: Various *Amounts*: $1,000 - $5,000

California Chicano News Media Association Scholarship

For students of Latino heritage. Must be a high school senior who will be attending college in the fall. Must have a passion for journalism, dedication to diversity and commitment to quality news coverage of all people. [www.ccnma.org](http://www.ccnma.org)

*Deadline: April 2* *Amount:* $250 - $2000

California Transportation Foundation – check website for various scholarships that you may qualify for. [www.transportationfoundation.org/scholarships](http://www.transportationfoundation.org/scholarships).

*Deadline:* April 1 *Amount:* $300 - $5,000

American Musical and Dramatic Academy - AMDA

Students must audition. Includes acting, singing, dancing. Info at [www.amda.edu](http://www.amda.edu/)

*Deadline*: April 1 *Amount*: $1,000 - $10,000

Los Angeles County Fair Association – Junior Fair Board Scholarship Program **– (LOCAL)**

Open to **sophomores or juniors** with a 3.0 or higher GPA. If selected, the student will serve on the County Fair Board.

*Deadline:* April 8 *Amount:* $1,000, season pass to the Fair & employment opportunity.

Civil Service Employees Insurance Group – Youth Scholarship Program

Applicant’s parent or legal guardian must be currently employed full-time by, or retired from, a government entity (peace officer, firefighter, educator, postal employee, military personnel, federal, state or local government worker). Forms and information can be obtained at

www. cseinsurance.com/scholarship/

*Deadline:* May – Check for current date *Amount:* Varies

California State University, Fullerton Future Scholars Scholarship

Open to seniors planning to attend CSUF. Based upon academic merit and service to community. [www.fullerton.edu/cct](http://www.fullerton.edu/cct)

*Deadline:* April 6th *Amount:* $1,000

Holocaust Remembrance Project Essay Contest

Open to all high school students that write an essay about the Holocaust. Apply at [www.holocaust.hklaw.com](http://www.holocaust.hklaw.com/)

*Deadline*: April 14 *Amount*: $100 - $5,000

SPAACSE George R. Faenza Scholarship

Open to seniors that write an essay about the importance of space exploration.

Applications at: <http://www.spaacse.org/spaacsescholarhs.html>.

*Deadline:* April 15 *Amount:* $1,000

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Scholarship Award

Open to African-American female students planning to attend a historically black four-year university. Must have a 2.5 or higher GPA.

*Deadline*: April 15 *Amounts*: Vary

Positive Choices Scholarship

Open to students that go online at <http://www.positive-choices.org/scholarship.html>

Five (5) randomly selected students will receive a scholarship.

*Deadline*: April 15 *Amount*: $2,000

Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute Scholarship Awards

Open to seniors of Hispanic descent. Apply at <http://www.chci.org/chciyouth/scholarship/scholarshipawards.htm>

*Deadline*: April 15 *Amounts*: $1,000 - $2,500

Hispanic College Fund, Inc.

Open to latino students of Hispanic background with a 3.0 GPA or higher, planning to pursue a career in business. Apply online at [www.hispanicfund.org](http://www.hispanicfund.org) or hsf.net

*Deadline:* April 15th *Amount:* Full tuition and fees

American Legacy Scholarship

Open to high school seniors or high school graduates of military personnel who have died while on active duty since September 11, 2001. Go to [www.legion.org/scholarships/legacy/](http://www.legion.org/scholarships/legacy/) for an application.

*Deadline:* April 15th *Amount:* Varies

American Legion Auxiliary Scholarships

Various scholarships open to seniors that are children of veterans. Info at www.calegionaux.org/scholarships.htm

*Deadlines*: Vary from February 13 to April 15 *Amounts*: Vary from $500 to $2,000

The Soroptimist International of the Chino Valley Scholarship – **(LOCAL)**

An AHS senior will be awarded a scholarship. Judges are looking for complete, well written, legible applications that show financial need, average to above average grades and most importantly, community service involvement.

*Deadline:* April 20 *Amount:* $500

Patrick Kerr Skateboard Scholarship

Open to seniors that are skateboarders. The application requires a short essay on, "How has skateboarding been a positive influence in your life?" Must have a 2.5 or higher GPA. Apply at: <http://www.skateboardscholarship.org/index.html>.

*Deadline:* April 20 *Amounts:* $1,000 to $5,000

Chino Rotary Club Scholarship (Local)

Open to seniors with a 3.0 GPA, shows financial need, and participated in some type of community service.

*Deadline:* April 20th *Amount: $*500 - $1,000

Alexander Hamilton Citizenship Achievement Award

Open to **juniors** and based upon 5 criteria: community service, strong academic studies, self-starter and financial/person need. Applications at [www.hamiltonfriends.org](http://www.hamiltonfriends.org).

*Deadline:* April 21 *Amount:* $500+ Paid week in Hamilton Leadership Academy in Seattle, Washington

Student-View Scholarship

Open to high school seniors that log on to [www.student-view.com](http://www.student-view.com) and complete a 15-20 minute application survey about colleges. Scholarships will be awarded via a random drawing of all applications. The winner will be announced in May.

*Deadline:* April 22 *Amounts:* $500 - $3,000

Taste of the Chino Valley Scholarship – (**LOCAL)**

Open to seniors that are Renaissance Card holders

*Deadline*: April 24th *Amount*: $300

The Fountainhead Essay Contest

Open to **11th & 12th grade students** that write an essay on Ayn Rand’s novel *“The Fountainhead”.*

Details on line at [www.essaycontest.aynrandnovels.com/thefountainhead/](http://www.essaycontest.aynrandnovels.com/thefountainhead/)

*Deadline:* April 25 *Amount:* $50 - $10,000

Rancho del Chino Rotary Club Scholarship – (**LOCAL)**

Awarded to a senior at each of six local high schools in Chino, Chino Hills and Montclair. Based upon financial need, minimum 2.0 GPA, and must exemplify the Rotary motto of “Service Above Self” through community and/or school involvement.

*Deadline:* April 27 *Amount:* $500

National Italian American Foundation (NIAF)

Students must be seniors in high school and must have a t least one ancestor who immigrated from Italy, or enrolled in an Italian Studies or language program. Application opens Nov. 1. Go to www.niaf.org/scholarships/

*Deadline:* check website for current deadline Am*ount:* $2,000 – 12,000

Inland Valley Humane Society and SPCA Student Scholarship **(LOCAL)**

Open to seniors with a 2.5 or higher GPA interested in animal welfare, husbandry, care and human-animal bond.

*Deadline*: April 30 Am*ount*: $1,000

Wells Fargo - College Steps Sweepstakes

Open to high school students who are U.S. citizens. Apply online at <http://www.wfefs.wellsfargo.com>

*Deadline*: April – check for current deadline *Amount*: $1,000

Chino Basin Water Conservation District Grant Awards

Open to seniors that exhibit interest or are pursuing a career in the water resources related fields of study. Must be a U.S. citizen. Info at: [www.cbwcd.org](http://www.cbwcd.org).

*Deadline:* Application period Mar. 12 – May 31 *Amount:* $5,000

College Prowler – Wachovia Monthly Scholarship

Open to seniors that submit an essay that they have written as part of the college application process. Essays should be no longer than 1,000 words. Apply at <http://www.collegeprowler.com/the_scholarship.asp.\>

*Deadline:* End of each month *Amount:* $1,000 + 10 College Prowler books (value $169.50)

**MAY**

Ladies Professional Golf Association Scholarships

Open to senior female golfers. Apply at <http://www.lpgafoundation.org/>

*Deadline:* Various scholarships – check current deadlines *Amounts:* Vary

Chino Valley Woman’s Club Scholarship **(LOCAL)**

Open to all seniors. Based upon student need, community service and GPA.

One senior an AHS will receive this scholarship.

*Deadline:* May 1 *Amount:* $500

Fashion Institute of Design & Merchandising Scholarships

Open to seniors planning to attend FIDM. Apply at <http://www.fidm.com/about/scholarship-competition/index.html>

*Deadline*: May 1 *Amount*: Up to $18,000

Chino American Legion Auxiliary Scholarship **(LOCAL)**

Open to seniors who are the **children or veterans**. $1,000 is to be awarded by local Chino unit. Another $7,500 can be applied for through the Department of Education at: [www.calegionaux.org](http://www.calegionaux.org) (click on scholarships*)*.

*Deadline:* May 1 *Amount:* $1,000 - $7,500

California State University, Fresno – Smithcamp Family Honors Scholarship

Open to seniors planning to attend Cal State, Fresno. Must meet one of 3 criteria: within to 10% of class, minimum GPA of 3.6 or SAT of 1800 or above. Apply at: <http://honors.csufresno.edu>.

*Deadline:* May 1 *Amount:* Full tuition, books & housing

Carbon Canyon Women’s Club Susanne D. Briney Scholarship **– (LOCAL)**

Open to **young women ages 14-17** that have had noteworthy accomplishments as a volunteer.

Contact Angela at (951) 347-4641 or email: [angela926@aol.com](mailto:angela926@aol.com).

*Deadline:* May 1 *Amount:*  3$500 scholarships to be awarded.

Chino Valley Medical Center Scholarship – (**LOCAL)**

Open to seniors planning to enter a health science field such as medicine, nursing, dentistry, physical therapy, etc.

*Deadline*: May 1 *Amount*: $1,000 for first 2 yrs - $2,500 3rd & 4th years

Connecticut School Of Broadcasting Scholarship

Open to **juniors and seniors** that submit an audio or video demo tape that is a demonstration of your on-air potential, your editing and mixing skills, or an idea for a sports or entertainment program. Full rules & an entry form at <http://www.gocsb.com/>. There are CSB campuses in Hollywood and Pomona.

*Deadline:* May 1 *Amount:* Full Tuition

Council of African American Parents Scholarships

Open to seniors of African American background with a minimum 3.0 GPA.

*Deadline*: Check for current deadlines and workshops Am*ount*: $500

Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation

Open to seniors. Based upon GPA – Test Scores – School/Community Involvement and or Athletics. Applications are available in the counseling office or at [www.ecisf.org](http://www.ecisf.org).

*Deadline:*  Various scholarships and deadlines Amou*nts:* $1,000 - $6,000

Apple Scholars Program

Open to **all high school students**. Rewards students who can use technology to solve problems creatively and learn more intuitively. Go to *<http://www.apple.com/education/students/scholars/>*

*Deadline:* May 15 *Amount:* $2,000 and a Mac

**Ayala Counseling Department Scholarship - (Local - AHS)**

**Open to Ayala seniors.**

***Deadline:* May 15th *Amount:* up to $500**

Chaffey College Scholarship – (Local - AHS)

Open to Ayala seniors planning to attend Chaffey Community College. Based on economic need and personal potential. Contact the financial aid office at Chaffey.

*Deadline:* May 15th *Amount:* $500

SunTrust Off To College Scholarship Sweepstakes

Open to seniors that register at https://www.suntrusteducation.com/ScholarshipSweepstakes/

Applications open Sept. 15. One winner is chosen every two weeks from October 26th through May 10th.

*Deadline:* May 10 *Amount:* $1,000

Baldy View ROP Foundation Scholarship – must be high school senior or adult who is a current or former ROP student. Must have a 2.5 GPA and continue their education at an accredited institution of higher learning. Applications are in the Career Center.

*Deadline: May 18 Amount: Up to $1000*

American Musical and Dramatic Academy (New York & Los Angeles)

Students must audition. Includes acting, singing, dancing. Info at [www.amda.edu](http://www.amda.edu/)

*Deadline*: Auditions in LA until May 17th *Amount*: $1,000 - $10,000

T. Cunningham Insurance Agency Scholarship **– (LOCAL)**

Open to seniors with a 3.0 or higher GPA planning to attend a 4 year university. Should have been involved in community service and have demonstrated leadership. Apply online at [http://TcunninghamInsurance.com](http://tcunninghaminsurance.com/)

*Deadline:* May 19 *Amount:* $500

Chino Valley Soroptimist Club Scholarship (LOCAL)

Open to graduating seniors with financial need and in good standing with a minimum GPA of “C”.

*Deadline:* May 4th *Amount:* $500

Louie Zorrilla, Sr. Memorial / Chino Hills Junior All-American Football and Cheer Scholarship **(LOCAL)**

Open to seniors that have participated in CHJAAF a minimum of 2 full seasons as a football player or cheerleader. Must have a 3.0 or higher GPA. Must have taken the ACT or SAT exam. Applications at: [www.chjaaf.org](http://www.chjaaf.org)

*Deadline:* May 9th *Amount:* $1,000 - $2,500

Scholarship Quest Essay Competition

**Open to students - age16 or older.** Student writes an essay of less than 1000 words about one of two topic questions. Info at: <http://www.scholarshipquesthelper.com/>. (Click on Scholarships)

*Deadline:* May 30 *Amount:* $1,000

Cappex –Scholarships

Open to seniors and based upon extracurricular, leadership and volunteer activities*.* Apply at: http://www.cappex.com/scholarships

D*eadline:* Various *Amount:* $1,000

Chino Basin Water Conservation District Grants – **(LOCAL)**

Open to seniors that demonstrate commitment to the field of water resources by pursuing a degree related to, or identified with water. This might include various areas of study such as environmental science, agriculture, plant, soil & water and other engineering fields - Also, public administration & planning. Apply at: [www.cbwcd.org](http://www.cbwcd.org).

*Deadline:* May 31 *Amount:* $5,000

The Tylenol Future Cares Scholarship

Students pursuing a health-related career may apply for a grant online at [www.tylenol.com](http://www.tylenol.com)

*Deadline:* May 31st *Amount:* $1,000 or $10,000

College Prowler – Wachovia Monthly Scholarship

Open to seniors that submit an essay that they have written as part of the college application process. Essays should be no longer than 1,000 words. Apply at <http://www.collegeprowler.com/the_scholarship.asp.\>

*Deadline:* End of each month *Amount:* $1,000 + 10 College Prowler books (value $169.50)

**JUNE**

 Professional Golfer’s Association Scholarships

5 different scholarships open to seniors. Based upon character, leadership outstanding academics as well as extra-curricular activities. Active golf participation not mandatory but preferred. Application available on-line at [www.scpga.com](http://www.scpga.com/) (click on Junior Golf).

*Deadline*: June 1 *Amount*: $500 - $1,500

Imagine America Scholarships - **(LOCAL)**

Three $1,000 scholarships will be awarded to one of 325 private career colleges. Info at <http://www.imagine-america.org/>

*Deadline*: June 1 *Amount*: $1,000

International Air and Hospitality Academy Scholarships

Open to seniors planning a professional career in the Airline/Travel Industry. Info at <http://www.aha.edu/scholarships.php>

*Deadline*: June 1 *Amount*: $250 - $1,000

Take 5 Scholarship

Open to all High School students that visit the website and register. Apply at: <https://www.key.com/gen/html/LP-take506.html>

*Deadline:* June 1 *Amount:* $5,000

International Air Academy

Ayala may nominate three people planning to attend International Air Academy. For information go to [www.airacademy.com](http://www.airacademy.com)

*Deadline:* June 1st *Amount: $*1000

American Sewing Guild Scholarship

To students pursuing fashion design and or educator careers in the sewing industry.

*Deadline:* June 1st *Amount:* $100 - $500

The Sport Foundation Scholarships

Open to seniors with high academics, sports involvement, and who have an interest in sports medicine. Apply at <http://sportfoundation.org/schol.html>

*Deadline*: June 8 *Amounts*: Vary

SPAACSE Liliane Webb Art Scholarship

Open to seniors that submit an original 2-D artwork to express the beauty and inspiration of space flight and our universe.

Applications at: <http://www.spaacse.org/spaacsescholarhs.html>.

*Deadline:* June 10 *Amount:* unspecified

Montgomery G.I. Bill and Educational Benefits

Provides money for college in return for services to the U.S. Armed Forces. Info at <http://www.gibill.com/gibill.cfm>

*Deadline*: June 16 *Amount*: $14,000

A&F Scholarships

Open to **11th & 12th grade** students that submit a 1000 word essay on one of two topics.

Information and essay topics at: [www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm](http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm).

*Deadline:* June 20 *Amount:* $1,000

BigSun Athletic Scholarship

Open to senior athletes regardless of the sport they are engaged in. Student will send in a short (500 words or less) essay describing why they should be given the award. Details at: <http://www.bigsunathletics.com/>.

*Deadline:* June 20 *Amount:* $500

CAPPS (Calif. Assoc. of Private Secondary Schools) Scholarship Program

Open to seniors planning to attend one of several listed vocational colleges. Applications at: <http://cappsonline.org/scholarship.shtml>

*Deadline*: June 30 *Amounts*: $1,000 - $20,000

Salvadorian American Leadership & Educational Fund “Fulfilling Our Dreams” Scholarships

Open to **Latino seniors** with a minimum 2.5 GPA. Applicants should have a history of community involvement. Students must demonstrate financial need. Information and applications at: <http://www.salef.org/Schoarships.html>

*Deadline:* June 30 *Amount: varies*

AnyCollege.Net Scholarship

Open to seniors that enter the drawing via the web site <https://www.anycollege.net/scholarship.cfm>

*Deadline:* June 30 *Amount:* $1,000

CollegeView Scholarship Drawing

Open to **any student** that registers for the Collegeview service. Register at [http://www.collegeview.com](http://www.collegeview.com/)

*Deadline:* June 30 *Amount:* $2,000

College Prowler – Wachovia Monthly Scholarship

Open to seniors that submit an essay that they have written as part of the college application process. Essays should be no longer than 1,000 words. Apply at <http://www.collegeprowler.com/the_scholarship.asp.\>

*Deadline:* End of each month *Amount:* $1,000 + 10 College Prowler books (value $169.50)

nextSTEP Magazine Scholarship Giveaway

Open to all high school students that register at http://www.nextstepu.com

*Deadline:* July 2 *Amount:* Up to $10,000

**JULY**

Asian American Journalists Association Scholarship

Open to Asian seniors planning to major in journalism in college.

*Deadline:* July 11 *Amount:* $1,500 - $3,000

Presidential Freedom Scholarships – Juniors or seniors with at least 100 hours of community service may apply. Apply at [www.cns.gov/scholarships](http://www.cns.gov/scholarships)

*Deadline:* July 1st *Amount:* varies

SPAACSE Galaxy Music Scholarship

Open to seniors that submit a 4-6 minute original work of space music.

Apply at: <http://www.spaacse.org/spaacsescholarhs.html>.

*Deadline:* July 13 *Amount:* $1,000

College Toolkit Scholarship

Open to seniors that submit their college entrance essay or compose an essay on “Why do you want to go to college”. Student then get their friends to vote for them by visiting the website. The student with the most votes will win the scholarship. Apply at: <http://www.collegetoolkit.com/ScholarshipContest/Contest.aspx>

*Deadlines:* July 31 & Sept. 30 *Amount:* $10,000

**AUGUST**

eCampusTours.com Scholarship Giveaway

Open to seniors that visit the web site and enter the sweepstakes at:

<http://www.ecampustours.com/payingcollege/scholarships/winscholarship.htm>

*Deadline:* August 1  *Amount:* $1,000

EdFinancial Services Scholarship Giveaway

Open to seniors that visit the web site and enter the sweepstakes at:

<http://www.edfinancial.com/giveaway/rules.aspx>

*Deadline:* August 1  *Amount:* $1,000

Bank of America Financial Aid Sweepstakes

Open to seniors that enter the sweepstakes at <https://www.bankofamerica.com/studentbanking/index.cfm?template=stb_sweepstakes_ov.cfm>

*Deadline:* August 5  *Amount:* $1,000

University of California, Berkeley Chapter of Delta Upsilon Charlie Cords Memorial Scholarship

Open to male seniors planning to attend UC Berkeley. You do not have to pledge a fraternity to receive the scholarship. Apply online at: <http://www.ducalifornia.org/scholarships/>

*Deadline:* August 15 *Amount:* $2,000

**THE FOLLOWING SCHOLARSHIPS ARE BASED UPON SCHOOL NOMINATIONS, TEST SCORES, CLUB MEMBERSHIP, OR ACADEMIC RANKING. IF A STUDENT IS INTERESTED IN ANY OF THE SCHOLARSHIPS BELOW, PLEASE FILL OUT A SCHOLARSHIP REQUEST FORM ALSO.**

**OCTOBER**

National Association of Secondary School Principal’s Prudential Spirit of Community Award

Based on school leadership. Two AHS students may be nominated by the school principal.

*Deadline*: October 31 *Amount*: $1,000 - $6,000

**DECEMBER**

Principal’s Leadership Award

Ayala High can nominate one senior, based upon outstanding school - community leadership. The student must been ranked in the top 20% of their class academically.

*Deadline:* December 3 *Amount:* $1,000

Burger King/or Clamore North American Scholarship Program

Ayala High can nominate 2 seniors (one girl, one boy) who: have a 2.5 – 3.5 GPA, work part time, have community service or co-curricular activities, demonstrate financial need.

*Deadline*: December 15 *Amount*: $1,000

***Additional Scholarship Information***

**JANUARY**

Toyota Community Scholars Program

Ayala High can nominate two seniors. Based upon high academic performance and community service. Information at: [www.toyota.com/communityscholars](http://www.toyota.com/communityscholars).

*Deadline:* January 4 *Amount:* $10,000 - $20,000

**FEBRUARY**

Bank Of America Achievement Awards

Selection based upon academic excellence in particular subject areas. Nominated by AHS Department Chairs. Applications will be given to 4 seniors that are nominated.

*Deadline*: February 1 *Amount*: $500 -$1,000

**APRIL**

Robert C. Byrd Scholarship

The school nominates two seniors with the highest GPA & SAT scores.

*Deadline*: April 27 *Amount*: $1,000

**THE FOLLOWING STATE GRANTS, LOANS & PROGRAMS ARE APPLIED FOR BY FILING A FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID.**

**Apply at:** [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/)

**after January 1st and before March 2nd.**

Link to help in filling out the FAFSA: <http://studentaid.ed.gov/students/publications/completing_fafsa/index.html>

Cal Grant A

Helps low- and middle-income students with tuition/fee costs up to $8,322 at Independent schools, up to $5,682 at UC schools, up to $2,332 at Cal. State schools. For AA or Baccalaureate programs only.

Cal Grant B

For students from lower income families. Eligibility up to 4 years of full time study. Available for AA, Bachelors or Certificate Programs.

Freshman year = $1,551 (access costs). Additional years = $1,551 + tuition and/or fees.

(Tuition and /or fees not available at a community college).

Cal Grant C

Helps vocational school students with tuition and training costs. Eligibility for up to 2 years of full time study. Vocational/technical program at least 4 months in length. Supplemental application required. $2,592 for tuition and up to $576 for book and supplies.

State Work-Study Program

Schools provide educationally beneficial jobs to eligible students to help defray their educational expenses

More info at:

<http://www.csac.ca.gov/doc.asp?id=105>

Pell Grant

Awarded to students demonstrating financial need

Up to approximately $4,000

Perkins Loan

A low interest loan

Up to approximately $4,000 loan

In addition, college financial aid offices can be contacted for information on how to apply for student loans or grants such as:

Stafford Student Loans – Parent Loans For Student – Consolidation Loan Program – Educational Opportunity Program – Community College Aid – Disabled Student Grants – Aid for American Indian – Aid to Families with Dependent Children – Private Scholarships specifically for that particular institution.

Link to Expected Family Contribution Estimator:

<https://www.collegedata.com/cs/promo/promo_efc_tmpl.jhtml>

College Cost Estimator:

<https://www.collegedata.com/cs/promo/promo_netcost_tmpl.jhtml>

**If you don’t have computer access at home, you can use the computers at AHS library or Career Center**

**Many colleges have guaranteed scholarships based upon GPA & SAT scores. Check with the colleges you are applying to about this. Here are some:**

***Guaranteed Scholarships in California***

**University of Redlands** – Awards $1,500 to any first year student with a 3.5 GPA and 1100 SAT or 23 ACT.

**Saint Mary’s College** – Awards $2,000 to admitted students with a GPA of 3.7 and 1200 SAT or 27 ACT.

**Harvey Mudd College** – Awards $5,000 per year for 4 years to students who meet all 5 of the following criteria:

SAT verbal of 700 + - SAT II writing of 700 + - SAT math score of 750 +

SAT II math2C score of 750 + - HS class rank in the top 10%

**Dominican University** – Awards $11,500 annually to students with a least a 3.6 GPA and 1200 SAT. Or if the student is from a traditionally under-represented group: at least a 3.2 GPA and 920 SAT.

**Claremont-McKenna** – Matches full Army ROTC scholarship awards with a grant covering full room & board.

**California Baptist University** – Awards up to full tuition to student with a 3.75 GPA and 21ACT or 1020 SAT scores. Up to $2,000 per year to students with a 3.5 GPA and 21 ACT or 1020 SAT. Up to $1,000 to students with a GPA of 3.0 to 3.49. Up to $3,000 to students with a GPA of 3.5 to 4.0.

**University of La Verne –** Awards up to $12,000 per year to students with high GPA’s and test scores.

**Other Scholarship Links:**

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

<http://www.princetonreview.com/college/finance/>

<http://apps.collegeboard.com/cbsearch_ss/welcome.jsp>

[www.supercollege.com](http://www.supercollege.com/)[www.wiredscholar.com](http://www.wiredscholar.com/)

<http://www.collegeanswer.com/paying/scholarship_search/pay_scholarship_search.jsp>

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

<http://scholarships.salliemae.com/>

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

[http://www.scholarships4college.com](http://www.scholarships4college.com/)

<http://www.nextstepmag.com/nsmpages/home.aspx>

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

<http://www.search4careercolleges.com/scholarships.asp>

<http://mach25.collegenet.com/cgi-bin/M25/index>

<http://fundsnetservices.com/finaid06.htm>

<http://www.srnexpress.com/index.cfm>

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

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

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

<http://www.educationstart.org/edu/scholarship-portal>

<http://www.nursingschoolscholarships.org/rnscholarships.com>

<http://www.businessschoolscholarships.net>

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

<http://www.petersons.com>

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

<http://collegeprowler.com/scholarships>

<http://www.scholarshipscollege.com>

<http://www.hrsa.gov/loanscholarships/scholarships/nursing/eligibility.html>

Culinary Scholarships:

<http://www.cookingschools.com/articles/scholarships/>

<http://chef2chef.net/culinary-institute/scholarship-grant/>

<http://www.starchefs.com/cooking_school_finder/html/scholarship.php>

<http://www.artinstitutes.edu/btc/?WT.srch=1&WT.mc_id=492538&IQ_ID=492538>

Government Scholarships:

<http://students.gov/STUGOVWebApp/index.jsp>

<http://www.govbenefits.gov/govbenefits_en.portal>

Military Scholarships:

<http://www.todaysmilitary.com/app/tm/get/collegehelp/support>

<http://aid.military.com/scholarship/search-for-scholarships.do?ESRC=ov_edu_sch_opt.kw>

Minority Scholarships:

<http://scholarships.fatomei.com/scholar3.html>

<http://www.minorityprofessionalnetwork.com/Student.asp>

African American Scholarships:

<http://free-4u.com/african.htm>

<http://www.jackierobinson.org/>

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

Asian American Scholarships:

<http://www.apiasf.org/>

<http://www.aaja.org/programs/for_students/scholarships/>

Native American Scholarships:

[http://www.oiep.bia.edu](http://www.oiep.bia.edu/)

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

Hispanic Scholarships:

<http://www.latinocollegedollars.org/>

<http://www.chci.org/chciyouth/scholarship/scholarship.htm>

[http://www.hsf.net](http://www.hsf.net/)

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

<http://www.maldef.org/pdf/Scholarships.pdf>

Blind / Visually Impaired Student Scholarships:

<http://www.nfb.org/nfb/scholarship_program.asp?SnID=243940649>

<http://www.ccbnet.org/scholar.htm>

<http://www.bva.org/services.html>

<http://www.parentsinc.org/finaid/aid7306.html>

<http://www.jgb.org/guildscholar.asp>

Deaf / Hard of Hearing Scholarships:

<http://www.agbell.org/DesktopDefault.aspx?p=College_Scholarship_Awards>

<http://www.sertoma.org/%5EScholarships/Scholarships.htm>

<http://www.parentsinc.org/finaid/aid7321.html>

Disabled Student Scholarships:

<http://www.scholarshipprograms.org/bankofamerica.html>

<http://www.ela.org/scholarships/scholarships.html>

<http://www.finaid.org/otheraid/disabled.phtml>

<http://www.parentsinc.org/finaid/aid7330.html>

<http://www.vsarts.org/x21.xml>

[http://www.heath.gwu.edu](http://www.heath.gwu.edu/)

Students with Multiple Sclerosis Scholarships:

<http://www.parentsinc.org/finaid/aid6233.html>

Asthmatic Student Scholarships:

<http://www.aaaai.org/members/associates/asthmascholarship/default.stm>

<http://www.parentsinc.org/finaid/aid7304.html>

Epileptic Student Scholarships:

<http://www.parentsinc.org/finaid/aid7352.html>

Diabetic Student Scholarships:

<http://www.parentsinc.org/finaid/aid7321.html>

Amputee Student Scholarships:

<http://www.parentsinc.org/finaid/aid7324.html>

Foster Youth Grants:

<https://www.chafee.csac.ca.gov/default.asp>

[http://www.fosteryouthhelp.ca.gov](http://www.fosteryouthhelp.ca.gov/)

Athletic Scholarships:

<http://www.ncaa.org/about/scholarships.html>

Nursing Scholarships:

<http://www.discovernursing.com/scholarship_search.aspx>

<http://bhpr.hrsa.gov/nursing/scholarship/default.htm>

<http://www.nursingsociety.org/career/scholarships_opps.html>

<http://www.nursingschoolscholarships.org/rnscholarships.com>

Aeronautics Scholarships:

<http://www.planeandpilotmag.com/content/scholar.html>

<http://www.aeroclubsocal.org/aeroclub_about.html#scholarships>

<http://www.ninety-nines.org/scholar.html>

<http://www.ninety-nines.org/aemsf.html>

International Scholarships:

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

Merit scholarships:

<http://www.meritmoney.com/>

Union scholarships database:

<http://66.109.241.150/unionplus/scholarship.html>

Loans:

[www.loans4students.com](http://www.loans4students.com/)

College Tuition Tax Breaks:

<http://www.smartmoney.com/college/investing/index.cfm?story=supertable2>

<http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p970.pdf>

Community College Scholarships:

<http://www.icanaffordcollege.com/applications/homepage.cfm>