

Scholarship Bulletin

Below is a list of current and upcoming scholarship opportunities. Scholarship opportunities at individual colleges or universities may not be posted; please check with financial aid representatives at the college or university of your choice. The Scholarship Bulletin will be updated as counselors receive information for the current year. Some of the scholarship applications are available online and others will be available in the Guidance and Counseling Center. Please note that if 'TBA' appears in the deadline column, the information is incomplete and not available at this time. Please check the individual scholarship information for application availability. **REMINDER: Scholarship applications that need counselor attention MUST be turned in to the counselor ONE WEEK before the deadline.** Other scholarships may have earlier deadlines due to the selection committee process. Scholarships are displayed by Deadline. New scholarship information is highlighted in yellow.

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| Scholarship | Criteria | Amount | Deadline | Contact |
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| NFIB: Young Entrepreneur Award | Graduating senior that owns and operates their own small business | \$1,000 - \$10,000 | 12/15/11 | http://www.nfib.com/yef/yef-programs/young-entrepreneur-awards |
| Conservation Foundation of Missouri: Natural Resource Scholarships | Missouri resident enrolling as an undergraduate at a Missouri college in one of five disciplines of study (see application); preference given to those with financial need | \$1,000 | 12/31/11 | http://www.swcs.missouri.edu/Scholarships/CFM/CFMO_scholarship.pdf |
| ScholarshipExperts.com: "I Was Born In 1994" Scholarship | Born in 1994; legal resident of US; enrolling in accredited post-secondary institution; 250 essay | \$1,994 | 12/31/11 | http://www.scholarshipexperts.com/apply.htx |
| ScholarshipExperts.com: "I Was Born In 1995" Scholarship | Born in 1995; legal resident of US; enrolling in accredited post-secondary institution; 250 essay | \$1,995 | 12/31/11 | http://www.scholarshipexperts.com/apply.htx |
| ScholarshipExperts.com: "I Was Born In 1996" Scholarship | Born in 1996; legal resident of US; enrolling in accredited post-secondary institution; 250 essay | \$1,996 | 12/31/11 | http://www.scholarshipexperts.com/apply.htx |
| ScholarshipExperts.com: Top Ten List Scholarship 2011 | Legal resident; enrolling in accredited post-secondary institution; complete scholarship search profile; 250 word essay | \$1,000 | 12/31/11 | http://www.scholarshipexperts.com/apply.htx |
| John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest | High School student; original essay describing an act of political courage by a US elected official after 1956; teacher nomination | First Place: \$10,000 Second Place: \$1,000 5 Finalists: \$500 each | 1/7/12 | http://www.ifklibrary.org/Education/Profile-in-Courage-Essay-Contest.aspx |
| Burger King: BK Scholars | High school senior, Burger King employee or child of employee | \$1,000 - \$50,000 | 1/10/12 | http://www.haveityourwayfoundation.org/bksp_scholarship_eligibility.html |
| Gates Millennium Scholars Program | African-American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian Pacific Islander or Hispanic-American; 3.3 GPA | Varies | 1/11/12 | www.gmsp.org |
| University of Missouri: George C Brooks Scholarship | African-American, Hispanic, or Native American; ACT of 25 or higher; 1-page essay; interview; MU application submitted by 1/1/12 | \$7,500 | 1/13/12 | Brian Hamilton: 573.882.0101 or BrooksAwards@missouri.edu |

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| Mensa Education and Research Foundation Scholarship | Graduating senior, attending accredited American institute of post-secondary education, resident of the area of a local American Mensa group | \$300 - \$1,000 | 1/15/12 | http://www.mensafoundation.org/scholarships |
| NHS Scholarship Program | HS senior nominated by their National Honor Society chapter | \$10,000 | 1/20/12 | http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship.php |
| K-State University: Acacia Leadership Scholarship | Incoming male freshman at the Manhattan Campus of Kansas State University; display excellence in academics, motivation for personal success, and an interest in studying principles of leadership | \$500 - \$1,000 | 1/26/12 | http://kstateacacia.acaciacconnect.org/page.php?pageid=11 |
| Missouri Sheriffs' Assn: John Dennis Scholarship | College-bound HS senior pursuing criminal justice career, 2.0 GPA | \$1,000 (16) | 1/31/12 | https://www.mosheriffs.com/scholarship_info.php?id=12 |
| AXA Achievement Scholarship | see website | \$2,000 - \$20,000 | 2/1/12 | www.axa-achievement.com |
| Davidson Fellows Scholarships | Age 18 or younger as of 10/4 and a US Citizen | \$50,000 | 2/1/12 | http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship.php |
| ESA Foundation | see website | varies | 2/1/12 | http://www.epsilonsigmaalpha.org/esa-foundation |
| James L and Nellie M Westlake Scholarship Program | Graduating senior planning to enroll in a 4-year college, 2.5 GPA, family adjusted gross income <\$50,000 | Full tuition, plus up to \$2,000 for books, fees and supplies | 2/1/12 | http://sms.scholarshipamerica.org/westlake |
| University of Missouri: Ponder Minority Scholarship | Minority student pursuing a business degree; 3.0 GPA | \$5,000 | 2/1/12 | http://business.missouri.edu/1656/default.aspx |
| University of Missouri: Robert J Trulaske, Sr Scholarship in Business | Students pursuing business degree; preference given to children of True Mfg Co; financial need | \$9,500 | 2/1/12 | http://business.missouri.edu/1656/default.aspx |
| University of Missouri: Sam M Walton Scholarship in Retail | Students majoring in economics, finance, international business, management or marketing; part-time employment in retail; participation in Walton Scholar activities | \$8,000 | 2/1/12 | http://business.missouri.edu/1656/default.aspx |
| Daughters of the American Revolution: Caroline E. Holt Nursing Scholarship | Financial need, accepted/enrolled in accredited school of nursing | \$1,000 | 2/15/12 | http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm |
| Daughters of the American Revolution: Dr. Aura-Lee A. and James Hobbs Pittenger American History Scholarship | Graduating HS senior pursuing undergraduate degree with 24 hours in American History and American Government | \$2,000 | 2/15/12 | http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm |
| Daughters of the American Revolution: Lucinda Beneventi Findley History Scholarship | Graduating HS senior, history major, 3.25 GPA | \$2,000 | 2/15/12 | http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm |
| Focus Foundation Scholarship | High school senior, resident of SW Missouri, gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgendered or the child of such | \$500 - \$2,000 | 2/15/12 | http://www.focus-inc.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=57:infoscholarship&catid=35:infoscholarship&Itemid=69 |
| Mediacom World Class Scholarship | Graduating high school senior living in the North Central Division of Mediacom; leadership essay | \$1,000 | 2/15/12 | www.mediacomworldclass.com |

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| Missouri PTA: Teacher Education Scholarship | Student committed to attaining an education degree and certification to teach in a Missouri public school | \$500 | 2/15/12 | Application available in Counseling Office |
| SCAD Distinguished Scholars Award | 1220 SAT or 27 ACT, 3.75 GPA, Outstanding visual arts, performing arts, writing or riding capabilities, honors and awards from competitions or other recognition, leadership skills, nomination by teacher or counselor | \$20,000 | 2/15/12 | Information available in Counseling Office |
| Springfield Area Legal Support Professionals Scholarship | B average, top 25% of graduating class, and an interest in the legal profession | \$400 | 2/24/12 | Application available in Counseling Office |
| Northwest Missouri State University: STEM Scholars | Students interested in Computer Science degree | \$4,500/year | 2/28/12 | http://www.nwmissouri.edu/dept/csis/stemsscholars.htm |
| Educational Community Credit Union: CU Succeed Scholarship | ECCU member, 2012 graduate | \$1,000 | 2/29/12 | http://www.educationalccu.org/promos/2012ScholarshipPosterApp.pdf |
| The Grand Scholarship | Application, on-site debates, and participation during the week | \$10,000 | 3/1/12 | http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship.php |
| Charter Communications Student Scholarship Program | Graduating senior, resident of Missouri within Charter's service area, majoring in a field with relevance to Charter (accounting, business admin, business mgt, communications, computer tech, engineering, marketing) | \$1,000 | 3/30/12 | http://www.chartertv.com/Scholarship%20PDF/Charter%20Student%20Scholarship.pdf |
| Odenza marketing Award | Age between 16 & 25 on 3/30/12, essay question answers | \$500 | 3/30/12 | http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship.php |
| US Bank Scholarship Program | High school senior | \$1,000 | 3/31/12 | http://www.usbank.com/student-lending/scholarship.html?ecid=EM_1443&WT.mc_id=r1443&original_ref= |
| Truman State University: Community/Junior College Honorary Scholarship | Associate of Arts degree or 60 transferable hours; 3.5 GPA; strong leadership and extra-curricular involvement | Varies | 4/1/12 | http://admissions.truman.edu/transfer/scholarships.asp#auto |
| Daughters of the American Revolution: Margaret Howard Hamilton Scholarship | Graduating HS senior accepted to Harvey & Bernice Jones Learning Center, University of the Ozarks, learning disabled | \$1,000 | 4/15/12 | http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm |
| Regency Beauty Scholarship | HS senior planning to attend Regency Beauty Institute | \$5,000 | 4/20/12 | www.regencybeauty.com/offer/scholarship |
| Healthy Lifestyles Scholarship | Age under 25 at 5/30/12, high school senior or college freshman | \$5,000 | 5/30/12 | http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship.php |
| Vancouver Restaurant Scholarship | Age between 15 & 21 on 5/30/12, full time student in 2012, essay question | \$500 | 5/30/12 | http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship.php |
| Big Dip Scholarship | High school senior entering college in 2012, essay | \$3,000 | 6/1/12 | http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship.php |
| Boys & Girls Clubs of Springfield: Hoffman Scholarship | Current or past member of Boys & Girls Club | Varies | 6/1/12 | http://www.bgclubspringfield.org/programs/college-scholarships/ |

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| Man Mac Automatic Scholarship | Be enrolled or expect to be enrolled in an undergraduate program by Fall 2012, in Canada or USA | \$500 | 6/15/12 | http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship.php |
| BBG Communications Scholarship | Between ages 16-21 on 6/30/12, essay questions | \$1,000 | 6/30/12 | http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship.php |
| NROTC Marine Corps Option | Age 17-23, meet USMC physical standards, qualifying score on ACT or SAT | Full tuition | see website | http://officer.marines.com/marine/making_marine_officers/commisioning_programs/nrotc |
| A+ Scholarships & Awards | see Parkview A+ Office | varies | varies | http://sps.k12.mo.us/phs/information/a+/documents/EligibleAplusInstitutions.pdf |