

PUTNAM CITY HIGH SCHOOL

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Scholarship Listings

2017 - 2018

What is a scholarship?

A scholarship is a financial merit-based award that a student must apply for. Awards may include housing allowances, course materials, tuition assistance, or learning aides such as laptops. Other awards may just cover part of the tuition cost. This is dependent on the terms and conditions of the scholarship itself and what it offers. Scholarships may be a one-time cash award, or a recurring award lasting for an academic year or for the duration of your degree course. However, it will always have conditions attached, and this will most likely relate to your grade point average.¹

Why apply for scholarships?

You may feel like it isn't worth it to apply for scholarship awards because of how competitive many of them are. But someone has to win, so why shouldn't it be you? Landing an award isn't easy but there are ways to improve your chances, especially if the scholarship you find is focused on criteria specific to your student profile. One of the most important steps once you find an award that interests you is to read the directions (pay attention especially to deadlines), qualifications (if you don't meet the criteria exactly, don't apply) and fine print carefully (an award you have to pay for to receive could be a scam). Attention to detail will also keep you from making minor mistakes that will send your application to the bottom of the judges' pile. Remember that there are scholarship opportunities out there for everyone, even if your strengths have nothing to do with academics.²

When should I apply?

According to the National Scholarship Database, nearly 60 percent of scholarship deadlines fall between the months of February and April, but we have many scholarship deadlines at the beginning of the school year. Students should always submit their scholarship information before the application deadline. Many organizations will not even glance at late arrivals when determining recipients of scholarship awards, so you could be out of luck if you're even a day late. Some applications may require you to put in some time but once you've completed an application or two, you might find it will get easier and take less time with each additional application. You may even find that you're able to use components of some applications for other scholarships, such as essays or personal statements.

How do I set my scholarship application apart?

Scholarship competitions receive applications from numerous deserving students each year. With so many students who deserve an award, how do they choose just one or a few winners? Perhaps the most basic scholarship application strategy is to apply for scholarships you have the best chance of winning. While this seems obvious enough on the surface, figuring out what these scholarships are does require some thought. After you've finished your scholarship search, you can begin narrowing down the list to awards you think you have the best chance of winning. Perhaps you're an excellent writer, you've had a truly unique experience, or you are fascinated with the subject of a scholarship competition. Whatever the reason, there are likely to be scholarships that stand out as awards for things you can do, and do well.

Beyond deciding which scholarships to apply for, you should play to your strengths in constructing your scholarship application. Everything you put in your application should be designed to highlight your strengths, including the materials written by someone else. For example, if you need a letter of recommendation, ask someone who knows you well and can speak to your strengths, rather than someone with an impressive title or a friendly attitude that may not be able to go into the level of detail that scholarship providers would like to see.

A large part of your time and energy when applying for scholarships will be devoted to writing scholarship essays. Many scholarship applications require at least one essay and a large number of scholarship reviewers will rely heavily on the essay in choosing a scholarship winner. There are things you can do to write effective scholarship essays that save you time and highlight your strengths as an applicant. By learning about your audience and what they want (one way to do this is by reading about the scholarship contest's mission and reading previous years' winning essays), you can better tailor your scholarship application to their needs. This will immediately set you apart from the students who didn't bother to figure out exactly where they were submitting their scholarship application. And before submitting your essay, have someone proofread it and offer suggestions for improvement.

The most useful, and often overlooked, scholarship application strategy is paying attention to details. From making note of scholarship application deadlines to getting organized to formatting essays, paying attention to details can make the difference between winning a scholarship and finding your essay at the top of the reject pile. Be sure to always follow the rules, no matter how tiny or arbitrary, and to observe appropriate scholarship application etiquette. Taking these steps will ensure that it's the substance of your scholarship application that stands out, not the errors in its presentation.³

¹ "An Introduction to Scholarships." <http://onlinelearningarticles.com/introduction-scholarships/>. 9 March 2011.

² "Scholarship Information." www.scholarships.com. 9 March 2011.

³ "Scholarship Application Strategies." www.scholarships.com. 9 March 2011.

Some Helpful Scholarship Tips

- Contact the colleges for scholarship information and applications if they are not included in the student application for admission packet.
- Ask your teachers about scholarship opportunities in their area of expertise such as music, art, or writing.
- Watch the newspapers for scholarship announcements and scholarships sponsored by groups in the community.
- Have your parents ask their employers if any company-sponsored scholarships are available for employees' children.
- Often, colleges combine their application for admission with their scholarship applications. You may be asked to answer essay questions for scholarship consideration. Take your time and do your best on these essay questions.
- **WATCH THE DEADLINES!**
- Avoid mistakes on scholarship essays and applications. Always spell-check, proofread, and allow one other person to proofread your scholarship applications and essay for errors. Your English teachers are good resources for this step.
- Apply for scholarships that may be local or those for small amounts. Even small scholarships can add up.
- Use multiple resources for scholarship information. Many scholarships offered in the free scholarship searches online are nationally known and are harder to win due to greater competition. Local and regional scholarships are not found as easily through an online search, although they may be easier to win because the applicant pool is smaller. You have to use a combination of resources to find as many scholarships to apply for as possible.
- In most cases scholarship decisions are based on a variety of criteria. These are a few of the most often used:
 - Grade point average
 - Percentile rank
 - Class Rank
 - ACT or SAT test score
 - Extracurricular activities
 - Community Service
 - Leadership
 - Letters of recommendation
 - Interviews
 - Personal statement or essay
 - Financial need

FREE SCHOLARSHIP AND GRANT INFORMATION ON THE WEB

Type "scholarship" into a Google search engine and you will get over 141,000,000 results. These are free resources. **Never** pay for scholarship searches or auto-completers. Most sites will do the searches for you and all you will need to do is fill in a few forms.

www.okhighered.org – Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education. This site provides the information on starting your college search and funding your education in Oklahoma, with links to many other web pages, as well as information on all Oklahoma State Colleges and Universities.

www.fastweb.com – One of the largest free scholarship searches on the web. Database includes information on 180,000 scholarships, grants, fellowships and loans for college students living in the United States. Also includes general information about Federal Student Aid and extended information on the following programs:

www.finaid.org - (NASFAA) The Financial Aid Information Page

www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/index.html - United States Office of Post Secondary Education

www.salliemae.com – Provider of funding for Higher Education Loans

www.rspfunding.com – Reference Service Press provides information on collecting, organizing and disseminating current and accurate information available on scholarships, fellowships, loans, grants, awards, internships and other types of funding opportunities. Also provides a list of hotline numbers.

www.ftc.gov/scholarshipscams - Warnings about scholarship scams

www.okcollegestart.org – Comprehensive site for information about post-high school options in Oklahoma including college sorts, financial aid, careers, applications, and test prep.

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college> - Easy to navigate site with lots of good resources.

Online Scholarship Search

www.fastweb.com

www.collegequest.com

www.collegexpress.com

www.collegenet.com

www.okcis.intocareers.org

www.scholarships.com

www.christianconnector.com

www.meritaid.com

www.schoolsoup.com

www.cappex.com

www.finaid.org

www.collegegold.com

www.dosomething.org

www.studentscholarships.org

SENIOR SCHOLARSHIPS
JAN/FEB/MAR/APR/MAY/JUNE 2018

The following scholarships are usually offered each year. Remember that scholarship deadlines vary from year to year. Be sure to check for applications early since some might be due at the beginning of the month or may have changed their due date from the previous year. If the web site is not working Google the scholarship name.

Open all year

Scott & Kim Verplank Foundation – Childhood diagnosis of Type I Diabetes. Successfully managing diabetes with proper medication, exercise and diet. Commitment to participating in athletics by participating on an organized team. GPA 3.0 or higher. \$10,000 (New scholarship opens 11-1-15 <http://verplankfoundation.com/scholarships>)

Multiple Scholarships

Approximately 70-100 scholarships are available through the Oklahoma City Community Foundation. A **General Application** (which requires a resume and picture) must be completed before the student will have access to the scholarships. All scholarships have different eligibility requirements and deadlines. Go to <http://occf.org> See Mrs. Stinnett if you have questions.

Cancer Scholarships - Go to www.collegescholarships.org to find scholarships for the different types of cancer and for cancer survivors and their families.

JANUARY

January 31st

Rise Scholarship Foundation – to www.risescholarshipfoundation.org

- GPA 2.5
- U.S. citizen
- Applicant must also have a documented learning disability, a diagnosis of ADHD or ADD alone does not qualify.

National WWII Museum High School Essay Contest – <http://www.nationalww2museum.org/learn/education/for-students/essay-contests>

(9th – 12th) \$500 - \$1,000

- Student will write a 1000 word essay, topic is on the website.

American Society of Military Comptrollers National Scholarship Program - <https://asmc.nonprofitcms.org/a>

(12th grade) – Awards range from \$1,000 - \$3,000

- Must be entering field of study directly related to **financial and resource management**
- Must have an ASMC chapter endorsement letter
- Application must be submitted on the current official ASMC National Scholarship form
- Three letter of recommendation

National MS Society Scholarship Program - <http://www.nationalmssociety.org/Resources-Support/Insurance-and-Financial-Information/Financial-Resources/Scholarship-Program>

(12th grade) – various amounts •

- U.S. citizen, legal resident
- Must have MS or have a parent with MS

Rotary Club Scholarship

(12th grade) - \$2,000 - \$5,000 per Fall/Spring semesters for freshman and sophomore years

- 3.0+ GPA or 20+ ACT
- Typed personal letter including significant achievements, personal background information, financial/scholastic need, and educational/career goals
- One letter of recommendation (no relation to student)
- Must be enrolled as a full time student with a 2.5+ GPA to maintain eligibility

January 31st

USDA 1890 National Scholars Program – www.outreach.usda.gov/education/1890/

(12th grade) – **full tuition, fees, books, room & board, laptop, printer + a guaranteed job after graduation**

- 3.0+ GPA, 21+ ACT, US citizen
- Attend a historically black land-grant university
- Leadership and community service
- Pursuing a degree in agriculture, food, natural resource sciences or related fields

WEOKIE Foundation Scholarship – <https://www.weokie.org/v3/foundation.html>

(12th grade) \$1,000 - \$3,000

- Essay – limited to two pages. Topic – “The year is 2066 and you are reflecting back on your life thus far. What are your life’s greatest accomplishments?” Explain
- Winners asked to attend WEOKIE’s Annual Meeting in the spring

A GPA Isn’t Everything

www.cappex.com

(11th-12th grade) \$1,000

- Create a Cappex profile

FEBRUARY

AMERICAN INDIAN STUDENTS CHECK WITH YOUR TRIBE FOR TRIBAL SCHOLARSHIPS

February 1st

American Indian Scholarship – Membership in President’s Leadership Class, Northeastern State University. Contact Russ Tallchief, rtallchief@okcu.edu or call 405-208-6288

Clara Luper Scholarship, Oklahoma City University (OCU)

(12th grade) – full tuition, room and board, and membership in the President’s Leadership Class

- Applicant must complete the Oklahoma City University Application for Admission and FAFSA
- Essay & Interview may be required
- Textbook allowance included
- One letter of recommendation
- Students are eligible for up to eight consecutive semesters of the scholarship, if a 3.0 GPA is maintained in college

Sir Alexander Fleming Scholarships for Gifted Science Students - [https://omrf.org/education-](https://omrf.org/education-outreach/fleming-scholar-program/)

[outreach/fleming-scholar-program/](https://omrf.org/education-outreach/fleming-scholar-program/) (Summer Scholarship Program for students who have completed their junior year in high school)

(12th grade)

- Twenty five scholarships offered
- Must have excellent academic standing and aptitude in science and mathematics
- Submit transcript and SAT or ACT scores
- 3 letters of recommendation by teacher, counselor, or principal
- Will work 8 weeks in the labs of the Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation during June and July and receive \$2,500 stipend
- Housing furnished by OMRF

Executive Women International Scholarship (EWISP) -

www.ewiconnect.com/scholarships/

(11th grade) – \$1,000 - \$5,000

- Student can be male or female
- Must attend a 4-year college program
- Teacher or counselor nomination

OU Henderson Scholars Program Scholarship

(12th grade) – various amounts

- **Only students admitted to OU are eligible**
- Award based on academic promise, leadership ability and having exhibited local and community human relations activities and community development involvement.
- 3.25+ GPA, Class rank in upper 25%, and 26+ ACT or 1170+ SAT
- This scholarship is part of the OU General Scholarship application.

February 1st

Jackie Robinson

Foundation Scholarship

www.jackierobinson.org

/apply

(12th grade) \$30,000

- ACT 21
- Attend 4 year college or university
- U.S. citizen
- Leadership/community service
- Financial need

Sigma Phi Epsilon

Balanced Man Scholarship

OSU

(12th grade, male) \$250-

\$1,500

- Must attend OSU
- Judged on academic excellence, selfless leadership, service to the community, and a healthy lifestyle
- Submit one-page summary of academic honors, leadership experience and extracurricular activities
- Finalists will be interviewed
- NO requirement for affiliation with Sigma Phi Epsilon or any other fraternity

Henderson Scholars Program (OU) – <http://www.ou.edu/content/hsp>

12th grade) \$2,500 renewable

- GPA of 3.25, ACT 26 and rank in the top 25% of their class.
- Academic promise, leadership ability, exhibited local and community service activities

Chickasaw Nation Higher Education Grants, Scholarships and incentives

- Students must be Chickasaw and possess their Chickasaw Nation citizenship card.
- For more information go to their website: Chickasaw Nation Higher Education Grants, Scholarships and Incentives.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha Foundation Scholarships – www.epsilonsigmaalpha.org/scholarships-and-grants

(12th grade) Varied amounts

- Various scholarships.
- Information and criteria is on their website

Joe Francomano Scholarship – www.petersons.com

(12th grade) \$5,000

- GPA of 3.0 or higher, U.S. citizen
- Demonstrate leadership
- Community involvement.
- Student must attend a 4 year college or university.
- Personal essay required

Carl's Jr. Carl N. & Margaret Karcher Founders' Scholarship Program www.cappex.com

(12th grade) \$1,000

- Academic record,
- Demonstrated leadership and

- Participation in school and community activities,
- Honors, work experience,
- Statement of goals and aspirations.
- Unusual personal or family circumstances
- Financial need will be considered.

February 1st

Delta Theta Chi National Memorial Scholarship – : www.deltathetachi.org

(12th grade) \$ 2,600

- Applicant must reside in the U.S.
- Financial need.
- Short paragraph describing their intended major and reason for furthering their education.

February 8th

ExploraVision Science Competition – www.exploravision.org

(9th – 12th) \$5,000 - \$10,000 in U.S. Savings Bond

- Student must be a U.S. citizen or Canadian citizen.
- Students will work in teams of 2, 3, or 4 and select a technology that is present in the home, school and/or community and explore what the technology does, how it works and how or why it was invented.

February 9th

Courageous Persuaders – Underage Drinking– www.courageouspersuaders.com/contest

(9th – 12th) \$2,000

- Create a 30 second or less commercial targeting middle school students concerning the dangers of underage drinking.
- You may enter as an individual or as a team. The grand prize commercial will be broadcast on TV

Courageous Persuaders – Texting while driving – www.courageouspersuaders.com/contest

(9th – 12th) \$ 2,000

- Create a 30 second or less commercial targeting middle school students concerning the dangers of texting while driving.
- You may enter as an individual or as a team. The grand prize commercial will be broadcast on TV.

February 10th

Richard & Elizabeth Dean Scholarship – www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships/general-info

(12th grade) \$5,000 renewable if student maintains a 3.25 in college

- GPA 4.0

February 15th

Great Plains Association for College Admission Counseling (GPACAC) - www.gpacac.net/scholarships

(12th grade) - \$1000

- Complete application
- ACT between 21 & 28
- 3.0+ GPA
- Personal essay – Illustrate how one particular experience or person has greatly influenced your desire to pursue a college education.

NCCE Co-op Scholarship

(12th grade) \$5,000

- Call 617-373-3770 for more information
- Minority and female students are encouraged to apply
- Students interested in Science, Math, Engineering and Technology encouraged to apply
- Must plan to participate in college cooperative education
- 3.5+ GPA
- One page essay describing why you have chosen to pursue a college cooperative education program
- Minority and female students are encouraged to apply as well as students interested in Science-Math-Engineering-Technology

February 15th

Commander Family Scholarship – www.occf.org

(12th grade) \$ 2,500

- General application must be completed before you apply for scholarship
- Leadership

- Participate in school activities
- Work history (required)

February 15th

National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution

Dr. Aura-Lee and James Hobbs Pittenger American History Scholarship - <http://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships>

(12th grade) - \$2,000 each year for up to four consecutive years

- Several scholarship categories – Political Science, History, Govt., Economics, Medical and Nursing
- Based on academic excellence, commitment to field of study
- financial need
- No affiliation with DAR is necessary
- Must be a US citizen

AFA Alzheimer's Awareness College Scholarship – www.youngleadersofafe.org

(12th grade) \$500 - \$5,000

- U.S. citizen or permanent resident and
- Attend a four year college or university.
- 1200 – 1500 word essay that answers the following questions: “How has Alzheimer’s disease changed or impacted your life?” and “What have you learned about yourself, your family and/or community in the face of coping with Alzheimer’s disease?” Apply online:

Vegetarian Resource Group - www.vrg.org/student/scholar.htm

(12th grade) - \$5,000 - \$10,000

- Student who promote vegetarianism in their school or community
- Essay required

J. Robert Ashcroft National Youth Scholarship – www.sagu.edu

(12th grade) \$2,000 - \$8,000

- Student must attend an Assembly of God church and an Assembly of God college.
- Scholarship is based on academic achievement, extracurricular activities, Christian service and Christian character.

February 26th

John W. and Mary D. Nichols Oklahoma Heritage Scholarship – www.oklahomahof.com

(9th – 12th grade) \$10,000

- This scholarship is based on the student’s demonstrated knowledge and appreciation of Oklahoma History and geography.
- Academic achievement,
- Citizenship, and leadership, will be considered.
- Students must be nominated by teachers, administrators, or any other adult NOT related to the student.

Poster Contest for High School Students - www.christophers.org

(9th - 12th grade) – up to \$1,000

- Original poster (16 x 20 inches) and submission form
- Must include “You can make a difference” on paper, or a .jpg file

Hal W. Almen – West OKC Rotary Scholarship Fund – www.occf.org

(12th grade) \$4,000

- General Application must be completed before student can apply for the scholarship
- GPA of 2.75+
- Family income cannot exceed \$100,000.
- Essay is required.

Discover Scholarship Program – www.discover.com/student-loans

\$2,500

Student must plan to attend college in the U.S. Apply online:

February 28th

Youth Foundation Grants - www.fdncenter.org/grantmaker/youthfdn

- (12th grade) – up to \$4,000 renewable for 4 years
- US citizen
 - 3.5+ GPA, and additional criteria upon request
 - Financial need

February 28th

Latino Agency High School Scholarship - www.lcdaok.com/lcda-high-school-scholarship/ (12th grade) – various amounts

- Must be Hispanic heritage
- 3.0+ GPA
- Additional essays, recommendations, and documents required
- Need-based scholarship

Dorothy Nixon Memorial Scholarship – www.pcf4kids.org

(12th grade) \$500 Application must be received by 4:00

- Applicant must have participated in 2 years of PEAK/Gifted & Talented program in elementary or middle school.
- Applicant must also be pursuing a career in education and must be well-rounded with extracurricular activities/community service.
- Brief essay of 500 words or less on the topic: “How did the Putnam City Schools PEAK/Gifted & Talented program impact your life? Apply online: Application must be received by 4:00 \$500

MARCH

March 1st

New Opportunities Scholars scholarship

(11th grade) - \$2,000

- Top 50% of junior class
- Apply through counseling office (see Mrs. Stinnett for more info)
- Must be first generation in family to attend college (parents, grandparents cannot have attended college)

Friends of Kim Jones Shelton Scholarship – www.occf.org/scholarships

(12th grade) - \$500

- General application must be completed before the student can apply for the scholarship
- 3.25 GPA or higher
- Demonstrated commitment to education, school, and community.
- Demonstrated financial need

Greater Oklahoma City Alumnae Panhellenic Scholarship - <http://www.okcpanhellenic.org/scholarships.php>

(12th grade, females only)

- Must enter a university in Oklahoma with National Panhellenic Conference sororities in the fall after graduation. These universities are: Cameron, East Central, Northeastern State, Northwestern State, Rogers State, Southeastern, OU, OSU, UCO, OCU, and University of Tulsa.
- 3.25-3.79 (unweighted) GPA and 22+ ACT
- Two sealed letters of recommendation
- Based on academic achievement, extra-curricular activities, citizenship.

Oklahoma Association of Higher Education and Disability - www.ok-ahead.org/scholar

(12th grade) – Three \$500 scholarships

- Pursuing an education at an Oklahoma CareerTech center, two-year college, or four-year college
- 2.0+ GPA, official transcript, three letters of recommendation, and listing of extra-curricular / work activities
- Documented disability – Several disability scholarships available.

State Farm Good Neighbor Scholarship Program –

www.scholarshipamerica.org/statefarmgoodneighborscholarship

(12th grade) \$2,500

- Only 50 awards will be given
- Only the first 700 applications will be accepted
- GPA 2.5 – 3.2
- U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- Financial need will be considered

AFOSC – www.afosc.com/scholarships.html

(12th grade) \$1,000 - \$3,500

- Dependents of MIA/POW, deceased or enlisted military
- 3.25 unweighted GPA

March 1st

Frame My Future – www.frame-my-future-scholarship.com

(12th grade) - \$1,000

- Student must be a legal U.S. resident.
- The entry piece can be a photograph, collage, poem, drawing, painting, graphic design piece.
- The entry piece must demonstrate a success driven student on the topic: “Show Us How You Plan to Frame Your Future”.

American Legion Eagle Scout of the Year – www.legion.org

(12th grade) \$2,500 - \$10,000

- Student must be an active member of a Boy Scout Troop Varsity Scout Team or Venturing Crew chartered to an American Legion squadron. They should have received the Eagle Scout Award.
- Be an active member of his religious institution and have received the religion emblem
- Demonstrated citizenship in church, school, scouting and community.
- Student must be nominated.

Charles C. and Mary Lou Miles Scholarship – www.occf.org/scholarships

(12th grade) \$1,000

- Minimum GPA of 3.0.
- Student must pursue a degree in English or Industrial education.

Central High School Alumni Association – www.occf.org/scholarships

(12th grade) \$500

- Applicant must attend any Central Oklahoma Career Technology Center (Francis Tuttle or similar)
- Pursuing a ‘secretarial’ certification.
- Financial need will be considered.

ORU Whole Person Scholarship – www.oru.edu

(12th grade) \$2,000 - \$20,000

- Complete the ORU application and you will be submitted for a chance to win.

Fulmer Trombone Scholarship – www.occf.org/scholarships

(12th grade) \$800

- Unweighted GPA of 3.0+
- Applicants must be eligible to participate or be enrolled in a college/university band or orchestra during their freshman year (full-time study at a 4 year institution)

Project Yellow Light – www.projectyellowlight.com

(12th grade) \$1,000 - \$5,000

- Create a video, billboard design or radio spot to motivate, persuade and encourage your peers to not drive distracted. Go to their website for more details

March 15th

Air Force ROTC Scholarship Programs - www.afrotc.com

(11th grade) – up to full college or university cost

- The scholarship cycle begins March 15 of the **junior year** & continues through December 1 of the applicant’s senior year
- 3.0+ GPA and official transcript, top 40% class rank, 26+ ACT
- Complete Application Fitness Test and Letter of Certification
- Be 17 years old prior to scholarship activation

Dr. Eugene S. Briggs Memorial Scholarship www.occf.org/scholarships

(12th grade) - \$1,000

- Student must complete the General Application before they can apply for the scholarship
- Student must obtain an endorsement of a local Lions club.
- See Mrs. Stinnett for the name of a local Lions Club.

March 15th

Elizabeth Carlson Scholarship – www.occf.org/scholarships

(12th grade) \$1,500

- Student must complete the General Application before they can apply for the scholarship
- GPA 3.0+ The award may be used for tuition, fees, and book expenses for full-time study at any accredited college in the U.S.
- Essay required.
- Pursuing a degree in Education

SAE Donald D. Dawson Technical Scholarship – www.sae.org

(12th grade) - \$1,500

- GPA 3.25+ ACT 27+.
- Student must be a U.S. citizen.
- Student must pursue an engineering or related science degree through an ABET accredited program

Tau beta pi/sae Scholarship – www.sae.org

(12th grade) - \$1,000

- GPA 3.75+, rank in the 90th percentile of both math and critical reading on ACT.
- Student must be a U.S. citizen.
- Student must also pursue an engineering or related science degree through an ABET accredited program.

Donald and Barbara Mozley Scholarship – www.sae.org

(12th grade) \$5,000 renewable

- GPA 3.50+ ACT 27+.
- Student must be a U.S. citizen.
- Student must pursue an engineering or related science degree through an ABET accredited program.

BMW/SAE Scholarship – www.sae.org

(12th grade) \$1,500 renewable

- GPA 3.75+, rank in the 90th percentile of both math and critical reading on ACT.
- Student must be a U.S. citizen.
- Student must also pursue an engineering or related science degree through an ABET accredited program.

SAE Ford Partnership for Advanced Studies Scholarship – www.sae.org

(12th grade) \$1,500 \$5,000

- GPA 3.00+, ranks in the 90th percentile of both math and critical reading on ACT.
- Student must be a U.S. citizen.
- Student must pursue an engineering or related science degree through an ABET accredited program

March 15th

Dan and Vicky Hancock Scholarship for Mechanical Engineering Excellence - www.sae.org

(12th grade) \$5,000 renewable

- GPA 3.50+ ACT 27+.
- Student must be a U.S. citizen.
- Student must pursue a mechanical engineering or related science degree through an ABET accredited program.

Edward D. Hendrickson/SAE Engineering Scholarship – www.sae.org

(12th grade) \$5,000 renewable

- GPA 3.75+, rank in the 90th percentile of both math and critical reading on ACT.
- Student must be a U.S. resident.
- Student must also pursue an engineering or related science degree through an ABET accredited program.

Monica Mohan Scholarship – www.averychapelamec.com

(12th grade) \$1,000

- Applicant must have a GPA of 3.5 or higher,
- Submit 3 letters of recommendations, one must be from your pastor and 2 from faculty members,
- submit a one page autobiographical sketch,
- Applicant must be available for an interview.
- This scholarship is part of the Marcella Guthrie Scholarship Fund

March 15th

Betty L. Walton Memorial Scholarship – www.averychapelamec.com •

(12th grade) \$1,000

- This scholarship is only available to African American male students that have an interest in a Business degree.
- Applicant must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher
- Submit 3 letters of recommendations, one must be from your pastor and 2 from faculty members
- Submit a one page autobiographical sketch, and also
- Applicant must also be available for an interview.
- This scholarship is part of the Marcella Guthrie Scholarship Fund
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Bates Sisters Memorial Scholarship – www.averychapelamec.com

(12th grade) \$1,000

- Student must have an interest in history or foreign studies.
- Applicant must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher
- Submit 3 letters of recommendations, one must be from your pastor and 2 from faculty members
- submit a one page autobiographical sketch
- Applicant must also be available for an interview. .
- This scholarship is part of the Marcella Guthrie Scholarship Fund

Donnie Mae Johnson Memorial Scholarship – www.averychapelamec.com

(12th grade) \$1,000

- This scholarship is only available to African American females who have the desire and interest in studying the humanities.
- The applicant must also have a commitment to the betterment of the community
- GPA of 2.5+.
- Submit 3 letters of recommendations, one must be from your pastor and 2 from faculty members,
- Submit a one page autobiographical sketch, and also
- Be available for an interview.
- This scholarship is part of the Marcella Guthrie Scholarship Fund

MaEunice Hunt Jones and Cornelia Walker Roach Educational Scholarship – www.averychapelamec.com

(12th grade) \$1,000

- This scholarship is only available to African American seniors who plan to study Elementary or Secondary education.
- GPA of 2.5 or higher and be involved in extracurricular activities.
- Submit 3 letters of recommendations, one must be from your pastor and 2 from faculty members,
- Submit a one page autobiographical sketch
- Be available for an interview.
- This scholarship is part of the Marcella Guthrie Scholarship Fund

John H. and Lillian Hayes Memorial Scholarship – www.averychapelamec.com

(12th grade) \$1,000

- Student must be pursuing a course of study in the Healthcare field
- GPA of 2.5.
- Submit 3 letters of recommendations, one must be from your pastor and 2 from faculty members
- Submit a one page autobiographical sketch
- Be available for an interview.
- This scholarship is part of the Marcella Guthrie Scholarship Fund

John “Jack” and Genese Brown-Jones Scholarship – www.averychapelamec.com

(12th grade) \$1,000

- This scholarship is only available to African American male students who are planning to study Engineering.
- They must have a proven commitment to the betterment of the community
- GPA of 2.5.

- They need to submit 3 letters of recommendations, one must be from your pastor and 2 from faculty members,
- Submit a one page autobiographical sketch
- Be available for an interview.
- This scholarship is part of the Marcella Guthrie Scholarship

March 15th

Need Based Scholarship – www.averychapelamec.com

(12th grade) \$1,000

- Priority will be given to applicants majoring in business.
- Applicant must have an overall GPA of 2.5.
- Submit 3 letters of recommendations, one must be from your pastor and 2 from faculty members,
- Submit a one page autobiographical sketch
- Be available for an interview. \$750.
- This scholarship is part of the Marcella Guthrie Scholarship Fund

At-Large Scholarship – www.averychapelamec.com

- GPA of 2.5 or higher. \$500
- Submit 3 letters of recommendations, one must be from your pastor and 2 from faculty members
- Submit a one page autobiographical sketch,
- Be available for an interview.
- This scholarship is part of the Marcella Guthrie Scholarship

American Foreign Service Assoc. National Essay Contest – www.afsa.org

(9th – 12th grade) \$1,250 - \$2,000 and a trip to Washington D.C.

- Dependents of the Foreign Service

March 23rd

Listen to a Life – www.legacyproject.org/contests/ltal.html

(9th -12th grade) \$Lenovo Yoga Tablet

- Student interviews an older person over 50 years old.
- Learn about their hopes and goals through their life, how they achieved goals and overcame obstacles or how dreams may have changed along the way.
- Student will then write a 300 word essay based on the interview.

March 27th

Frances Koop Parsons/AT&T Pioneers Memorial Scholarship – www.attpioneervolunteers.org/chapter

(12th grade) \$1,000

- GPA 3.0+,
- Student must be OK residents and
- Student must attend an Oklahoma college or university.
- Preference given to students with strong leadership/volunteerism experience.
- Family income of applicants may not exceed \$75,000.

March 30th

Nichols Scholarship - www.oklahomahof.com/scholarships

(12th grade) - \$10,000

- By teacher, counselor, or administrator nomination
- Based on demonstrated knowledge and appreciation of Oklahoma history

HSF General College Scholarship – <https://hsf.net/en/scholarships/programs/general-college-scholarships>

(12th grade) \$500 - \$5,000

- Applicant must be of Hispanic heritage
- GPA 3.0 or higher
- U.S. citizen or permanent resident, DACA or eligible non-citizen.
- Complete FAFSA

OU J. Clarence Karcher Scholarship – www.ou.edu

(12th grade) \$1,400 renewable

- Student must major in Physics, Astronomy, Astrophysics, or Engineering Physics.
- Scholarship is based on grades and achievement scores.

March 31st

Superpower Scholarship – www.unigo

(9th – 12th grade) \$2,500

- Applicant must be a legal U.S. citizen.
- Create a unigo account.

Shelter Insurance Foundation Scholarship

(12th grade) - \$1,500 scholarship awarded

- May be used at any college or university for any major
- Selection Committee will consider applicant's Scholastic achievement, participation and leadership in school and community activities, citizenship and moral character and educational goals
- Application available in College Office

Discover Scholarship Program – Student must plan to attend college in the U.S. Apply online:

www.discover.com/student-loans \$2,500

APRIL

April 1st

AFSA Scholarship Program - www.afsascholarship.org

(12th grade) – \$2,000

- Read on-line essay about fire safety
- Take on-line quiz, each correct answer earns one entry
- US citizen

Pete and Lela Stavros Scholarship – www.occf.org/scholarships

(12th grade) \$1,000

- Student must complete the General Application before they can apply for the scholarship
- Student must be a child or relative of a member of the Oklahoma State Firefighters Association.

AHETEMS Scholarship – www.ahetems.org

(12th grade) \$1,000 - \$3,000

- GPA 3.0+
- Latino origin
- Must be enrolled full time in a science, technology, engineering or math discipline

American Fire Sprinkler Association Scholarship www.afsascholarship.org/hsinformation.html

(9th – 12th grade) \$2,000

- U.S. citizen or legal resident
- Student will read the “Fire Sprinkler Essay” and take a 10 question- multiple choice test.
- For each correct answer the student receives one entry into the drawing for the scholarship

April 2nd

MG James Ursano Scholarship - <https://www.aerhq.org>

(12th grade) – various amounts

- Must be a dependent of US Army soldier (active, retired, or deceased)
- 2.0+ GPA
- Full-time undergraduate student

Phi Delta Kappa Prospective Educators Scholarship - www.pdkintl.org

(12th grade) – \$500 - \$2,000

- Must be pursuing a degree in Education
- Awards based on academics, personal essay, letters of recommendation, school activities, and community activities
- Join Educators Rising, it is a free membership for precollege students.

Walmart Dependent Scholarship - <https://walmart.scholarshipapply.org/dependent>

(12th grade) Amount varies

- U.S. citizen or permanent legal resident.
- GPA 2.0+
- The dependent of an employee
- Financial need

Central Oklahoma Chapter of Hearing Loss Association of America

(12th grade) \$1,000

- Must have a hearing loss

- Must attend a college or university in the fall 2018
- See Mrs. Stinnett for the application

April 3rd

Catholic Foundation of Oklahoma Scholarship www.cfook.org

(12th grade) Amount varies

- Student must show scholastic ability and financial need
- Must be an active member of a Catholic parish in the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City
- Several scholarships are available with different amounts.

April 4th

Oklahoma City All Sports Association Scholarship – www.okcallsports.org

(12th grade) \$1,200 male student and \$1,200 female student

- Student must have participated in high school sports, but **NOT** receiving any scholarships for athletics.
- Attend a college or university in Oklahoma
- GPA 3.0+ and ACT 22+
- Leadership, character, athletic participation, school/civic activities and academics will all be considered.

April 9th

American Legion Legacy www.legion.org/scholarships/legacy

(12th grade) Up to \$20,000

- Students whose parent/parents have been killed while serving our country on or after 9/11
- Need based

April 10th

William J. "Billy" Goaziou Scholarship – www.USYouthSoccer.org

(12th grade) \$1,000

- GPA 3.0+
- Participation in a US Youth Soccer program.
- Demonstrate active service to his or her community.
- Strong desire to give back to the game of soccer
- A 500 word essay describing how soccer may have personally affected your life or the development of your character.
- One scholarship will be given to a male and one scholarship will be given to a female student.

April 15th

Gus Archie Scholarship Program – www.spe.org/scholarships/archie/php

(12th grade) \$5,000

- Student must be majoring in petroleum engineering
- Student is often in the top 3% of their class

Jewell Box Theatre - www.jewellboxtheatre.org/scholarship.htm

(12th grade) \$250 (The application is dated 2017 but they said to use it.)

- 3-5 minute recording from a high-school performance
- Resume of theatre experience
- Essay explaining why you want to major in drama/choir/dance and what your goals are after graduation.
- One female and one male student will receive the scholarship

Putnam City High School Alumni Association

(12th grade) Amount varies

- Several graduating classes of PC are offering scholarships
- A member of the family must have graduated from Putnam City High School.

April 16th

Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute (CHCI) www.chci.org/scholarships

(12th grade) \$1,000 - \$5,000

- U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- Demonstrate financial need
- Consistent active participation in public and/or community service activities
- Strong writing skills
- Must enroll in a 2 year or 4 year college or university

April 21st**MacDowell Club of Allied Arts, Oklahoma City Scholarship** – www.macdowellclubokc.org

(12th grade) - \$500

- Must major in a field of the Arts
- Demonstrated commitment to education, school, and community.
- Demonstrated financial need

April 22nd**Student View Scholarship Program** www.student-view.com

(12th grade) \$500 - \$4,000_

- Plan to attend 2 or 4 year college or career school

April 26th**Oklahoma City All Sports Association Scholarship** - www.okcallsports.org/scholarship

(12th grade) - \$1,200

- Must have participated in high school sports, but NOT receiving any scholarships for athletics
- 3.0+ GPA, 22+ ACT, and online application
- Attend college or university in Oklahoma

Dr. Bob Oehrtman Scholarship www.alphagammonrho.org/undergraduates-scholarships

(12th grade) \$1,000

- 3.0 GPA
- Male student admitted to OSU

April 30th**AMVETS National Scholarship Program** - www.amvets.org/scholarships

(12th grade) \$1,000 - \$4,000

- U.S. citizen
- Demonstrate financial need
- Must be the child or grandchild of a veteran or active duty
- Essay – “What impact has a veteran made in my life?”

Cheryl Bauer Memorial Scholarship

(12th grade) \$1,500

- A 300 – 5—word essay showing that you have either a generous giving spirit or that you are persistent in achieving your goals
- A 300 – 500 – word essay showing that you possess a strong artistic/creative side.
- Any art genre that provides concrete evidence of your second essay

Shawn Carter Foundation Scholarship www.shawncartersf.com/apply

(12th grade) \$1,500 - \$2,500 renewable

- GPA 2.0
- U.S. citizen or permanent resident

MAY**May 1st****AI's Formal Wear Salute to Education Scholarship** www.ScholarshipsOnline.org

(12th grade) \$2,500

- 500 word essay describing your educational goals and how AI's Formal Wear can help you achieve these educational goals
- Two letters of recommendation

May 15th**K20 Scholarship for OU Students interested in STEM Degrees**

(12th grade) \$1,000 renewable

- Student must be admitted to OU
- 600 word essay on “Why the study of alternative energy is important.”
- Demonstrate strong academic and leadership potential
- Three letters of recommendation

Anne Maureen Whitney Barrow Memorial Scholarship www.fastweb.com

(12th grade) \$7,000

- Female student enrolling in an engineering or computer science program
- GPA 3.5

May 16th

Admiral Grace Murray Hopper Scholarship www.cappex.com/scholarship/listings/admiral-grace-hopper

(12th grade) \$1,500

- Female student pursuing a degree in computer science and/or computer engineering.
- GPA 3.5
- U.S. citizen or permanent resident

May 22nd

B. Davis Scholarship www.awards@studentawardsearch.com

(11th and 12th grade) \$1,000

- Essay – “Describe the three characteristics of leadership you value most. Describe why you believe that these traits are so important and how you feel that they are developed in an individual.”

May 31st

“Stuck at Prom” Scholarship - www.scholarships.com

(12th grade) – \$5,000 for each partner, \$5,000 for the school

- Must attend high school prom wearing complete outfit and/or accessories made of duct tape “Duck Tape Prom Attire”
- Complete online application and submit 1 high-resolution picture to www.stuckatprom.com

JUNE

June 1st

Athnet Sports Recruiting Scholarship www.athleticscholarships.net/scholarship-contest.htm

(12th grade) \$1,000_

Abbott & Fenner Scholarship – www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm

(11th and 12th grade) - \$1,000

- Essay submitted online

BigSun Scholarship - www.bigsunathletics.com

(12th grade) - \$500

- Must have participated in a school sport
- Short essay with application

Garner-Stocker Taco Mayo Scholarship – www.occf.org/scholarships

(12th grade) \$1,000

- Student must complete the General Application before they can apply for the scholarship
- Student must be an employee or dependent of an employee of Taco Mayo.

International Association of Ministers’ Wives and Ministers’ Widows - www.iamwmw.com

(12th grade) – up to \$25,000

- Must be enrolled as a full-time college student in the fall
- Copy of transcript, ACT scores, current picture, & completed application
- Letter of recommendation from the wife/widow recommending you
- Letter of recommendation from your pastor/youth minister verifying involvement in your church

Student Scholarships Program - www.studentscholarships.org/scholarshipprograms

(12th grade) - \$1,000

- Online essay between 250-500 words

June 8th

Kids Chance of Oklahoma www.kidschanceok.org

(12th grade) \$5,000

- Students who have a parent that has been seriously or fatally injured at work