



SCHOLARSHIPS

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THE ACT STUDENT CHAMPION AWARD recognizes one student in each state who is tenacious and persistent (regardless of the challenge), and is prepared for life after high school with a goal in mind and plan in place. Champions will receive a \$500 non-renewable scholarship. Applications can be found at www.act.org/readinesschampions. Deadline is DECEMBER 31st.

THE ARCHITECTS FOUNDATION awards thousands of dollars in architecture scholarships to high school students, architecture students in NAAB-accredited undergraduate and graduate degree programs, and Architect Registration Exam (ARE) candidates who are working toward becoming licensed architects. A multiyear scholarship of up to \$20,000 supports high school and undergraduate minority students. Students must visit www.architectsfoundation.org and click "What we do" to apply. Deadline is JANUARY 17th.

THE B. DAVIS SCHOLARSHIP of \$1,000 is available to all high school juniors and seniors. This is not an academic scholarship, but they will want to know students' future academic plans. Students must visit http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm for more information. Deadline is MAY 22nd.

BANK OF AMERICA STUDENT LEADERS PROGRAM is an eightweek summer experience for high school juniors and seniors. It includes a paid internship with a local nonprofit organization, as well as the Student Leadership Summit in Washington, D.C. Students must be in good academic standing to be considered. Apply online at http://about.bankofamerica.com/en-us/global-impact/student-leaders.html. Deadline is FEBURARY 2nd.

THE CONGRESS-BUNDESTAG VOCATIONAL YOUTH EXCHANGE SCHOLARSHIP provides an opportunity for U.S. high school graduates who have undertaken vocational training to spend their 13th year abroad pursuing their vocational interests. Only three students can be nominated. Interested students should stop into Guidance West and see Ms. Wallace for more information. Deadline is DECEMBER 22nd.

THE DR. JONG PIL LEE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP will be awarded by The Long Island Mathematics Conference Board. Up to four \$1,500 scholarships will be allocated to deserving students from Queens, Brooklyn, Nassau and Suffolk Counties, of African American, Native American or Non-European Hispanic American decent. These students must plan to major in mathematics at an accredited college or university of their choice. Candidates should address their love of mathematics in their personal essay and indicate the reasons why they should receive this scholarship. Only high school seniors are eligible for this award. Students can visit http://www.limathconference.org for an application. Deadline is JANUARY 15th.

ENVIRONMENTAL CAREER SCHOLARSHIPS are available to seniors enrolling in full-time degree programs with an environmental or public service emphasis. Please visit http://nywea.org/scholarship/ for more information. Deadline is FEBRUARY 28th.

GERALD J. BUCKENMAYER FASNY VOLUNTEER SCHOLARSHIPS will offer twenty-five \$1,500 scholarships to young volunteer firefighters who plan to continue their post-secondary education. Interested students should visit http://www.fasny.com/awards/fasny-gerard-j-buckenmeyer-volunteer-scholarship/. Deadline is MARCH 15th.

THE GE-REAGAN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

acknowledges and rewards America's foremost young leaders who demonstrate the leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship exhibited by President Reagan throughout his life. Selected scholars will receive a \$10,000 renewable scholarship. Students should visit http://reaganfoundation.org/scholarships for more information. Deadline is JANUARY 4th.

ISLAND CHRISTIAN CHURCH is awarding two graduating seniors, one male and one female, The American Heritage Scholarship for Long Island students whose lives exemplify genuine character and promote the scriptural values upon which our country was founded. Two \$2,000 scholarships and up to four \$750 High Honorable Mention scholarships will be awarded – the latter regardless of gender. For more information and to apply, students must visit http://islandchristian.com/scholarship/. Deadline is MARCH 2nd.

ISLAND DRAFTING AND TECHNICAL INSTITUTE

SCHOLARSHIP is available to students applying for the Associates Degree program in Computer Aided Drafting and Design or ElectronicS and Computer Service Technology (CST). Please notify Ms. Bonilla in Guidance West if interested. Deadline is FEBRUARY 3rd.

ITHACA COLLEGE: MLK SCHOLAR PROGRAM is open to academically talented U.S. citizens and permanent residents from ethnic and racial backgrounds that have been historically underrepresented in U.S. higher education. Please visit http://www.ithaca.edu/mlk/ for more information. Deadline is FEBRUARY 1st.

THE LONG ISLAND 2 DAY (LI2DAY) WALK SCHOLARSHIP of

\$2,500 is available to graduating seniors who reside with a parent or guardian who is a survivor of breast cancer or other women's cancer, or who resides with a parent or guardian who has passed away from breast cancer or other women's cancer. For more information, please log onto https://www.li2daywalk.org/making-a-difference/scholarships/
Deadline is APRIL 2nd.

MARIA A. SCIARA SCHOLARSHIP of \$2,000 is available to students who reside or have resided with a parent or guardian who is a survivor of any cancer other than breast cancer and/or other women's cancers; or have resided with a parent or guardian who has passed from any cancer other than breast cancer and/or other women's cancers. Students must go to https://www.li2daywalk.org/making-a-difference/scholarships/ for more information. Deadline is APRIL 2nd.

NATIONAL CO-OP SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM will award up to 160 merit co-op scholarships for a total value of \$4,200,000 to students attending one of their partner institutions. Minimum GPA of 3.5 is required. Apply at http://www.waceinc.org/scholarship/. Deadlines are as early as JANUARY 1st.

NAVAL RESERVE OFFICERS TRAINING CORPS (NROTC) This scholarship program offers students the opportunity to earn their degree and receive valuable leadership and management skills while enjoying the benefits of an exciting career. For more information log onto http://www.nrotc.navy.mil/. Deadline is JANUARY 31st.

NED CARTER SCHOLARSHIPS of \$1,500 will be awarded to four seniors who are either related to a firefighter or are firefighters or explorers in a fire department. The person must be a current paid member of The Association of Fire Districts of the State of New York and be in good standing. Visit https://www.afdsny.org for applications. Applications must be postmarked by FEBRUARY 24th.

RONALD A. HAMMOND SCHOLARSHIP is a merit based, full-tuition scholarship and is awarded to exceptionally well-qualified high school seniors who usually come from underrepresented backgrounds. To qualify, students must be a U.S. citizen, have a "B+" average, meet the minimum required SAT/ACT scores, and submit an application for admission to The University of Miami. Apply online at www.miami.edu/hammond. Deadline is JANUARY 1st.

SUFFOLK FEDERAL will award scholarships of \$1,500 each to ten young deserving members. One scholarship winner will also receive an additional \$2,500 scholarship provided by the LT Michael P. Murphy Memorial Scholarship Foundation, which Suffolk Federal will match for a total of \$5,000. Apply online at https://www.suffolkfcu.org/student-center and scroll down to "College Scholarship Program." Deadline is JANUARY 5th.

THE UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON Department of Art and Design is offering scholarships to incoming freshman who plan on majoring in one of their art and design programs. Interested students must stop into Guidance West and see Ms. Wallace for more information. Submission deadline is JANUARY 5th.

THE VIOLET RICHARDSON AWARD is given to young women ages 14-17 whose activities make the community and world a better place through volunteer work. Interested students must stop into Guidance West and see Ms. Wallace for more information. Essays and applications must be submitted by JANUARY 15th.

As a reminder, if you need your school counselor or teacher to provide information, please provide them with ample time prior to the deadline date for submission!

The following websites contain scholarship information as well:

www.fastweb.com

www.scholarships.com

www.collegeanswer.com

www.scholarshipamerica.org/students

www.scholarships.gmsp.org

www.BrokeScholar.com

www.Collegenet.com

www.MeritAid.com

www.studentaid.ed.gov

www.absolutelyscholarship.com

www.studentscholarships.org

www.scholarshipguidance.com

www.outreach.usda.gov/education

www.weirdscholarships.net