

FRESHMAN, SOPHOMORE, & JUNIOR SCHOLARSHIP BULLETIN

JANUARY

Deadline	Scholarship	Details	Web Page	Amount
1-Jan	THINK SCHOLARS PROGRAM Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Fo students who have done extensive research on the background of a potential research project and are looking for additional guidance in the early stages of their project.	http://think.mit.edu/	Trip to MIT & up to \$1000 to fund
4 - Jan 15 - Mar	JACK KENT COOKE YOUNG ARTIST AWARD Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors Seniors must appy by 4-Dec	Monetary support to assist with music-related needs (tuition, training, or equipment), will perform on a live taping of From the Top and will participate in a Cultural Leadership workshop. For pre-college classical musicians who demonstrate exceptional musical talent, unmet financial need, and solid academic achievement.	https://www.fromthetop.org/apply/scholarship-opportunity-jack-kent-cooke-young-artist-award/	Up to \$10,000
5-Jan	YOUNG FILM MAKERS CONTEST Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Submit a film of no shorter than 3 minutes and no longer than 8 minutes. Sponsor will accept and consider short animated films. The minimum length for animated submissions is 45 seconds. Topics differ based on age. Students in grade 11 and younger should choose one or several of the following topics on which to focus the theme of the film. Climate, Energy, Food, Transportation, Waste, Water, Wildlife and Ecosystems. Students in grade 12 and above have more freedom with content/topics. Their submissions should be environmental films that motivate viewers towards behavior change or activism.	http://www.oneearthfilmfest.org/contest-details/	\$350 - \$1000
8-Jan	ACT TEST	On-time registration for the Feb 6 exam	www.actstudent.org	
8-Jan	DILLER TEEN TIKKUN OLAM AWARDS Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	The Diller Teen Tikkun Olam Awards recognize Jewish teens in the United States who have demonstrated remarkable leadership and initiative in projects that embody the values of tikkun olam, "repairing the world."	https://www.dillerteenawards.org/apply/	\$36,000
15-Jan	ACT TEST	Late registration deadline for the Feb 6 ACT Exam	www.actstudent.org	
15-Jan	DECA SCHOLARSHIPS Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Must be a DECA member apply. Over \$200,00 will be awarded. Several different scholarships.	www.deca.org/scholarships	Award amounts vary

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15-Jan	LEADERS SAVE LIVES Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	You will be working hand-in-hand with an American Red Cross account manager to coordinate a lifesaving blood drive. Your Leaders Save Lives blood drive must be scheduled between December 15, 2020 to January 15, 2021.	http://www.redcrossblood.org/leaderssavelives	\$2500, \$1500, 4 @ \$1000
15-Jan	PROFILE IN COURAGE ESSAY CONTEST Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Write an original and creative essay of 1,000 words or less that describes and analyzes an act of political courage by a U.S. elected official who served during or after 1917, the year John F. Kennedy was born.	https://www.jfklibrary.org/Education/Profile-in-Courage-Essay-Contest.aspx	1 @ \$10,000 1 @ \$3000 5 @ \$1000 8 @ \$100
18-Jan	NATIONAL POISON PREVENTION WEEK VIDEO CONTEST Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Help spread the word about poisoning prevention by creating a video. Videos should aim to illustrate that while medicines and household chemicals are packaged to protect people from accessing potentially harmful contents, we cannot depend on packaging alone to keep everyone safe. Videos must be no longer than 2 minutes.	https://mold-riteplastics.submittable.com/submit/175890/national-poison-prevention-week-2021-video-contest	\$500
20-Jan	COOLIDGE SCHOLARS PROGRAM Juniors	Anyone of any background, pursuing any academic discipline of study, may apply to this non-partisan, need-blind, program. The three main criteria that distinguish Coolidge scholars are: (1) academic excellence, (2) keen interest in public policy and an appreciation for the values Coolidge championed, (3) humility and leadership.	https://coolidgescholars.org/	Full ride to any American University
20-Jan	C-SPAN STUDENT CAM Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Create a short (5-6 minute) video documentary on a topic related to the competition theme, "Explore the issue you most want the president and new Congress to address in 2021."	www.studentcam.org	150 awards totaling over \$100,000
23-Jan	LIVE MAS SCHOLARSHIP Age 16 - 24	Submit an original video that tells us the story of your real, driving passion. It could be a short film, animation or just a simple testimonial. Your video must be a maximum of 2 minutes in length (minimum of 30 seconds in length) and must be no larger than 100 MB to ensure successful upload to the application.	https://www.livemassscholarship.com/#home	10 @ \$25,000 60 @ \$10,000 30 @ \$5000

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27-Jan	HAMILTON AWARDS Juniors	Five-year program provides underserved students with a comprehensive network of support and guidance as they transition from high school to college, and college to career. Based on financial need, demonstrated academic excellence, commitment to service, and leadership potential.	https://www.hamiltonscholars.org/	35 @ \$500
30-Jan	TECHNOLOGY ADDICTION AWARENESS SCHOLARSHIP Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Complete the application form including a 140-character message about technology addiction. The top 10 applications will be selected as finalists. The finalists will be asked to write a full length 500- to 1,000-word essay about technology addiction.	http://www.digitalresponsibility.org/technology-addiction-awareness-scholarship	\$1,000
31-Jan	FIRST DEGREE SCHOLARSHIP Sophomores	The scholarship is for high school sophomores who reside in Salt Lake County, Utah. Students are not eligible if a parent or stepparent has graduated with a bachelor's degree from a college or university in the United States. Household income of less than \$75,000. Minimum 2.7 GPA	https://firstdegreescholarship.org/#apply	Up to 8 semesters full tuition, 2 @ \$250
31-Jan	I HAVE A DREAM SCHOLARSHIP Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Submit an online written response to the question: "We want to know... what do you dream about? Whether it's some bizarre dream you had last week, or your hopes for the future, share your dreams with us for a chance to win \$1,500 for college." (250 words or less)	https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/i-have-a-dream-scholarship/i-have-a-dream-scholarship	\$1,500
31-Jan	LEROY W. HOMER JR. FOUNDATION 16-23 years old	Must be a US citizen. Scholarship recipient must be willing to commit the necessary time required to complete the entire private pilot training program within a six-month period. All instruction will be completed at an approved local Pilot Training Center. The scholarship recipient must successfully secure an FAA Medical Certificate and be eligible to receive a Student Pilot Certificate prior to commencing any flight training. During the ground school phase or upon completion, the recipient will begin actual flight training, culminating in certification as a private pilot. Fees and expenses associated with the private pilot certification will be paid by The Foundation.	www.leroywhomerjr.org	Award amounts vary
31-Jan	NATIONAL AG DAY ESSAY CONTEST Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Official Topic: "Food Brings Everyone to the Table. How is agriculture essential to bringing food to the table?" Compose an original written essay and/or video essay with limited guidance from adults, teachers or agricultural industry professionals.	http://www.agday.org/essay-contest	\$1000 each division

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31-Jan	NEXT STEP U STEM SCHOLARSHIP 16 - 22 years of age	Looking for students who are interested in pursuing a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math) major and must be a registered user of NextStepU.com (please register using our form on this page).	https://www.nextstepu.com/stem-scholarship/	\$1,500
31-Jan	SMART KIDS WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Recognizes students with learning disabilities and ADHD. Applicant will have demonstrated initiative, talent and determination, resulting in a notable accomplishment in any field.	https://www.smartkidswithld.org/2021-fred-j-epstein-youth-achievement-award/	\$1000 Honorable mention awards

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1-Feb	AL NEUHARTH FREE SPIRIT SCHOLARSHIP/CONFERENCE Juniors	Successful applicants must be committed to pursuing a career in journalism and must demonstrate qualities of a "free spirit."	https://www.freedomforuminstitute.org/initiatives/al-neuharth-free-spirit-and-journalism-conference/how-to-apply/	Virtual Conference June 21-24 & \$1000
1-Feb	AWM ESSAY CONTEST Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Submit an essay of 500 – 1000 words in length based on an interview with a contemporary women mathematicians and statisticians in academic, industrial, and government careers.	https://awm-math.org/awards/student-essay-contest/	Monetary Award
1-Feb	ENGINEER GIRL ESSAY CONTEST Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	The 2021 EngineerGirl Writing Contest invites you to submit a piece of writing that salutes engineering's role in meeting and defeating the challenges presented by COVID-19.	https://www.engineergirl.org/	\$100, \$250, \$500
8-Feb	EXPLORAVISION Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	ExploraVision challenges students to envision and communicate new technology 10 years in the future through collaborative brainstorming and research of current science and technology. Include a written description and 5 graphics simulating Web pages.	www.exploravision.org	Up to \$240,000 in Savings Bonds
16-Feb	LIVE DELIBERATELY ESSAY CONTEST Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Respond to a selected quotation from Henry David Thoreau, reflecting on how his words and ideas are still alive and relevant in your life and in the world.	https://www.walden.org/education/essay-contest/	\$500 in two age groups

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17-Feb	LASSONDE ENTREPRENEURSHIP SCHOLARSHIP Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Students are encouraged to form teams and create a business proposal based on an innovative idea. The team's submitted presentation should include the following: a problem, a proposed solution, a targeted audience/customer and a physical prototype. FOR UTAH STUDENTS ONLY!	https://lassonde.utah.edu/hsuec?utm_source=admissions&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=hsuec	Awards TBD
18-Feb	CHRISTOPHERS' POSTER CONTEST Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Create a poster that includes the words, "You Can Make a Difference" and illustrate the idea that one person can change the world for the better. Judged on overall impact, effectiveness in conveying the theme, originality and artistic merit.	https://www.christophers.org/poster-contest	\$1000; \$500; \$250; 5 @ \$100
22-Feb	FREEDOM FESTIVAL CONTESTS Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Essay, speech and art contest. This year's theme focuses on the First Amendment in the Bill of Rights	http://www.freedomfestival.org/event/essay-contest/	\$200 - \$500
26-Feb	CIVICS EDUCATION ESSAY CONTEST Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	Submit an essay in 500 words or less on "What does the rule of law mean to you?"	https://www.ncsc.org/education-and-careers/civics-education/contest	\$1000, \$500, \$250
28-Feb	ABPA HARRINGTON-ARTHUR ESSAY Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	"Describe the meaning of backflow prevention and how we can keep our drinking water safe through cross connection control. Identify potential hazards commonly found in a typical residential household and discuss actions needed to correct them." (The following website needs to be copy and pasted into your search engine. It will not hyper link.)	https://www.abpa.org/page/Scholarship	\$1,500