

Scholarship Bulletin -- as of 3/7/2018

For more scholarship opportunities and websites check your high school scholarship webpage.

Phi Delta Kappa

Deadline: 3/8/2018 Amount: \$250
Eligibility: SENIORS: pursuing a career in teaching, must be connected to the PDK family of associations (see website), min GPA of 3.5
Procedures:
web: www.pdkintl.org

Ewing C. Kelly Scholarship

Deadline: 3/10/2018 Amount: \$2,500
Eligibility: SENIOR: Designed to reward students who demonstrate good citizenship while striving to attain their academic goals. Judged on academic merit, extra-curricular achievements-both scholastically and in the community. Applicant must be accepted, or have an application pending, at an accredited institution of higher learning, public or private, including community college. If planning on a 4-yr college must have a composite score of 20 on the ACT or a composite score of 1030 on SAT. Must be a US citizen or have green card.
Procedures: This is a general scholarship that can be used at any 2 or 4-yr. College. Application is on-line or in hardcopy available from the Career Center. Last year over 500 applications were judged and 52 awards were given!
web: <http://kellyfoundationwashington.org/>

Masonic Academic Scholarship

Deadline: 3/16/2018 Amount: \$2,000 to \$4,000
Eligibility: EXTENDED DEADLINE! Senior: for students planning to attend a four-year B.A. or B.S. Consideration given for family income and financial constraints, plus places preference on first generation college attendees, applicant or parent disability, dependent of a US veteran, and if ever in foster care.
Procedures: Application available on the website link
web: <https://wa-masoniccharities.org/webhost/>

Masonic Vocational Scholarship

Deadline: 3/16/2018 Amount: \$2,000
Eligibility: EXTENDED DEADLINE! SENIOR: in a vocational track and planning to complete a course of study in a two year or four-year Vocational College.
Procedures: Application available on-line.
web: <https://wa-masoniccharities.org/webhost/>

Sub-Pop!

- Deadline: 3/21/2018 Amount: \$3,000, \$5,000, \$7,000
- Eligibility: SENIOR, Graduating from WA State High School planning full-time enrollment at an accredited university or college. We are looking for applicants who are involved and/or interested in music and/or the creative arts in some way. However, you do not need to be pursuing an education in the arts.
- Procedures: To apply you must submit an essay, one page or less, using any combination of the questions on the application. Applicants are also strongly (!) encouraged to send digital links and/or provide hard copies of their artwork, photos of community involvement, radio show links, videos, etc. along with their essay
- web: <https://www.subpop.com/scholarship>

SISU Children's Fund

- Deadline: 3/30/2018 Amount: \$1000, \$2,500 (BTC)
- Eligibility: SENIOR, have medical and/or physical disability, interested in continuing their education at a technical, community (even Beauty School), or 4-yr college. Additionally, they'll award a \$2500 scholarship for students attending BTC. For this scholarship, apply directly to BTC Foundation Scholarship. Financial Need also considered.
- Procedures: Any type of disability qualifies. Includes ADD or psychological assessments. Funds can also be used for equipment, medical services, ancillary services. Pick up information in career
- web: www.sisuchildrensfund@gmail.com

1,000 Dreams Fund

- Deadline: 3/30/2018 Amount: \$1,000
- Eligibility: SENIOR, FEMALE: financial need, planning to attend a two-year or four-year college/university in the US.
- Procedures: Submit application on-line, include two letters of reference (to be uploaded) and answers to supplemental questions. Not renewable but students can apply again.
- web: <https://www.growyourgiving.org/scholarships/1000-dreams-scholarship-fund>

Hearthstone Housing Foundation

- Deadline: 3/31/2018 Amount: \$500-\$5,000
- Eligibility: Bellingham residents ages 16-25 are eligible to apply. 3.0 GPA, planning to attend 4-year, 2-year, Technical College or Community College. Financial Need. Renewable.
- Procedures: Must fill out FAFSA, transcript required, personal statement, 2 letters recommendation, phone interview. Do not staple pages.
- web: <https://www.hearthstonehousing.org/scholarship>

National Hispanic Scholarship Fund

Deadline: 3/31/2018 Amount: \$500-\$5,000
Eligibility: SENIOR, at least 1/4 Hispanic or Latino, minimum 3.5 GPA, US citizen or resident. Planning to enroll full time on an accredited not-for-profit 4-year university. Must have completed the FAFSA. All majors accepted, emphasis on STEM majors. Have taken the
Procedures: Application available on line.
web: <https://hsf.net/en/scholarships/programs/general-college-scholarships>

Smart Choices Scholarship

Deadline: 4/1/2018 Amount: \$1,000-\$5,000 **Nomination**
Eligibility: SENIOR must be a legal resident of Washington State, enrolled as full-time student, in good standing, in grade 12, minimum GPA of 3.20, and participates in a WIAA sanctioned high school sport or activity during Senior year. Criteria is based on athletic/activity excellence, academic achievement, leadership, community service and creativity /originality of essay or
Procedures: Complete and submit the on-line Nomination Form by following the instructions provided. Nomination Form includes personal information, academic information, leadership, and community service details. As part of the Nomination Form, each Applicant will be required, to write an essay of no more than 250 words or submit a video personal statement no longer than five (5) minutes about "How you plan to use your education to benefit others".
web: www.wiaa.com/smartchoices

Larson Gross Accountants of Tomorrow

Deadline: 4/2/2018 Amount: \$750
Eligibility: SENIOR: in Whatcom County planning to pursue a bachelor's degree in accounting, demonstrating achievements in leadership, academics, civic, and extracurricular activities.
Procedures: Application, High School Transcript, letter on recommendation from non-relative.
web: <http://larsongross.com/careers/college/scholarships/>

IBEW Local 191 Scholarship

Deadline: 4/6/2018 Amount: \$500
Eligibility: SENIOR planning to pursue a technical degree in a construction related field at a Technical or Community college.
Procedures: Complete application which is available for pick up from the high school Career Center. Include a reference letter and 300-500-word essay following the prompt on the application.
web:

PSE&SSF (Puget Sound Engineering & Soc. Of American Engineers

Deadline: 4/6/2018 Amount: \$1,000 Seven will be awarded
Eligibility: SENIOR, US citizen Accepted for study towards a bachelor's degree in engineering, science or related field at a college/university
Procedures: Community honors, extracurricular activities, leadership positions, references, past and present employment and volunteer activities. Applications are available on line.
web: www.psessf.org

Society of American Military Engineers (SAME)

Deadline: 4/6/2018 Amount: One @ \$1,500
Twelve @ 1,000

Eligibility: SENIOR: The applicant must be a US citizen accepted into a full-time program of study towards a Bachelor of Science (BS) Degree in engineering, science, technology, or a related field at an accredited college or university.

Procedures: See website for detailed instructions
web: www.psessf.org

Something to Smile About

Deadline: 4/13/2018 Amount: \$1,000

Eligibility: SENIOR: planning to attend an accredited technical college, community college or 4-year university the fall after graduation.

Procedures: Submit application, available from the career center, along with two letters of recommendation and essay. See application for essay prompt

web:

Fire Protection Technology Scholarship

Deadline: 4/13/2018 Amount: Full tuition, books and more

Eligibility: SENIOR: planning to enroll in Skagit Valley College for the Fire Protection Program. 9-12 scholarships will be awarded to applicants that pass the screening. The scholarship covers the cost of the SVC Fire Protection program tuition, fees, books, uniforms and certification

Procedures: Complete application for SVC and the FAFSA, complete scholarship application and submit by deadline

web:

Republican Women of Whatcom County

Deadline: 4/14/2018 Amount: \$500

Eligibility: SENIOR: min 3.0 GPA, planning to further education at a college, university or vocational school. Application is available only in hardcopy and available from the Career Center

Procedures: Letter of recommendation required along with an essay (500-1,000 words) on " Which Conservative Woman in US History or Present do you admire and why?" Also include a short essay describing one political or community service activity you have been involved in.

web:

BIAWC Building Industry Association of WA -

Deadline: 4/16/2018 Amount: \$1,000 or more

Eligibility: SENIOR: Whatcom County resident, planning to pursue post-secondary degree education at college, vocational, private or public. The applicant must own or work for, or be a family member of anyone who owns or works for a BIAWC member company.

Procedures: Submit transcript and three letters of recommendation along with essay on your career goals.

web: <http://www.biawc.com/education/scholarships/>

Northwest Washington Fair Scholarship

Deadline: 4/20/2018 Amount: \$1,000
Eligibility: Senior, with interests in agriculture or related fields of study at an accredited institution, including four-year universities/colleges, community colleges, vocational/technical colleges
Procedures: Application available from the Career Center. Must provide transcript, two character references, essay and personal interview.
web:

John Fassett Memorial Scholarship

Deadline: 4/27/2018 Amount: \$500
Eligibility: SENIOR: Entering a community college, trade or university fall after graduation. Community Service. Awards and recognition and financial need are considered but not required.
Procedures: Complete application and submit to the email provided. Include two letters of recommendation as well as a personal statement from student. Transcript required. Application available from the Career Center
web:

Whatcom County Farm Bureau

Deadline: 4/30/2018 Amount: \$500 and up
Eligibility: SENIOR, son, daughter, or legal dependent of a Whatcom County Farm Bureau member. Planning to attend a four-year, two year or technical college. Money paid to your college AFTER recipient has completed one term and received a 2.75+ and is enrolled full-time for
Procedures: Completion of application cover page, proof of acceptance by college, transcript, 2 letters of character reference, and three essays addressing: The importance of Farm Bureau, Career Ambition and Leadership and Community Service. Application available from the Career
web:

Matt Herzog Memorial Scholarship

Deadline: 4/30/2018 Amount: \$2,000
Eligibility: SENIOR: planning to pursue a career in, or related to, law enforcement; planning to attend college full-time in the fall.
Procedures: Complete application, 3 letters of recommendation, 500-word min. essay on "How I can make a difference in Law Enforcement", transcripts, oral interviews may be required. Application available from the Career Center.
web:

Columbia Elementary Parent Association Scholarship

Deadline: 5/11/2018 Amount: \$1,000
Eligibility: Senior, attended Columbia Elementary School for 3 years and/or all of 5th grade. Community Service, Cum GPA of 2.75, availability to attend awards ceremony in June preferred. Two scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$1,000 to be used for books,
Procedures: Submit essay (300 words or less) see prompt on application, or a ten-minute video on the topic listed. Copy of high school transcript.
web:

B.A.S.E.

Deadline: 5/11/2018 Amount: \$1,000
Eligibility: SENIOR, 2.5+ GPA, based on financial need, planning to attend a community, technical or 4-yr college
Procedures: Application available in Career Center. Apply using the hard-copy application. Must include transcripts and 'appraisal' (recommendation).
web:

The Zebra "Show Your Stripes" Scholarship

Deadline: 5/31/2018 Amount: \$1,000
Eligibility: SENIOR: planning to attend a four-year university, community college or trade school in the continental United States.
Procedures: Submit a two-minute video or a three-photo album of you and your best friend, or your grandma, or your neighbor, it's up to you, and tell them what different things you like about each other, what you've learned from your relationship and what message you have about
web: <https://www.thezebra.com/insurance-news/5077/2018-scholarship-the-zebra/>

College Is Power

Deadline: 5/31/2018 Amount: \$1,000
Eligibility: SENIOR: planning to attend 2 yr. or technical college or university fall after graduation. US citizen or permanent resident.
Procedures: Complete on-line application and 150-word essay on "What is your primary goal for going to school?"
web: <http://www.collegeispower.com/scholarship.cfm>

Scholarship Detective

Deadline: 5/31/2018 Amount: \$1,000
Eligibility: 9-12: permanent resident of the US.
Procedures: Complete the online application and 140-word essay on " How will you use this scholarship?" . This is a scholarship search engine.
web: <http://www.scholarshipdetective.com/scholarship/>

Abbott and Fenner Scholarship Program

Deadline: 6/14/2018 Amount: \$1,000
Eligibility: Junior or Senior To apply for this scholarship you will need to write an essay on the topic listed on the scholarship website.
Procedures: The A&F Scholarships are available to all high school juniors and seniors as well as all students currently registered in any accredited post-secondary institution.
web: <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm>

Big Sun Scholarship

Deadline: 6/19/2018 Amount: \$500
Eligibility: SENIOR all student athletes are eligible regardless of the sport they are engaged in.
Procedures: Application is on-line. Requires short essay answering these questions: What are your most important extracurricular or community activities? What made you join these activities? What made you continue to contribute to them?
web: <http://www.bigsunathletics.com>

Resume Companion

Deadline: 7/15/2018 Amount: \$1,000
Eligibility: SENIOR: planning to attend four-year university fall after graduation
Procedures: Create a resume based on the life of any fictional or non-fictional character from TV, history, literature or myth. The resume should not be about yourself or your own experiences. Should be no longer than two pages. Submit on-line.
web: <https://resumecompanion.com/scholarship>

Aspiring Nurse Scholarship

Deadline: 8/31/2018 Amount: \$1,000
Eligibility: SENIOR, academic achievement, particularly in science and math, planning to pursue college education in nursing including LPN/LVN, AND BSN programs.
Procedures: There is a 500-word essay required, apply on-line.
web: <https://www.nursingschoolsalmanac.com/articles/2018-aspiring-nurse-scholarship>

AES Engineers

Deadline: 10/6/2018 Amount: \$500
Eligibility: SENIOR: planning on attending post-secondary school in the fall.
Procedures: Submit essay between 500 - 100 words, via email ESSAY topic-When you look back on your life in 30 years, what would it take for you to consider your life successful? What relationships or accomplishments will be important on this journey? Include your name and the name of your high school. You are not required to be taking Engineering courses to be eligible.
web: <http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm>

P.E.O. STAR Scholarship

Deadline: 11/1/2018 Amount: \$2,500
Eligibility: WOMEN begin application Junior Year, finish Nov. of Senior Year. Applicants are Woman who: Exhibits excellence in leadership, academics, extracurricular activities, community service and potential for future success. Is in the final academic year (senior year) of her secondary education and is 20 years of age or under at the end of the calendar year Has a minimum cumulative unweighted GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale Is a citizen or legal permanent resident of the United States or Canada
Plans to attend an accredited postsecondary educational institution in the United States or Canada, full-time or part-time, in the fall of the academic year following high school graduation
Procedures: Submission of the chapter recommendation form and chapter recommendation letter (thoroughly introducing the applicant and explaining her outstanding qualities and achievements) must be made online between September 1 and November 1.
web: