



Scholarship Listing January 2024

Name	Amount	Grade	Requirements	Deadline
Spectrum Bay News 9 Project Weather Scholarship	\$1,000	12	One qualified high school senior from each of our seven area counties: Citrus, Hernando, Hillsborough, Manatee, Pasco, Pinellas, and Polk will be awarded \$1,000. Project Weather Scholarship is granted as part of Spectrum Bay News 9's commitment to educating children about science and weather. https://baynews9.com/projectweather	1/8 2024
Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship	Varies	12	To be eligible for a Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship, an applicant must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Be a graduating, minority high school senior - Be a United States citizen - Present evidence of financial need - Demonstrate a record of academic excellence - Demonstrate leadership potential and a dedication to community service - Plan to attend an accredited and approved 4-year college within the United States or affiliated with a United States-based college or university - Have not accrued more than 25% of credits needed to graduate from college. For more information and application: https://jackierobinson.org/apply/	1/10/2024
Fidelity Scholars Program	Varies	12	Requirements: The program is open to underrepresented and historically underserved students ages 16-24 who are permanent residents of Florida, Massachusetts, New Mexico, New Jersey, North Carolina, Texas, and Washington DC. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2.5 – 3.5 unweighted GPA or GED - Pell-eligible and/or demonstrate financial need - Attend as an incoming 2024-25 freshman as an in-state resident at a four-year accredited, non-profit college or university. For more information and application: https://unconf.org/programs/fidelityscholars-program	1/11/2024
Mensa Foundation Scholarship	Varies	12	The Mensa Foundation works to identify and foster human intelligence for the benefit of humanity and to encourage research into the nature, characteristics, and uses of intelligence. Among the Mensa Foundation's major programs is its scholarship program, which annually gives over 100 awards based on the merit of a short essay submission. Essays are submitted online, at https://www.mensafoundation.org/what-we-do/scholarships/	1/15/2024

Kevin Knox II, Karter Knox, and the D.E.L.T.A., Inc. Foundation Scholarships	Varies	12	Apply to three scholarships with one application! Applicant must be a graduating, college-bound, High School Senior who attends a public, private, parochial or charter school in Hillsborough County, Florida. The target population is African American male or female students who demonstrate a need for financial assistance to begin their first year of college. GPA of 3.0 or above required to apply. For more information, go to: https://deltainctampabay.org/scholarships	1/15/2024
The Coolidge Scholarship of America	Varies	11 - 12	2023 Coolidge Scholarship applicants must intend to enroll full-time at an accredited U.S. college or university as an undergraduate for the first time in fall 2024. That is to say, students in their junior year of high school, or the equivalent if home schooled, are eligible to apply. (Students who are currently high school juniors but take some courses at a local college are indeed eligible to apply for the Coolidge Scholarship.) For more information go to https://coolidgescholars.org/	1/18/2024
JCI Senate Scholarship	\$1,000	12	Each year (April) \$1,000 grants will be awarded to graduating high school seniors in the United States, who plan to continue their education at accredited post-secondary colleges, universities, or vocational schools. The number of grants awarded annually will be at the discretion of the Florida JCI Senate Foundation. The monies must be used for educational expenses in the first year of full-time study. Checks awarded will be made out in the name of the recipient and the educational institution of their choice. Application: http://usjcisenate.org/index.php/scholarship-program	1/19/2024
Nu Upsilon Zeta Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Thelma Louise Stokes Craig Scholarship	Varies	12	Applicant must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a Black/African-American female high school senior • Be enrolled in an accredited public, parochial, charter, or private high school in Hillsborough County, FL • Plan to attend an accredited institution of higher learning at the beginning of the 2024-2025 academic year. Link for more information and/or Application: https://form.jotform.com/233106464279155	1/20/2024
Hillsborough Education Foundation Senior Scholarships	Varies	12	Hillsborough Education Foundation awards twelfth grade students with aspirations of continuing their education after high school at a university, community or technical college with scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$40,000. Scholarships are awarded based on a variety of criteria such as GPA, field of study, financial need, challenges overcome, SAT/ACT scores, school, community service or extracurricular activity participation. Information and Application: https://educationfoundation.com/linksforstudents/senior-scholarships/	1/31/2024
Beta Sigma Zeta Chapter Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Inc.	Varies	12	Must be a female senior high school senior who qualifies for free or reduced fare lunch based upon U.S. Federal guidelines. NOTE: Applicants do not have to receive free or reduced fare lunch, they simply need to meet the qualifications for it. Must be graduating in May (spring) of the award year and enrolling as a full-time student in an accredited college or university in the fall of the same year. Must have a minimum 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale and demonstrate financial need. For more information and application, visit: https://z-nefscholarships.smapply.org/res/p/Scholarship-Programs/	2/1/2024
Artist Paj'on Scholarship	(4) \$1,000 - \$5,000	12	Eligibility Requirements: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Must be attending college Fall Semester 2024 at an accredited institution 2. Must be a minority 3. Must provide transcript (official transcript or unofficial) and have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 4. Must complete the online application 5. Must provide two letters of recommendation from non-relatives 6. Must be a 2024 graduating high school senior in the Tampa, FL or surrounding county area only (within 50 miles of Hillsborough County) 7. Must provide at least a 500-word essay on one of the following topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How will you use your college education to improve your community? 	2/1/2024

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discuss a specific time where you displayed strong leadership qualities that will prepare you for your future. <p>8. Must Return completed Application and all requirements via online submission by February 1st 2024.</p> <p>For more information and application: www.apsscholarships.org</p>	
The Helping Project – Black American Engineering Scholarship Award	Up to \$10,000	12	<p>A nonprofit out of Clearwater dedicated to improving lives through focused action. The Black American Engineering Scholarship Award provides up to \$10,000 in flexible scholarship funds plus a robust professional mentorship program for any Black American with a financial need to pursue a four-year degree in engineering. For more information and to apply online, students can visit their website at https://thehelpingproject.org/scholarship/</p>	2/18/2024
Bailey Family Foundation	\$5,000 per year for 4 years	12	<p>Application Opens January 1st, 2024.</p> <p>For information: www.bailey-family.org.</p>	2/29/2024
Sunshine Opportunity Scholarships	(10) \$25,000	12	<p>Applicants must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher, demonstrate that they have overcome significant obstacles in life and have financial need as indicated through the FAFSA report. The Sunshine Opportunity Scholarships place special emphasis on these criteria in evaluating applications: Academic achievement, standardized test scores (SAT and/or ACT), having overcome significant obstacles in life and financial need. Put your best effort into the essay as it reflects your intelligence and your education thus far and helps us to evaluate your potential for success in college.</p> <p>More information and application: https://sunshineopportunitiescholarships.com/</p>	3/2/2024
Nativity Catholic Church St. Gerard Circle Scholarship	\$1,000 (2)	12	<p>Applicant Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be a resident of the Greater Brandon area (surrounding area to include Tampa, St. Petersburg, Lakeland, Plant City, etc.) and currently attending a local high school. (or homeschooled in the local Brandon area). Must apply to an accredited institution of higher learning (i.e. Junior College, 4-year college, university or technical institute). Have an academic standing of a 3.0 unweighted – grade point average. <p>For more information and application: https://www.nativitycatholicchurch.org/scholarship</p>	3/28/2024
Mark Wandall Foundation Scholarship	Varies	12	<p>The Mark Wandall Foundation is proud to offer scholarships to graduating seniors and/or young adults (age 25 or younger) who are residents of the State of Florida seeking post-secondary education and who have suffered the death of a parent, sibling, or guardian.</p> <p>For more information and application: www.themarkwandallfoundation.org/scholarship-program/</p>	3/31/2024
Lambda Theta Sigma Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc Golden Scholars Award	\$1,000	12	<p>The Lambda Theta Sigma chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. is offering a \$1,000 Golden Scholars Award scholarship to a minority female senior that has been accepted to a 4-year college/university. To be eligible you must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Have a weighted grade point average of 3.5 or higher. Submit proof of college acceptance. Submit a Permanent Record Summary or Transcript. Submit a 500-word essay responding to the following topic: How will you do your part in improving the plight of minorities in the United States and globally, especially on the African continent? Submit proof of Expected Family Contribution from the FAFSA Student Aid Report (SAR). <p>Submit the completed application and attach a self-photo at www.ltssgrhos.org/golden-scholar-award/ by 4/1/24</p>	4/1/2024