

SCHOLARSHIP LIST

Scholarship America Dream Award

Opening Fall 2016

Scholarship America's Dream Award is a renewable scholarship fund targeted toward completion. Awards will be given to students entering their second year or higher of education beyond high school, based on the fact that too often scholarships are only offered in their freshman year. Award amounts will grow each year, helping ensure that students can afford to complete their degrees.

Dream Award scholarships for 2016-17 will include general scholarships; STEM scholarships (for study in science, technology, engineering and math-related majors); and the World Journal Award for Chinese-American Students. Financial need will be considered in determining award amounts.

To qualify, students must have received a high school diploma or equivalent from a U.S. school, and must be planning to complete a minimum of one full year of postsecondary education by the end of the 2015 year. Applicants must plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at the sophomore-year level or higher at an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school in the United States for the entire 2016-17 academic year, and must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (or its equivalent). Finally, applicants must be U.S. citizens, U.S. permanent resident (holders of a Permanent Resident Card), or individuals granted deferred action status under the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals Program (DACA).

To read detailed criteria and start your application, visit the Dream Award page of our site.

AXA Achievement Scholarship

Deadline: December 15, 2016

The AXA Achievement Scholarship, sponsored by the AXA Foundation, provides scholarship awards of \$2,500, \$10,000 and \$25,000, with winners in every state nationwide. In addition, every winner's high school will receive a grant of \$1,000.

The program is open to high school seniors who plan to enroll in a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two- or four-year college or university. Applicants must be United States citizens or legal residents and must have demonstrated ambition and self-drive as evidenced by an outstanding achievement in a school, community, or workplace activity. More information is available at the AXA Foundation website.

Dr Pepper Tuition Giveaway Promotion and Contest

Video Submission Deadline: October 17, 2016

Every student deserves a chance to realize their potential. That's why Dr Pepper gave away over \$1,000,000 in tuition last year to help students across the country pursue their dreams.

Since 2008, the Dr Pepper Tuition Giveaway has changed lives by giving away millions of dollars in tuition. With the challenges of rising tuition costs and studying full-time, we take pride in helping students achieve their goals.

If you're a student between the ages of 18-24, you can submit your One Of A Kind story to enter for the chance to compete to win up to \$100,000 in tuition. You'll be eligible to submit a video once you reach 50 votes.

Dr Pepper will select finalists for a chance to compete to win up to \$100,000 in tuition at a college football championship game. Find more information at www.drpeppertuition.com.

The Kaplan University/American Freedom Foundation Scholarship Program

Deadline: November 18, 2016

In thanks to our military families, The Kaplan University/American Freedom Foundation Scholarship Program sponsored by Kaplan University and American Freedom Foundation provides partial and full scholarship awards to assist spouses and dependent children of U.S. service personnel who choose to enroll in applicable Kaplan University online associate's or bachelor's degree programs. (Nursing candidates will require additional eligibility verification). To be eligible, applicants must have received their high school diploma by the application deadline. Current and prior Kaplan University students are not eligible.

For more information, please visit <https://www.scholarshipamerica.org/aff>.

Voya Unsung Heroes

Deadline: April 30, 2017

The Voya Unsung Heroes Awards Program annually provides grants to K-12 educators who are utilizing new teaching methods and techniques for classroom/school projects to improve learning. Educators are welcome to submit grant applications describing projects they have initiated or would like to pursue. Each project is judged on its innovative method, creativity, and ability to positively influence students. Each year, one hundred educators are selected to receive \$2,000 each to help fund their innovative class projects. Three recipients are then selected to receive additional top awards of \$5,000, \$10,000, and \$25,000.

Applicants must be employed by an accredited K-12 public or private school located in the United States and must be full-time educators, teachers, principals, paraprofessionals, or classified staff with projects that improve student learning. Find out more and apply at www.scholarsapply.org/unsungheroes.

ACT Foundation Second-Year Scholarship Program

Opening January 2017

The Account Control Technology Foundation's Second-Year Scholarship Program is for current undergraduate students who plan and qualify to enroll as second-year students (sophomores) in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited four-year college or university in the Fall of the following academic year.

A total of 25 \$1,000 scholarships are awarded to college students nationwide. For application materials, visit accountcontrolfoundation.org and look for the ACT Foundation Second-Year Scholarship Program.

Arborjet Taking Root Scholarship Program

Opening April 2017

Arborjet has established its Taking Root Scholarship Program to encourage and enable bright and promising young students to fulfill their dreams of entering careers in the arboriculture industry.

Scholarships are offered for students looking to pursue full-time studies in Forestry, Plant Sciences, Horticulture, Entomology, Environmental Science or a related major at an accredited two- or four-year college or university of the student's choice.

For more information, please visit <http://sms.scholarshipamerica.org/arborjet/index.html>.

BURGER KING Scholars Program

Opening Fall 2016

Integrity, high standards, entrepreneurial spirit, good citizenship and education were the values that defined BURGER KING® co-founder James W. McLamore. It was those values that helped realize a dream and it is those same values that are the core of the BURGER KING McLAMORE Foundation.

Administered by the Foundation, the BURGER KING Scholars program assists employees, employees' spouses or domestic partners, employees' children and high school seniors in the United States, Puerto Rico and Canada in continuing their education.

High school seniors are invited to apply for the Burger King Scholars program if they live in the United States, Canada or Puerto Rico; have a cumulative high school grade point average of 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale, or the equivalent; and plan to enroll full-time in 2016-17 at an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school in the U.S., Canada or Puerto Rico. To apply, visit <https://www.scholarsapply.org/burgerkingscholars>.

CBCF General Mills Health Scholarship Program

Opening Early 2017

The CBCF General Mills Health Scholarship Program, sponsored by General Mills, is open to students living in a Congressional Black Caucus district who plan to continue their education in the fields of medicine, engineering, technology, nutrition or another health-related field and have financial need. Applicants must be high school seniors or graduates or be current postsecondary undergraduates or graduate level students, who plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate or graduate study at an accredited two-year or four-year college, university, or vocational-technical school for the entire upcoming academic year.

Applicants must have a minimum grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale (or its equivalent) and live in a Congressional Black Caucus district. Review the guidelines and apply at sms.scholarsapply.org/cbcfgeneralmillshealth/.

Cognizant Making The Future Scholarship Program

Opening Early 2017

The Cognizant Making the Future scholarship program recognizes today's inspiration as tomorrow's innovation. Cognizant is committed to preparing the next generation with the skills they will need to be active participants in an environment that will become increasingly dominated by technology. Making The Future is a design-based scholarship, and candidates will be required to submit video documentation of a hands-on project that illustrates both creativity and innovation.

Students may submit a project for consideration if they are: citizens or legal permanent residents of the United States; pursuing a career in a STEM field; eligible to enroll or currently enrolled at a vocational-technical school or a two- or four-year accredited college or university, with a full course of undergraduate study; and in good academic standing with a minimum of a 2.5 grade point average.

Scholarship recipients will earn \$5,000 awards. To learn more and get started, visit the Cognizant Educational Opportunity website and click on “Making the Future U.S. College Scholarship Program.”

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program

Opening Mid-October 2016

The GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program, sponsored by The Ronald Reagan Foundation and General Electric Company (GE), is offering \$10,000 scholarships to high school seniors in the United States. The GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program is open to current high school seniors who demonstrate the attributes of leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship similar to those exhibited by President Ronald Reagan. Like President Reagan, candidates use the formative experiences of their youth to lead, serve, and pursue a life of purpose and significance, both individually and for their communities. Renewable scholarships are offered for full-time study at an accredited four-year college or university in the United States. For more information, visit www.reaganfoundation.org/scholarships.

GEICO IT Scholarship

Opening November 2016

The GEICO IT Scholarship program awards up to six \$5,000 scholarships to current college sophomores or juniors.

Eligible applicants must: be U.S. citizens or permanent residents; be pursuing a degree in Computer Science, Computer Engineering, Information Systems, Mathematics, HCI (human computer interaction) or related technical degree program; plan to remain enrolled in full time undergraduate study for the entire 2016-2017 academic year; and have a minimum grade point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale (or its equivalent). Children of GEICO associates are ineligible to apply.

Awards are not renewable, but students may reapply to the program each year they meet eligibility requirements. Awards are for undergraduate study only.

For more information, visit scholarsapply.org/geico_tech.

Great Lakes National Scholarship

Opening February 2017

The Great Lakes National Scholarship Program, funded by the Great Lakes Educational Loan Services, Inc., is offering \$2,500 scholarships for undergraduate and graduate students from across the country.

The Great Lakes National Scholarship Program is open to high school seniors or graduates or current postsecondary undergraduates or graduate level students who are United States citizens or permanent residents. They must plan to enroll in a full-time STEM (science, technology, engineering or math) field of study at an accredited non-profit public or private two-year or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school in the United States for the entire academic year. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale (or its equivalent) is required along with demonstrated financial need.

Learn more at www.scholarsapply.org/greatlakes.

James Beard Foundation Scholarship Program

Opening Spring 2017

James Beard is fondly remembered by friends and colleagues as a man who offered unstinting help and encouragement to people embarking on a culinary career. Upholding Beard's legacy of culinary education and support through our scholarship program is an essential component of the James Beard Foundation's mission.

The Friends of James Beard Foundation Scholarships and the James Beard Foundation School Scholarships have been established to assist aspiring culinary professionals who plan to further their education at a licensed or accredited culinary school. Professional grants are also available for independent work, study and travel. Find out more at jamesbeard.org/education/scholarships-and-grants or sms.scholarsapply.org/jamesbeard.

Lumerit Scholars Program

Opening Fall 2017

Lumerit Education is proud to introduce the Lumerit Scholars Program, which will provide \$2,500 scholarships to part-time and full-time students at accredited colleges or technical schools for the 2016-17 academic year. To apply, you must be a high school graduate with a minimum high school GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale, or equivalent), or a current college student with a minimum college GPA of 2.5.

Awards are for undergraduate study only, and scholarship recipients are selected on the basis of academic record, demonstrated leadership, participation in school and community activities, honors, work experience, statement of goals and aspirations, unusual personal or family circumstances and an outside appraisal.

Find out more and apply at scholarsapply.org/lumerit.

MathMovesU Middle School Scholarship

Opening Early 2017

Calling All Middle School Students!

6th, 7th and 8th graders — tell us how math moves your world. Each year, MathMovesU® awards 150 middle school students nationwide \$1,000 scholarships to attend math and science camps and programs, or to save the money for college. Raytheon also donates a \$1,000 matching grant to each winning student's middle school. More information is available at MathMovesU.com!

State Farm Good Neighbor Scholarship

Opening January 2017

The State Farm Companies Foundation believes that all children deserve an education that helps them reach their potential and prepares them for life.

The State Farm Good Neighbor Scholarship Program was established to provide financial assistance to high school seniors who plan to attend college, technical, or vocational school, but who may not be able to meet the expenses of a higher education without such aid and often do not qualify for other scholarships.

The scholarship doesn't require a high GPA, but rather focuses on students who are leaders and volunteers in their communities and demonstrate financial need. Applicants must be graduating high school seniors in 2016, and have a GPA between 2.5 and 3.2 on a 4.0 scale. You must also plan to enroll full-time for the 2016-17 academic year at an accredited 2- or 4-year school. Learn more at the application site.

ThanksUSA Scholarship Program

Opening Spring 2017

ThanksUSA "thanks" the men and women of the United States Armed Forces by awarding need-based college, technical and vocational school scholarships for their children and spouses.

In 2016, ThanksUSA will award up to 500 scholarships. Most recipients will receive awards of \$3,000 to use for qualified educational expenses, and one eligible military spouse will earn a full undergraduate scholarship to Kaplan University's online program.

Applicants must be the spouse or the dependent child (age 24 or younger) of a U.S. military servicemember who served at least 180 days active duty after 9/11/2001. Applicants must also be high school seniors, high school graduates or college/technical school undergraduates with a minimum 2.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale. (Spouses may also use the award for non-degree licensure and certification programs regardless of whether an undergraduate degree has already been completed.)

To check your eligibility and apply, please visit thanksusa.org.

Toshiba Machine Co., America Scholarship Program

Opening January 2017

The Toshiba Machine Co., America Scholarship Program was established to assist students pursuing an industrial maintenance or plastics processing program of study. Recipients will earn \$2,500 scholarship awards for full-time study at an accredited institution of their choice.

High school seniors, high school graduates and college undergraduates may apply, as long as they plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited school for the upcoming academic year. Applicants must be enrolled or planning to enroll in an industrial maintenance or plastics processing program of study, and must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 (for high school students) or 2.5 (for college students) on a 4.0 scale. For more information and an application form, visit the Toshiba Machine Co., America website.
