

# Scholarships:

## NEW THIS WEEK: 11-27-17:

The **Sacramento Regional Community Foundation** houses many scholarships for students **living in the Sacramento and surrounding areas**. The scholarships can be found on the following website <http://www.sacregcf.org/students/>. The deadlines vary.

## PREVIOUSLY HIGHLIGHTED:

**Your parent a current or previous member of a union?** You may be eligible to apply for the **Union Plus Scholarship**. More information is available on their website <https://1unionplusscholars.communityforce.com/Funds/Search.aspx>. The application deadline is **January 31, 2018**.

**Graduating high school seniors in Northern & Central CA** can apply for the **eQuality Scholarship** to recognize service to the lesbian/gay/bisexual/transgender community. Apply online at [www.equalityscholarship.org](http://www.equalityscholarship.org). Deadline to apply is **February 1, 2018**.

Calling all **artists & writers!!** Over \$10 million in scholarships are available to artists and writers at [www.artandwriting.org](http://www.artandwriting.org).

The **Big Sun Organization** is offering an annual \$500 scholarship to a high school **senior currently involved in sports**. Apply on-line at <http://www.bigsunathletics.com>. Application deadline is **June 19, 2018**.

**Juniors with high academic merit** can apply for the **Coolidge Scholarship** (a full-ride scholarship that covers tuition, room and board for 4 years). **This scholarship is only open to high school JUNIORS**. The application is online at [Coolidgescholars.org](http://Coolidgescholars.org) and the deadline to apply is **January 24, 2018**.

**Burger King** is offering scholarships to **high school seniors who have at least a 2.5 GPA and are active in their community through volunteering, sports, clubs and/or**

religious organizations. Apply online at [www.bk-scholars.com](http://www.bk-scholars.com). The deadline to apply is **December 15, 2017**.

**The Cabrillo Civic Club #5** is offering a scholarship to seniors who are of Portuguese descent, have at least a 3.5 GPA, and have participated in at least 3 extracurricular activities. Applications are in the College & Career Center and the deadline to apply is **March 15, 2018**.

The **American Foreign Service Association** is hosting a national high school essay contest. The essay topic and more information is available on their website [www.afsa.org/essaycontest](http://www.afsa.org/essaycontest). The deadline to apply is **March 15, 2018**.

Students between the ages of 15-18.5 with at least a 3.0 GPA can apply for the **Congress-Bundestag Youth Exchange Scholarship**. This is a scholarship to study abroad in Germany. Apply online at [www.USAGermanyScholarship.org](http://www.USAGermanyScholarship.org). The deadline to apply is **December 12, 2017**.

The **Sons of Italy Western Foundation** is offering scholarships to high school seniors of Italian decent in the following areas: Academic Scholarship, Italian Language Study Grant, Athletic Award for high school senior pursuing a career in sports or a sport-related field. Applications are available online at [www.osiaca.org](http://www.osiaca.org) and click on the link for Scholarships. The deadline to apply is **March 1, 2018**.

The WTS-Sacramento Chapter **Will Kempton Scholarship** is open to High School female seniors in the Sacramento region who are currently studying math, science, and technology and are considering a transportation-related career (such as engineering, architecture, geography, etc). The application is online at <http://www.wtsinternational.org/sacramento//members/scholarships/> Applications are due **November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2017**.

Seniors who possess leadership, drive, integrity and citizenship are eligible to apply for the **GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship**. Apply online at [reaganfoundation.org/scholarships](http://reaganfoundation.org/scholarships). Deadline to apply is **January 4, 2018**.

The **Mitchell & Crunk Law Firm** is hosting a \$500 scholarship contest geared towards seniors who will be pursuing a law degree with the intent to specialize in

**adoption law**. The application is available online at <https://www.mitchellcrunk.com/commerce-ga-adoption-attorney/#scholarship-application>  
The deadline to apply is **May 31, 2018**.

**Elks National Foundation** is awarding a Most Valuable Student Scholarship. Applicants must be seniors and will be judged on scholarship, leadership, and financial need. Students do not need to be related to a member of the Elks. Applications are online at <https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/mvs.cfm> and the deadline to apply is **November 27, 2017**.

**California Wine & Grape Growers Association** is offering a scholarship to high schools seniors whose parent(s) or legal guardian(s) are vineyard employees of a CA Wine Grape Grower. Applications are available in the College & Career Center and are due **March 16, 2018**.

Children who are from El Dorado County and have a parent who is a military veteran are eligible to apply for the **Honor Our Troops Service Scholarship**. Scholarship requirements and information can be found on the Honor Our Troops website <http://www.honorourtroops.us/scholarship.php>.

**Athnet** is offering a \$1000 scholarship to a senior high school athlete who will be attending a 4-year college after graduation. The scholarship information is available on their website at <http://www.athleticscholarships.net/scholarship-contest.htm>. The deadline to apply is **June 1, 2018**.

**Juniors and seniors** can apply for the **Democrats of El Dorado County** essay contest. The essay topic is "What do you feel should be the most pressing goal of the new President?" Applications are available in the CCC and the deadline to apply is **January 26, 2018**.

The WTS-Sacramento Chapter \$3000 **Will Kempton Scholarship** is open to High School female seniors in the Sacramento region who are currently studying math, science, and technology and are considering a transportation-related career (such as engineering, architecture, geography, etc). The application is in the College & Career Center or online at

<http://www.wtsinternational.org/sacramento//members/scholarships/>

Applications are due **November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2017**.

**The North Central District of the American Association of Family & Consumer Sciences** is offering 3 scholarships to **high school seniors who will be pursuing a degree (2 or 4-year) related to Family and Consumer Science**. Application is online at [www.aafcs-ca.org](http://www.aafcs-ca.org) and the deadline to apply is **March 22, 2018**.

Seniors, if you applying to **University of Nevada Reno** and are declaring a major in **Geography, Geology, Geophysics, Hydrogeology, Geological Engineering or Mining Engineering** you are eligible for the **MacKay School of Earth Sciences and Engineering Scholarship** (ranging from \$500-\$5000 a year). There is no outside application required other than your UNR application on which you would declare your major.

**Are you of Italian Ancestry?** Apply for the **Gold County Lodge #2705 Order Sons of Italy in America Scholarship** for \$1000. Official Transcript required. Pick up an application in the College & Career Center. Due **March 1, 2018**.

Seniors applying to Santa Clara University who have a GPA of 3.8 or higher and **minimum ACT of 30 or SAT of 1400** will be considered for the **Santa Clara Johnson Scholars Program**. Recipients receive full tuition scholarship. No extra application is required (just the Santa Clara University application).

Seniors who have at least a 3.0 GPA and are planning to pursue a career in **healthcare** can apply for the **Nurse.org Healthcare Leaders Scholarship**. Apply online at <http://nurse.org/healthcare-leaders/>. The deadline to apply is **January 29, 2018**.

High school seniors planning to major in **computer science or computer/electrical engineering** and who are interested in **working in national security**, can apply for the **Stokes Educational Scholarship** offered by the **National Security Agency**. Students who participate in the Stokes program agree to work for NSA for at least one-and-one-half times their length of study upon graduation. Visit [intelligencecareers.gov/NSA](http://intelligencecareers.gov/NSA) for more information.

High school art students are eligible to apply for the **Be The Whale \$1000 scholarship**. More info can be found on their website [bethewhale.com](http://bethewhale.com), and the entry form is available in the College & Career Center. The deadline to apply is **November 1, 2017**.

**ABODO**, a program who helps students find housing, is offering a \$500 to high school seniors who will be attending college. Students will write about what they are taking to college with them and why. Information is available in their website <https://www.abodo.com/blog/high-school-scholarship/>. The deadline to apply is **August 8, 2018**.

**Imagine America** offers \$1000 scholarships for California high school seniors who will be attending a Technical school or Trade school after graduation. They have a database on their website that lists all of their career colleges that offer their \$1000 scholarship program. More information is available here <https://www.imagine-america.org/california-scholarships-trade-schools/>.

**Wendy's Heisman Scholarship** is open to senior, top-performing student-athletes. Apply online at <https://www.wendyhighschoolheisman.com/>. The deadline to apply is **October 4, 2017**.

The **Horatio Alger Association** will be awarding seven CA students with \$22,000 scholarships. Students must have a household income of \$55,000 or less, GPA of 2.0+, see education as a way to a better future, and have involvement in extracurricular activities. The application is available at [www.horatioalger.org/scholarships](http://www.horatioalger.org/scholarships) and the deadline is **October 25, 2017**.

Are you an artist or musician? Apply for the **Young Arts scholarship**! Applications are online at <http://www.youngarts.org/apply>. You must be 15-18 years old and in grades 10-12. The deadline to apply is **October 13, 2017**.

Interested in fashion? High school students can apply for the "**Aspiring Fashion Professionals**" scholarship at [www.Fashion-Schools.org](http://www.Fashion-Schools.org). Deadline is **June 1, 2018**.

High school students interested in animation can apply for the **Celebrity Short Animation Contest**. The application is on their website [www.AnimationCareerReview.com/contest](http://www.AnimationCareerReview.com/contest). Application deadline is **December 1, 2017**.

Applying to **Washington University in St. Louis**? Stop by the CCC and let me know if you would like to be nominated to their scholars programs.

The **Quest Bridge Nation College Match** scholarship is open to **low income high school seniors**. Apply online at [www.questbridge.org](http://www.questbridge.org). Application is due **September 27, 2017**.

Check the other scholarships available at <http://www.studentscholarships.org>.