



## Scholarship Bulletin #8 November

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### TEACHING SCHOLARSHIP

The AAPT Executive Board offers the **AAPT Barbara Lotze Scholarship** for **future high school physics teachers**. Applicants must declare their intent to prepare for and engage in a career in physics teaching at the high school level. Successful applicants receive a stipend of up to \$2,000 and a complimentary AAPT Student Membership for one year. The scholarship may be granted to an individual for each of four years. Applications in which all materials, including letters of recommendation must be received by December 1, 2018 for consideration at the winter meeting of the AAPT Executive Board. To apply, visit <https://scholarships360.org/aapt-barbara-lotze-scholarship/>.

### SCHOLARSHIPS OFFERED ON A MONTHLY/QUARTERLY BASIS

**\$1,000 Cappex Easy College Money Scholarship.** Cappex is a very generous provider of college scholarships for students—they offer up to \$50,000 in awards per year! To help you pay for college, **Cappex provides an easy scholarship every month.** All you have to do is create a Cappex profile and tell us what you do in your free time. Click 'apply' and you may be the next winner of \$1000! Cappex also has some really useful tools for navigating the college admissions process. After all, their slogan is the “college search made simple” which they certainly do. To be eligible for this scholarship, students must be enrolled or planning to enroll in school in the next calendar year. This includes college/university students, community college students, and those pursuing online degrees. As the name of this scholarship suggests, transcripts and GPAs are not considered (nor are recommendations or essays for that matter). The deadline for this Cappex Scholarship is on the last day of the month. The best thing about this program is that it is **offered on a monthly basis.** If you don't win, try, try again! The application can be found online at <https://www.cappex.com/page/account/quickApply.jsp?scholarshipID=gp&code=HO1060-5->.

**Niche \$2,000 “No Essay” Scholarship.** This monthly scholarship is sponsored by Niche.com, an awesome site for checking out different schools and getting the inside scoop. An important part of the college admissions process is the idea of “fit” and Niche is a great way to see if a school is right for you. This is a super easy scholarship to apply to—it literally should take less than one minute (60 seconds). If you are a student or *will be* a student within the next 12 months then you are eligible to apply. The application simply consists of creating a Niche account. To

apply, go online at

[https://colleges.niche.com/scholarship/apply.aspx?&utm\\_source=gPPC&utm\\_medium=Paid%20Search&utm\\_content=NES&utm\\_campaign=gPPC\\_NES\\_Branded&gclid=Cl-craLb6c4CFYglgQod1gUJzQ](https://colleges.niche.com/scholarship/apply.aspx?&utm_source=gPPC&utm_medium=Paid%20Search&utm_content=NES&utm_campaign=gPPC_NES_Branded&gclid=Cl-craLb6c4CFYglgQod1gUJzQ). The deadline for this scholarship is **the last day of each month**. Only one entry allowed per person per month. A new winner will be chosen every month.

**No Bull Sports Scholarship.** No Bull Sports is a non-profit organization dedicated to uniting, educating, and empowering young women to reach their full potential. When we set out to build a community of female athletes from all walks of life, a cornerstone of our mission was to offer scholarships to deserving high school girls. No Bull Sports provides smart, trailblazing, talented young women the financial resources they need to achieve their academic and athletic goals. No Bull Sports is excited to award our inaugural scholarship of \$5,000 in December 2016 to a deserving female high school sophomore, junior, or senior to pursue her academic and athletic goals. We will award \$20,000 worth of scholarships over the course of a calendar year; **awarded quarterly**, each scholarship is worth \$5,000. For more information and to apply, visit <https://nobullsports.org/scholarships>. Deadline: December 1, 2017.

**ScholarshipPoints.com** offers scholarships for high school freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors. Members earn scholarship points for doing what they already do online: shopping, reading blogs, playing games, searching the web, taking surveys, and more! The more you do – the more points you earn – the more chances you have at winning a scholarship. ScholarshipPoints is free to join online at <https://www.scholarshippoints.com/>. **Deadline: Final day of each month.**

**UniversityTutor.com** holds a monthly \$1,000 college scholarship contest. Any student over the age of 16 is eligible and students simply need to submit a 300 word essay responding to that month's essay prompt. **The winner is selected each month** by UniversityTutor.com personnel.

**Varsity Tutors** holds a monthly \$1,000 college scholarship contest where students write an essay in response to a monthly prompt. Entries are reviewed by Varsity Tutors at the end of the month and one winner is subsequently chosen to receive the \$1,000 college scholarship. Interested students can enter the contest here: <http://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship>

## NON-SCHOOL SPECIFIC SCHOLARSHIPS

**American Chemical Society** awards renewable scholarships to African American, Hispanic, and American Indian students who want to enter the fields of chemistry or chemistry-related fields. Awards of up to \$5,000 are given to qualified applicants based on academic standing, financial need, career objective, leadership skills, and involvement in school activities and community service. Apply online at <https://www.acs.org/content/acs/en/funding-and-awards/scholarships/acsscholars.html> Deadline: March 1.

The **American Foreign Service Association National High School School Essay Contest** is available to high school students (grades 9-12). This program is meant to encourage students to "think critically about a topic of global significance and the key role diplomacy plays in connecting people and ideas." The 2018 winning essayist will receive a **\$2,500 cash prize, an all-expense-paid trip to Washington, D.C. to meet the U.S. Secretary of State, and full tuition for a Semester at Sea voyage** (once the student is enrolled at university). For more information and to enter, visit [http://www.afsa.org/essay\\_contest.aspx](http://www.afsa.org/essay_contest.aspx). The submission deadline for this scholarship is **March 15, 2019**.

**Assistance League of the Triangle Area Scholarships for Health Care Profession Students.** The Assistance League of the Triangle, a nonprofit volunteer organization, assists individuals in the Research Triangle area of NC through service, resources and financial support. Applicants must currently attend or plan to enroll at any North Carolina community college to pursue a certificate, diploma or associate's degree in the health care profession. For more information visit <https://altriangle.org/philanthropic-programs/scholarship/>. March 1, 2019 deadline.

**Ayn Rand Institute Essay Contest.** The Ayn Rand Institute sponsors annual essay contests that offer 680 prizes and over \$99,000 in prize money every year. The *Anthem* Essay Contest [First Prize is \$2,000] is open to 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> graders and has an April 25, 2019 deadline. The *Fountainhead* Essay Contest [First Prize is \$10,000] is open to 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders and has an April 25, 2019 deadline. To apply, go online at <https://www.aynrand.org/students/essay-contests>.

**Bachus and Schanker LLC Scholarship.** Students have the opportunity to apply for one of the \$2000 semiannual scholarships to be paid toward tuition for the upcoming semester. Each student must write an essay about his or her opinion(s) on the importance and efficacy of the 7th Amendment. Students are encouraged to think critically about the right to trial by a jury, and other elements of the Amendment, and it how affects their lives. Any high school senior accepted to attend a four-year university by the time of the award, or full time student attending a four-year university in the United States who carries a 3.0 cumulative GPA may apply. Eligible Students Will:  
A) Write an essay of no fewer than 800 words about your opinion on the importance and efficacy of the 7th Amendment and how it affects your life. Consideration for the entirety of the Amendment (rather than the well-known nutshell explanation of the right to trial by jury) is encouraged. B) Email their essay as a .doc or .pdf attachment to scholarship@coloradolaw.net. For more information and to apply, visit <http://www.coloradolaw.net/scholarship/>. Deadline: November 30, 2018 for a Spring Semester Award and July 30, 2019 for a Fall Semester Award.

The **BigSun Organization** offers scholarships to help young athletes succeed in their academic pursuits. The **BigSun Scholarship 2019**, valued at \$500, is open to all student athletes, regardless of which sport in which they are participating. To apply, go online at <http://www.bigsunathletics.com>. Deadline: June 19, 2019.

**Create-A-Greeting-Card \$10,000 Scholarship Contest.** Contest submissions accepted from March until January. Only 1 entry per person is allowed. Submit photo, artwork, or computer graphic for the front of a greeting card. Designs should be appropriate for business and consumer use. The student with the best design will win a \$10,000 scholarship and have the design made into an actual card to be sold. Mailed entries should not exceed 16" x 23" and the preferred format is horizontal. For more information, go online at <http://www.gallerycollection.com/greeting-cards-scholarship.htm> . March 1, 2019 deadline.

**GlaxoSmithKline Opportunity Scholarships.** These scholarships, administered by the Triangle Community Foundation, offer residents of Durham, Orange, or Wake County, **who have overcome significant adversity**, the opportunity to pursue their dreams and improve their lives through education or training. Applicants must be eligible to receive North Carolina resident tuition costs and must demonstrate the potential to succeed despite adversity as well as an exceptional desire to improve himself or herself through further education or training. Due to the nature of the scholarship, high school students seeking general scholarship assistance are discouraged from applying unless they have faced significant adversity. There are no limitations on age, income level or previous education. Similarly, there are no limitations on the course of study or type of education or training program the applicant is planning to pursue. Awards may be up to \$20,000 and application can be downloaded online at [http://www.trianglecf.org/grants\\_support/view\\_scholarships/glaxosmithkline\\_opportunity](http://www.trianglecf.org/grants_support/view_scholarships/glaxosmithkline_opportunity) . The application is an Adobe Acrobat Form. Once the application is downloaded it must be completed in Acrobat Reader by filling in the

appropriate blanks. All applications must be typed. Please read all directions on the application form before submitting an application. March 15<sup>th</sup> deadline.

The **Help America Hear Scholarship** is open nationally to high school seniors who have a hearing loss, which requires the use of hearing aid(s) in their daily life. The recipient of this scholarship will be selected by an independent group of judges to be determined by the Foundation For Sight & Sound, a 501c3 Not for Profit Corporation. The scholarship will award one student per school year, currently wearing hearing aid(s). The scholarship recipient will receive **two** state-of-the-art *ReSound Hearing Aids* which best fit his/her hearing loss, along with a \$500 Scholarship to the student's college or vocational school of choice. Applicants are asked to write an essay that highlights the student's creativity, research and life experiences. All essays **MUST** be between 500-1500 words. **DEADLINE to submit essay/scholarship packet: SUNDAY, MARCH 25, 2019** For questions or additional information about the Help America Hear Scholarship, please call (631)366-3461. *The Foundation For Sight & Sound does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, disability, sexual orientation, or military status in its selection process.* For more information about the **Foundation For Sight & Sound** or **Help America Hear**, please visit our website: [www.foundationforsightandsound.org](http://www.foundationforsightandsound.org).

The **Help America See Scholarship** is open nationally to high school seniors who are considered totally blind. The interpretation of this is someone who has no light perception and considered a person who cannot see. The recipient of this scholarship will be selected by an independent group of judges to be determined by the Foundation For Sight & Sound, a 501c3 Not for Profit Corporation. The scholarship will award one student per school year with a \$500 scholarship towards the student's college or vocational school of choice. Applicants are asked to submit an essay that highlights the student's creativity, research and life experiences. All essays **MUST** be between 500-1500 words. They can be submitted in braille or in print. **DEADLINE to submit essay/scholarship packet: SUNDAY MARCH 25, 2019.** For questions or additional information about the Scholarship, please call (631)366-3461. *The Foundation For Sight & Sound does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, disability, sexual orientation, or military status in its selection process.* For more information about the **Foundation For Sight & Sound** or our programs, please visit our website: [www.foundationforsightandsound.org](http://www.foundationforsightandsound.org).

The **Help America See Low Vision Scholarship** is open Nationally to high school seniors who are considered legally blind and have low vision or are visually impaired, requiring the use of visual aid(s), other than the use of eyeglasses, in their daily life. The recipient of this scholarship will be selected by an independent group of judges to be determined by the Foundation For Sight & Sound, a 501c3 Not for Profit Corporation. The scholarship will award one student per school year with \$500 towards the student's college or vocational school of choice. Applicants are asked to write an essay that highlights the student's creativity, research and life experiences. All essays **MUST** be between 500-1500 words. The **DEADLINE to submit essay/scholarship packet: SUNDAY, MARCH 25, 2019.** For questions or additional information about the scholarship, please call (631)366-3461. *The Foundation For Sight & Sound does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, disability, sexual orientation, or military status in its selection process.* For more information about the **Foundation For Sight & Sound** visit our website: [www.foundationforsightandsound.org](http://www.foundationforsightandsound.org).

**Hubertus W.V. Wellems Scholarship Program**, administered by the NAACP, awards \$2,000 scholarships to male seniors who are U.S. citizens planning to major in engineering, chemistry, physics or mathematical sciences. Applicants must possess a GPA of 2.5 and demonstrate financial need. NAACP membership and participation is highly desirable. For more information and to apply online, visit <http://www.aie.org/scholarships/detail.cfm?id=2000221>. March 31 deadline.

The **ICMA-RC Vantagepoint Public Employee Memorial Scholarship Fund** provides financial assistance to the surviving spouses and children of employees who have died in the line of duty. It is open to high school seniors, college undergraduate and graduate students. Applicants must plan to enroll or be enrolled full-time in an accredited college, university, or vocational-technical school. They must be the **survivors of police officers, firefighters, and other local and state government employees who have died in the line of duty**. The scholarship is awarded to students with academic merit as well as financial need. The scholarship can be used for tuition and fees. The scholarship is sponsored by the ICMA-RC Memorial Scholarship Fund, a non-profit organization founded in 2001 to honor the lives of the nation's police officers, firefighters, and other government employees who have died in service to their communities. The fund has given more than \$860,000 in scholarships to deserving students. **The deadline for this scholarship is usually about March 15, and the award amount is usually \$10,000.** For more details, visit [www.icmarc.org/prebuilt/micro/vantagescholar/](http://www.icmarc.org/prebuilt/micro/vantagescholar/)

The **Judy Corman Memorial Scholarship** open to college students interested in a career in public relations. Applicants must be majoring or (for high school seniors) declaring a major in a communications-related field. The scholarship includes a paid summer internship at the company's New York City headquarters. Applicable majors include advertising, broadcasting, communications, English, film, journalism, marketing, new media, or public relations. Candidates must have an overall GPA of 3.2 or above. One scholarship is awarded every year. The scholarship is named after Judy Corman, a publishing executive who helped bring to life the global dynamo named Harry Potter. Corman was senior vice president at Robinson, Lerer & Montgomery, a New York public relations firm. The scholarship is sponsored by New York Women in Communications Inc. (NYWICI), a non-profit organization for communications professionals in the New York metropolitan area. The organization was founded in 1929 and supports women in the field of communications at every career stage from student to corporate executives. Students are encouraged to check the organization's web site as NYWICI awards 15-20 scholarships each year, generally in the amount of \$2,500, \$5,000 or \$10,000 each. Several are awards sponsored by corporations or foundations. For more information, visit <https://journalism.ku.edu/student-opportunities/judy-corman-memorial-scholarship-and-internship-scholastic>. **The deadline for this scholarship is January 26, 2019, and the award amount is usually \$10,000.**

The **Life Lessons Scholarship Program**. This aim of this scholarship is to support students who have lost a parent or guardian. The loss of a parent or guardian is one of life's most difficult ordeals. Recognizing the character and perseverance that so many young people show in the face of such adversity, the LIFE Foundation sponsors the LIFE Lessons Scholarship Program for college-bound high school seniors. Qualified entrants who submit essays or videos about how the death of a parent or guardian impacted their lives are eligible for a Grand Prize of \$15,000 in scholarship money. The entire application for this program can be [found online](#) at <http://www.lifehappens.org/life-lessons/>. Students can apply between February 1 and March 2, 2019.

**Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation.** Awards scholarships to the sons or daughters [limited grandchildren eligibility] of Active Duty or Reserve U.S. Marines who have served at least 90 days, Veteran U.S. Marines who have received an honorable discharge, medical discharge, were wounded, or were killed while serving in the U.S. Marine Corps, Active Duty or Reserve U.S. Navy Corpsmen who are serving, or have served with a U.S. Marine unit. Applicants must have a 2.0+ GPA and the maximum family adjusted gross income does not exceed \$90,000. Applications available online at <https://www.mcsf.org/scholarship/>. January 1<sup>st</sup>- March 1 deadline.

**National Press Club Richard G. Zimmerman Journalism Scholarship.** This \$5,000 non-renewable scholarship is open to all high school seniors, regardless of gender or race, who have a 3.0 GPA and wish to pursue a career in journalism. For more information, visit <http://press.org/about/scholarships/zimmerman>. March 1 deadline.

**North Carolina High School Athletic Association Charlie Adams Endowed Student Scholarship.** This is a \$1,500 scholarship awarded to further the student-athlete's education of one **female cross-country runner** and one **male wrestler**. Nominees must submit an essay addressing how athletic participation has influenced his/her decision-making, especially pertaining to remaining drug-and alcohol-free, and the importance of athletics in teaching independence, unselfishness, and honesty and the importance of maintaining good sportsmanship and integrity in the playing arena as well as in life. To review and apply for all NCHSAA Student Athlete Scholarship Awards, visit <https://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>. mid-December and click on Scholarship/Awards. February 8, 2019.

**North Carolina High School Athletic Association Clary Medal.** The Clary Medal is an award based on the individual's excellence in athletic participation, extra-curricular activities, and community service. **One male student athlete and one female student athlete** will be selected to receive the medal and a \$2,000 scholarship each to be awarded at the NCHSAA Annual Meeting in May. Nominees must have participated on two or more varsity school-sponsored NCHSAA sanctioned athletic teams during his/her high school career, have a 3.2+ GPA, and have demonstrated athletic excellence through awards, honors, and special recognitions. To review and apply for all NCHSAA Student Athlete Scholarship Awards, visit <https://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>.mid-December and click on Scholarship/Awards. February 8, 2019 deadline.

**North Carolina High School Athletic Association Jerry McGee Endowed Student Scholarship Awarded to two senior year high school student-athletes from North Carolina High School Athletic Association member schools each year. This award is unique in that it honors both male and female student-athletes who have distinguished themselves by overcoming adversity and returned to excel beyond expectations in their scholastic athletic sport(s). Each recipient receives a one-time, \$1,000.00 award. To review and apply for all NCHSAA Student Athlete Scholarship Awards, visit <https://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>. mid-December and click on Scholarship/Awards. February 8, 2019 deadline.**

**North Carolina High School Athletic Association Pat Gainey Student Award. To provide scholarship support for two student-athletes with a focus on need-based applicants. Applicants must be either a senior, male high school athlete participating on a varsity baseball team or a senior, female student high school athlete participating on a varsity sports team at a North Carolina High School Athletic Association member high school within a county of limited financial resources. Each recipient receives a \$5,000.00 scholarship award. To review and apply for all NCHSAA Student Athlete Scholarship Awards, visit <https://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>. mid-December and click on Scholarship/Awards. February 8, 2019 deadline.**

**North Carolina High School Athletic Association Willie Bradshaw Memorial Endowed Scholarship**

To provide scholarship support to an outstanding African American, American Indian/Alaska Native\* and/or Asian Pacific Islander American\*\*, or Hispanic American student-athlete participating on a sanctioned varsity team at a North Carolina High School Athletic Association member school. Award Process: One male and one female from each of the eight regions will be selected to receive a \$750 scholarship each to further their education. From the pool of sixteen (16) regional winners, one male and female will be selected as overall state winners and receive an additional \$1,000 each. To review and apply for all NCHSAA Student Athlete Scholarship Awards, visit <https://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>. mid-December and click on Scholarship/Awards. February 8, 2019 deadline.

#### North Carolina High School Association **Lacrosse Scholarship**

Scholarship support for one male and one female senior from NCHSAA member high schools, planning to attend a college or university. College/university may be located in any of the 50 United States. One male and one female recipient will receive a \$500.00 scholarship. To review and apply for all NCHSAA Student Athlete Scholarship Awards, visit <https://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>. mid-December and click on Scholarship/Awards. April 5, 2019 deadline.

**North Carolina Society of Surveyors Education Foundation.** The Foundation offers scholarships for students to study surveying at a college or university. Scholarships are for study in a Bachelor of Science in Surveying, Bachelor of Science in Geomatics, Associate of Applied Science in Surveying Technology, or similar degree. Applicant must have been a legal resident of the State of North Carolina for the previous twelve months, must demonstrate a genuine interest in Land Surveying in the State of North Carolina as a profession, must have a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or better. Applications are available online at <http://www.ncsseducationfoundation.com/scholarships>. March 15 deadline.

**North Carolina State – United States Bowling Congress [NCS USBCA] Scholarship.** Award: \$1,500 (non-renewable) Requirements: Must be a current member of the NCS USBCA and bowling in a certified USBC North Carolina youth league. Applicant must have an unimpaired amateur standing in bowling and a GPA with expectations of admissions to any recognized college, university, or trade school. Applications may be downloaded at [www.ncbowls.com](http://www.ncbowls.com). Click on FORMS. Application must be postmarked no later than March 15.

**Optimist International Oratorical Contest.** This contest is open to high school students under the age of 18 who are planning to enroll in college and have an interest in public speaking. Winners at the district level win college scholarships. Students may choose to enroll in either a two-year or four-year college or university and may attend part-time or full-time. They must be citizens of the U.S. or Canada. The current oratorical topic is **“Is There a Fine Line Between Optimism and Reality?”** Students are required to give a 4-5 minute speech on this subject. The speech may be submitted to a local Optimist Club for entry. Winners compete at the club level, then proceed to zone competition, and finally compete at the district level. Winners at the district level include a first, second and third place scholarship award. **The deadline for this scholarship is in MARCH each year, and the award amount is usually \$1,000 - \$2,500. For more details, visit <https://www.optimist.org/member/scholarships4.cfm?>.**

**QuestBridge College Prep Scholarship for High School Juniors** provides awards that equip outstanding low-income students to compete for admission to top-ranked colleges. Selected students will receive one or more of the following awards: (1) Full scholarships to college summer programs at Harvard, Notre Dame, Stanford, or Yale; (2) Individualized college admissions counseling; (3) College admissions conference invitations at Stanford or Yale; (4) All-expense-paid campus visits; or (5) Tele-mentoring with college students at Amherst College. The application process closes March 31. For more information, visit [www.questbridge.org](http://www.questbridge.org).

**Technology Addiction Awareness Scholarship.** According to the Kaiser Family Foundation, young people spend an average of 7.5 hours a day consuming media—and this doesn't include computer use for schoolwork. With technology always at the ready at your fingertips, it can be a challenge to unplug. But taking a break from technology is healthy for both the mind and body. The Technology Addiction Awareness Scholarship is offered to help you understand the negative effects of too much screen time. You must be a high school freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior or a current or entering college or graduate school student of any level. Home schooled students are also eligible. There is no age limit. You must also be a U.S. citizen or legal resident. The

winner will receive a \$1,000 scholarship. The deadline to apply is January 30, 2019. To apply, visit <https://scholarships360.org/technology-addiction-awareness/>.

The **Tom Joyner Foundation "Full Ride" Scholarship** awards a full scholarship to one student to attend a Historically Black College and University (HBCU). The scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors with high academic records. To qualify, students must have a grade point average of 3.5 or above, SAT score of 2100 or higher, and ACT score of 30 or above. The scholarship covers all tuition expenses such as tuition, room and board, books and fees. The scholarship is renewable for up to 10 semesters, making it a full-ride scholarship for one deserving student. The scholarship recipient must be planning to attend a HBCU college in the Fall following graduation from high school. The scholarship will continue to cover all college expenses as long as the student maintains a GPA of 3.0 and is enrolled in at least 15 credit hours per semester. The prestigious scholarship is sponsored by the Tom Joyner Foundation, founded in 1998 by Tom Joyner and located in Irving, Texas. The foundation is dedicated to raising funds to support the enrollment of students in black colleges. More than \$60 million has been raised by the foundation to help more than 29,000 students attend college. **The deadline for this scholarship is usually in January , and the award amount VARIES. For more details, visit [www.tomjoynerfoundation.org](http://www.tomjoynerfoundation.org)**

**The Triangle Chapter of the Military Officers Association** provides two scholarships, for \$1,000 and \$500, to Junior ROTC cadets planning to enroll in a Senior ROTC program in college. Applicants must have a 3.0+GPA. For more information, go online at [www.trianglemoaa.com](http://www.trianglemoaa.com). Deadline: March 1, 2019

**Unigo.com Sweet and Simple Scholarship** is open to all students in the U.S. who are at least 13 years old. Students must either plan to enroll in college by the fall of 2021, or currently be enrolled in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education. Applicants must submit an essay of no more than 250 words that addresses the topic of sweet and simple gifts. Essays must describe something they received as a gift and why it meant so much to them. Submissions will be judged by content, spelling and grammar. Essays will be reviewed by a qualified panel of judges. One winner will be chosen as the best essay based on writing ability, creativity, originality and overall excellence. **The deadline for this scholarship is February 28, 2019, and the award amount is usually \$1,500. For more details, visit [www.scholarshipexperts.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/sweet-and-simple-scholarship](http://www.scholarshipexperts.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/sweet-and-simple-scholarship)**

**Unigo.com The Superpower Scholarship.** The \$2,500 Superpower Scholarship is awarded to one student yearly who best responds [in 250 words or less] to the following online question: *"Which superhero or villain would you want to change places with for a day and why?"* Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents and must have completed a scholarship search profile online at <http://www.scholarshipexperts.com/our-scholarships/superpower-scholarship>. Application deadline is March 31, 201\*

**UNCF Step Scholars Program.** The United Negro College Fund (UNCF) has partnered with The Fund II Foundation to establish a scholarship program to help African American students seeking careers in STEM fields - science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. The Fund II Foundation UNCF STEM Scholars Program will identify 100 African American high school students who are determined to pursue careers in STEM fields. These students will receive scholarships, internships, mentoring and other tools to help them reach their goals. With African Americans making up less than five percent of the science and engineering workforce, and less than one percent of all tech startups, this partnership addresses the challenges of more African American students graduating with STEM degrees into the STEM workforce. The Fund II Foundation UNCF STEM Scholars Program will create a robust pipeline of African American students well prepared to have careers in the tech industry and to become the next generation of innovators and entrepreneurs. **The deadline for this scholarship is January, 2019, and the award**



amount is usually \$2,500 to \$5,000. For more details, visit [https://scholarships.uncf.org/program/details/c0c83a41-abc6-42ef-a607-fd59560fc229?\\_ga=1.228189021.1189024162.1485429535](https://scholarships.uncf.org/program/details/c0c83a41-abc6-42ef-a607-fd59560fc229?_ga=1.228189021.1189024162.1485429535).

The **Walmart Dependent Scholarship** is a \$13,000 scholarship paid out over four years. Applicants must be dependents of Walmart and Sam's Club associates, have at least a 2.0 GPA and prove financial need. The application period, beginning January 5, 2019 and ends April 1, 2019. For more information and an application, go online at <http://walmartstores.com/CommunityGiving/8736.aspx>.

## Other Scholarship Links

There are hundreds of independent scholarship search engines on the internet, some of them more reliable and legitimate than others. Students should not have to pay for a scholarship search or to apply for a scholarship, though they may have to "register" with an email address. Here are a few reputable search engines.

Log onto [www.cfnc.org](http://www.cfnc.org). Select Dark Green "Pay" tab. Click on Grants & Scholarships. Scroll down to "Tools." Click on "Scholarship Search." Search by Program Basis [Need Based, Merit Based, Other Based] or Program Type [Scholarship & Grants, Scholarships & Loans, Other].

[www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org) – Covers everything: all U.S. colleges, PSAT & SAT, test prep.

<https://www.studentscholarships.org/2016scholarships.php> - Largest collection of scholarships on the Web.

[www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com) – Free scholarship search listing 1.5 million scholarships worth more than \$3.4 billion. Students who complete the optional questions in the profile match about twice as many scholarships, on average, as students who answer only the required questions.

[www.college-scholarships.com/free\\_scholarship\\_searches.htm](http://www.college-scholarships.com/free_scholarship_searches.htm) - lists and links to more than 60 no-cost scholarship websites

[www.BlackExcel.org](http://www.BlackExcel.org) – A great resource for underrepresented students [students of color, women, first generation college students] and a list of over 200 scholarships with a variety of opportunities.

[www.scholarships360.org](http://www.scholarships360.org) – Free scholarship search

[www.meritaid.com](http://www.meritaid.com) – Scholarship search

<http://schoolsoup.com/scholarship-directory> - Free scholarship search where students can quickly and easily browse through scholarships by a variety of categories (Major, Athletics, Religion, Disability, State, College, etc).

[www.studentaid.ed.gov](http://www.studentaid.ed.gov) – U.S. Department of Education’s site for free information on funding post-secondary school education

[www.finaid.org](http://www.finaid.org) – Guide to financial aid

[http://youth.foundationcenter.org/youth\\_scholarships.html](http://youth.foundationcenter.org/youth_scholarships.html) - Scholarships for youth philanthropy & community service

[www.uncf.org](http://www.uncf.org) – United Negro College Fund [Click on “For Students”]

<http://www.latinocollegedollars.org> – Scholarships for Latino students

<http://www.knowhow2go.org> – College planning, financial aid

<http://www.maldef.org/pdf/Scholarships.pdf> - Mexican American Legal Defense & Educational Fund

<http://enrollment.csusb.edu/LatinoScholarships.html>