Scholarships

as of Monday, December 15th, 2014

December Deadlines

2015 NFIB Young Entrepreneur Award

Requirements:

• Open to high school seniors who operate/own their own business

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you may attend any accredited college, university, or technical school.

Scholarship Amount: Between \$1,000 and \$10,000 How to Apply: Apply online at <u>www.NFIB.com/YEA</u> Deadline: Thursday, December 18, 2014

Foot Locker Scholar Athletes Program

Requirements:

- Be entering college in the Fall of 2014 as a Freshman at a four-year school for an undergraduate degree
- Be currently involved in high school sports, intramural sports, or community-based sports
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.0
- Be a U.S. citizen or permanent legal resident

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you must attend college in the Fall of 2015 as a Freshman at a four-year school for an undergraduate degree.

Scholarship Amount: \$20,000 How to Apply: Apply online at https://footlockerscholarathletes.com/register

Deadline: Thursday, December 18, 2014

Imagine America Scholarship

Requirements:

- High School Senior
- 2.5 GPA or higher
- Financial need
- Demonstrated voluntary community service during senior year

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? In Indiana^{*}, must attend one of the following: Art Institute of Indianapolis, Aviation Institute of Maintenance, Brown Mackie College, Lincoln College of Technology, or MedTech College

Scholarship Amount: \$1,000 How to Apply: Apply online at <u>http://www.imagine-america.org/highschoolscholarships/apply-now</u>

Deadline: Wednesday, December 31, 2014

January Deadlines

Young Patriots Essay Contest

Requirements:

- Open to all high school students
- See website for details on the essay.

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you may attend any accredited college or university. **Scholarship Amount:** Up to \$10,000

How to Apply: Submit your completed essay via email to <u>Rachel.Stevens@ncpa.org</u>. Be sure to include your name, address, phone number(s), and email address in the body of the essay document. See <u>http://debate-central.ncpa.org/yp14/</u> for details.

Deadline: Monday, January 5, 2015

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship

Requirements:

- High school senior
- Demonstrated financial need
- 3.0 GPA or higher
- U.S. Citizen
- Demonstrate at school, at the workplace, and within the community the attributes of leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you must plan to attend an accredited four-year college or university beginning in Fall 2015.

Scholarship Amount: \$10,000

How to Apply: Apply online at https://www.scholarshipamerica.org/ge-reagan/

Deadline: Thursday, January 8, 2015

First Annual Prindle Institute High School Ethics Essay Prize

Requirements:

- Open to all high school students
- Do I have to attend a specific college or university?

No, you may attend any accredited college or university.

Scholarship Amount: Five \$300 cash prizes are available

How to Apply: You must write an essay regarding the recent Ebola outbreak. For details, visit <u>http://www.prindlepost.org/highschoolessay/</u> for more information and to submit your essay.

Deadline: Saturday, January 10, 2015

Gates Millennium Scholarship

Requirements:

- High School Seniors
- GPA of 3.3 or higher
- Must identify ethnicity as one of the following: African American, American Indian/Alaskan Native, Asian Pacific Islander American, Hispanic American
- US Citizen, US Permanent Resident/Foreign National
- Must meet Federal Pell Grant eligibility criteria

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you must attend a U.S. located, accredited college or university in the fall of 2015.

Scholarship Amount: Varies based on financial need. How to Apply: Apply online at <u>https://scholarships.gmsp.org/Account/LogOn</u>

Deadline: Wednesday, January 14, 2015

Indiana University Northwest Chase Scholarship

Requirements:

- High school senior
- Preference given to African-American or Latino students who reside in Lake or Porter County and have demonstrated financial need
- Students should rank in the top 25% (top 72 students in senior class) and demonstrate leadership ability

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? Yes, IUN.

Scholarship Amount: Covers the cost of tuition, mandatory fees and books

How to Apply: Complete application and mail it to the address listed on the application.

Deadline: Thursday, January 15, 2015

Indiana Association for Health, PE, Recreation and Dance Scholarship

Requirements:

- Open to seniors
- Must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Must demonstrate financial need and participate in school and community activities
- Must plan to major in one of the following disciplines: health education, physical education, recreation, dance education, or allied areas (including sport administration) at an Indiana college or university

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you may attend any accredited college, university, or technical trade school in Indiana.

Scholarship Amount: Four (4) \$500 scholarships are available

How to Apply: Complete application and mail in by the deadline.

Deadline: Thursday, January 15, 2015

Ronald McDonald House Charities Scholarship

Requirements:

- High school senior and legal U.S. resident
- 2.7 GPA or higher

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you may attend any accredited college, university, or technical school.

Scholarship Amount: ~\$1,000

How to Apply: Apply online at https://aim.applyists.net/RMHC

Deadline: Tuesday, January 20, 2015

There are four types of scholarships:

- 1) RMHC®/Scholars: All students are eligible to apply regardless of race, color, creed, religion, sexual orientation, gender, disability or national origin.
- 2) RMHC®/African-American Future Achievers: Applicant must have at least one parent of African American or Black Caribbean heritage.
- 3) RMHC®/HACER®: Applicant must have at least one parent of Hispanic/Latino heritage.
- 4) RMHC®/Asia: Applicant must have at least one parent of Asian-Pacific heritage.

Knights of Pythias Scholarship

Requirements:

- High School seniors in Indiana
- GPA of 3.0 or higher

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you must plan to register at an accredited college or university in Fall 2015.

Scholarship Amount: Twelve \$1,000 scholarships are available.

How to Apply: Complete the application and have postmarked by the deadline. NO HANDWRITTEN APPLICATIONS ARE ACCEPTED. EITHER COMPUTER SCAN THE FORM OR COMPUTER-CREATE THE FORM IN A WORD DOCUMENT.

Deadline: Sunday, January 25, 2015

Tricia's Scholarship (Nursing)

Requirements:

- High school senior
- Must be able to provide evidence of application to or current enrollment in a nursing education program

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you may attend any accredited college or university. **Scholarship Amount:** \$2,000

How to Apply: Complete application and mail to the address listed on the application.

Deadline: Friday, January 30, 2015

February Deadlines

America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders

Requirements:

- High school seniors
- Must have three farmer endorsements
- GPA of 2.5 or higher
- Must plan to pursue a degree related to agriculture.

Do I have to attend a specific college or university?

No, you may attend any accredited college or university. Scholarship Amount: \$1,500 How to Apply: Complete the application online at www.ffa.org/scholarships

Deadline: Sunday, February 1, 2015

Playing with Purpose Award

Requirements:

- Open to grades 10-12.
- Maintains a minimum "C" grade average
- Currently a varsity level athlete in one or more sports.
- A committed follower of Jesus Christ

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No; you may attend any accredited college, university or technical trade school.

Scholarship Amount: Scholarship amounts range from \$300 - \$2000 How to Apply: Apply online at <u>www.playingwithpurpose.org</u>

Deadline: Sunday, February 1, 2015

Beta Sigma Psi Christian Leadership Award

Requirements:

- High school senior males
- Must be a confirmed member of a Lutheran congregation

Do I have to attend a specific college or university?

Yes, you must attend one of the following: Purdue West Lafayette, Indiana University Bloomington, or University of Illinois – Urbana-Champaign

Scholarship Amount: \$1,500

How to Apply: Complete application and mail in by the deadline. Application MUST be typed. Find the e-copy online at <u>http://scholarships.betasigmapsi.org/</u>

Deadline: Saturday, February 14, 2015

Beta Sigma Psi Martin Luther Scholarship

Requirements:

- High school senior males
- Must be a confirmed member of a Lutheran congregation

Do I have to attend a specific college or university?

No, you may attend any accredited four-year college or university.

Scholarship Amount: \$2,000

How to Apply: Complete application and mail in by the deadline. Application MUST be typed. Find the e-copy online at <u>http://scholarships.betasigmapsi.org/</u>

Deadline: Saturday, February 14, 2015

March Deadlines

Jim and Betty Dye Scholarship

Requirements:

- High school seniors in Lake, Newton, Porter and Jasper counties
- 3.25 GPA or higher
- Minimum composite ACT of 24 or SAT of 1650 (the foundation does not superscore)

Do I have to attend a specific college or university?

Yes, you must be admitted unconditionally as a full-time undergraduate student to one of the following universities: Indiana University Bloomington, Indiana University Northwest, Purdue University West Lafayette, Purdue University Calumet, IUPUI, Ball State University

Scholarship Amount: Scholarships range from \$500 to \$3,500 per semester. The amount is determined based off other scholarships and grants awarded.

How to Apply: Find the application online at <u>www.jimandbettydyescholarships.org</u>. Must be turned in to **GUIDANCE OFFICE** by the deadline.

Deadline: Sunday, March 1, 2015

GFWC IFC Nurse's Scholarship

Requirements:

- High school senior
- Must plan to pursue a Bachelor of Science Degree in an accredited Nursing Program
- Must have a letter of recommendation from a guidance counselor/teacher/principal

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you may attend any accredited college or university.

Scholarship Amount: Unlisted How to Apply: Complete the application and mail in by the deadline to: Marianne McCombs 4526 16th Street Hobart, IN 46342

Deadline: Sunday, March 1, 2015

Indiana Association of School Psychologists High School Scholarship

Requirements:

- Be accepted by a college for enrollment
- Be interested in pursuing a career in the field of psychology
- Be in good academic standing
- **Do I have to attend a specific college or university?** No, you may attend any accredited college or university. **Scholarship Amount:** \$500

How to Apply: Complete application packet and mail in by the deadline.

Deadline: Sunday, March 1, 2015

LaPlaza Scholarship

Requirements:

- High School Senior
- Must demonstrate determination and/or self-motivation
- Must demonstrate financial need
- GPA of 2.7 or higher
- Preference is given to students of Hispanic descent

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you may attend any college or university in Indiana Scholarship Amount: Not listed

How to Apply: Apply online at <u>www.cicf.org/scholarships/</u>

Deadline: Monday, March 2, 2015

Major Richard L. Ridder Memorial Scholarship

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- Applicants must be a child of a current or former member of the Indiana National Guard
- high school senior
- demonstrate financial need or other significant barriers to obtaining a post-secondary degree
- Have a GPA of 2.0 or higher.

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you may attend any college, university, vocational, technical or trade school.

Scholarship Amount: Not listed

How to Apply: Apply online at www.cicf.org/scholarships/

Deadline: Monday, March 2, 2015

Mexican Scholarship

Requirements:

- High School Senior
- Demonstrate financial need

- GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Preference is given to students of Mexican descent

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you may attend any college, university, vocational, technical or trade school.

Scholarship Amount: Not listed How to Apply: Apply online at <u>www.cicf.org/scholarships/</u>

Deadline: Monday, March 2, 2015

Lakeshore Region IU Alumni Association Scholarship

Requirements:

- High school senior
- Must reside in Lake, Porter, Jasper, or Newton counties

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? Yes, you must attend any Indiana University campus.

Scholarship Amount: Three \$1,500 scholarships are available.

How to Apply: Log on to OneStart and access the COMPASS application.

Deadline: Tuesday, March 10, 2015

GFWC IFC Music Scholarship

Requirements:

- High school senior
- Must plan to major in music
- Must have a letter of endorsement from a music teacher

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you may attend any accredited college or university. **Scholarship Amount:** \$1,000

How to Apply: Complete the application and mail in by the deadline to:

Marianne McCombs 4526 16th Street

Hobart, IN 46342

Deadline: Sunday, March 15, 2015

April Deadlines

NEW! Zach Gives Back Scholarship

Requirements:

- High School Senior
- GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Applicant must plan to major in computer science, computer engineering, or math

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? Yes, you must plan to enroll at Purdue University Calumet. Scholarship Amount: \$1,000

How to Apply: Complete application and mail to the address listed on the application by the deadline.

Deadline: Thursday, April 30, 2015

July Deadlines

College Sports Recruiting Scholarship

Requirements:

High School Senior

Do I have to attend a specific college or university? No, you may attend any college, university, vocational, technical or trade school.

Scholarship Amount: \$1,000

How to Apply: Email your essay along with your name, college or university, year of graduation and contact information (so we can notify the winner) to leadership@collegesportsscholarships.com

Deadline: Wednesday, July 1, 2015