



# SENIOR

## Scholarship Connection

### 2023-2024

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**\*\*Be sure to check each website before the deadline for any possible changes to the scholarship programs.**

Scholarship Information	Discipline	Award Amount	Eligibility Requirements (but not limited to)	Deadline
Horatio Alger Scholarship <a href="https://scholars.horatioalger.org/scholarships/">https://scholars.horatioalger.org/scholarships/</a>	Scholarship Areas: -National -State -Technical-Career -School/Major	Range from \$1,000-\$50,000	Financial need, 2.0+ GPA, community or school involvement, overcoming personal adversity	Dec 1 – March 15
Amazon Future Engineer <a href="https://www.amazonfutureengineer.com/scholarships">https://www.amazonfutureengineer.com/scholarships</a>	Computer Science	\$40,000	Underserved student with financial need who has taken/taking a computer science course, 3.0 GPA.	Application opens in Fall and usually closes in December
Auburn University <a href="http://www.auburn.edu/scholarship">www.auburn.edu/scholarship</a>	Undergraduate	Ranges	Ranges	Varies
AES Engineering Scholarships <a href="http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.php">http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.php</a>	(Engineering Major NOT required)	\$500	Awarded on basis of character. Essay between 500-1000 words  Apply and submit online.	October
Ron Brown Scholar Program <a href="https://ronbrown.org/apply/ronbrownscholarship/">https://ronbrown.org/apply/ronbrownscholarship/</a>	Academic excellence	45-50 scholarships awarded at \$10,000 a year for four years.	African American high school senior, academic excellence, exceptional leadership, community involvement, and financial need	December

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Cameron Impact Scholarship <a href="https://www.bryancameroneducationfoundation.org/scholarship">https://www.bryancameroneducationfoundation.org/scholarship</a>		Up to \$50,000	Four-year, full-tuition, meritbased undergraduate scholarships to exceptional high school students who have demonstrated excellence in academics, extracurricular activities, leadership, and community service. GPA 3.7+, US citizen	September
Call Me MISTER Program <a href="https://www.clemson.edu/education/programs/programs/call-memister.html">https://www.clemson.edu/education/programs/programs/call-memister.html</a>	Education	Varies, \$12,000 Maximum	Males from diverse backgrounds interested in teaching careers.	Please see website for deadline details and participating colleges. Must meet college application deadlines.
CareerFitter Online Scholarship <a href="https://www.careerfitter.com/scholarship">https://www.careerfitter.com/scholarship</a>		\$1000	High school seniors with at least at 2.4 GPA	January
Chick Evans Scholarship for Caddies <a href="https://wgaesf.org/a-lifechangingopportunity/">https://wgaesf.org/a-lifechangingopportunity/</a>	Golf Caddies	Varies	Applicants must have caddied, successfully and regularly, for a minimum of two years and are expected to caddie at their sponsoring club the year they apply for the scholarship, have a B average, demonstrated financial need and outstanding character.	October
Coca-Cola Scholars <a href="https://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/apply/">https://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/apply/</a>		150 scholars receive \$20,000	High school seniors who exhibit commitment to excellence, leadership and have a motivation to serve and achieve.	October Apply Online
Davidson College John M. Belk Scholarship <a href="https://www.davidson.edu/admissionandfinancialaid/financialaid/meritscholarships/nomination-scholarships/john-m-belk-scholarship">https://www.davidson.edu/admissionandfinancialaid/financialaid/meritscholarships/nomination-scholarships/john-m-belk-scholarship</a>		Full tuition, room & board, and summer stipends for four years	High school seniors demonstrate academic excellence and purposeful engagement in the classroom, in student and civic organizations, on the athletic field, or in the arts. While academic achievement is paramount, Belk Scholars also exhibit intellectual curiosity and a commitment to both their local and global communities.	*See your counselor ASAP if interested. Counselor Nomination Deadline: Nov. Application Deadline: November

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Daughters of the American Revolution <a href="https://www.dar.org/nationalsociety/scholarships">https://www.dar.org/nationalsociety/scholarships</a>	Merit, Daughters & Sons of DAR members, History, Economics, Government & Political Science, Medical/Nursing, Elementary & Secondary Teacher, Education, Specific Scholarships, American Indians	\$1, 000-\$5, 000	Check website for specific requirements for individual scholarships.  Most require a minimum 3.25 GPA	January
Delta Community Credit Union Scholarships <a href="https://www.deltacommunitycu.com/content/deltacommunitycreditunionprogram/us/en/community/scholarships.html">https://www.deltacommunitycu.com/content/deltacommunitycreditunionprogram/us/en/community/scholarships.html</a>	Academic	\$5,000-\$10,000	Member of Delta Community Credit Union. One scholarship is for students attending an HBCU, one is for students attending any accredited college in the USA.	Opens in February
Do Something Awards <a href="https://www.dosomething.org/us/about/easyscholarships">https://www.dosomething.org/us/about/easyscholarships</a>	Community Service	Varies on specific scholarship \$2,500-\$5,000	You can enter for multiple scholarships. Sign up for and complete all the action steps in the campaigns listed, you'll be eligible to win.	Check website for information  Deadline Varies
Digital Responsibility Scholarships <a href="http://www.digitalresponsibility.org/digitalprivacy-scholarship">http://www.digitalresponsibility.org/digitalprivacy-scholarship</a>		\$1000	High school student and US citizen. Complete a short form and share a 140character statement on being digitally responsible.	June
Drivers Education Initiative <a href="https://www.dmvedu.org/scholarship/">https://www.dmvedu.org/scholarship/</a>		\$3,000	Submit an essay on safe driving.	Three rounds: Check website for details
"Education Matters" Scholarship <a href="https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/ourscholarships/education-mattersscholarship">https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/ourscholarships/education-mattersscholarship</a>		\$5,000	14+ years old and US citizen. Answer a scholarship question online in 250 words or less. <i>"What would you say to someone who thinks education doesn't matter, or that college is a waste of time and money?"</i>	November
Emory University Scholars Program <a href="https://apply.emory.edu/financialaid/types-ofaid/scholarprogram.html">https://apply.emory.edu/financialaid/types-ofaid/scholarprogram.html</a>	Exceptional academics, leadership, community service, demonstrated interest in business, extracurricular achievement	Partial to full merit-based scholarships and membership in Scholar Programs to incoming 1 <sup>st</sup> year students through the Emory Scholar Programs.	Students with a history of academic excellence and outstanding extracurricular engagement. Check website for specific requirements for individual scholarships.	November  Check website for details and updates.

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The Gallery Collection Scholarship Contest <a href="https://www.gallerycollection.com/greetingcardscontests.htm">https://www.gallerycollection.com/greetingcardscontests.htm</a>	Visual Arts Graphic Design	\$10,000 cash or paid to your college or university. \$1,000 for the school.	Design a greeting card.  Apply and submit through website	March
Gates Scholarship <a href="https://www.thegates scholarship.org/scholarship">https://www.thegates scholarship.org/scholarship</a>	Academics, leadership, financial need	Cost of attendance that is not already covered by other financial aid	High school senior in the top 10% of class, with minimum weighted GPA of 3.3 who demonstrates leadership ability and exceptional person skills. Pell-eligible, US citizen, minority.	September
Georgia Engineering Foundation <a href="http://www.gefinc.org">www.gefinc.org</a>	Engineering	Varies, Average scholarship amount is \$2,025	Must be planning to enroll in an engineering or engineering technology (ABET-accredited program), US citizen and permanent resident of Georgia. Student must have demonstrated competence in academics, interest in developing a career in engineering, financial need, and school and community involvement.	October 31
GFSA Essay Contest – Asa Tuten Memorial <a href="https://www.georgiafiresprinkler.org/essay-contest">https://www.georgiafiresprinkler.org/essay-contest</a>		\$1500, \$1000, and \$750	Senior Essay Required	May
Lighthouse Guild Scholarship <a href="https://lighthouseguild.org/supportservices/academic-andcareerservices/scholarships/">https://lighthouseguild.org/supportservices/academic-andcareerservices/scholarships/</a>	Academic Achievement in those students who are legally blind	Up to \$10,000	Proof of legal blindness, US citizen, academic achievement, letters of recommendation, and personal statement	March
NAEHCY Scholarship Fund <a href="https://naehcy.org/naehcyscholarship-fund/">https://naehcy.org/naehcyscholarship-fund/</a>	Academic achievement  Overcoming adversity	Minimum \$1,000	Eligible for McKinney – Vento assistance or have experienced homelessness while in school. Essay required.	Varies

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Odenza Marketing Group Scholarship  <a href="http://www.odenzascholarships.com/">http://www.odenzascholarships.com/</a>		\$500	2.5 GPA and U.S. Citizen between the ages of 16 and 25 Submit an essay on a city of the applicant's choice and an essay explaining why you should win the scholarship.	November
Davidson College Lowell L. Bryan Scholarship  <a href="http://www.davidson.edu/admissionand-financialaid/financialaid/scholarships/nominationscholarships/lowellbryan-scholarship">http://www.davidson.edu/admissionand-financialaid/financialaid/scholarships/nominationscholarships/lowellbryan-scholarship</a>	Scholar Athletes	Full tuition and fees	For exceptional high school scholar athletes who show potential for leadership both on the field and in the classroom.	*See your counselor ASAP if interested. Counselor Nomination Application deadline: Oct
Prudential Spirit of Community Awards  <a href="https://www.prudential.com/links/about/emergingvisionaries">https://www.prudential.com/links/about/emergingvisionaries</a>		1 Georgia award of \$2,500; national award of \$5,000 and a grant of \$5,000 to charitable nonprofit of choice.	Student grades 5-12, US legal resident, leadership, and outstanding service to others at the local, state and national level. Community service must be documented. Complete online application	November
QuestBridge National College Match Scholarships  <a href="https://www.questbridge.org/highschoolstudents/national-collegematch/scholarship-details">https://www.questbridge.org/highschoolstudents/national-collegematch/scholarship-details</a>		Full tuition, room & board and books for four years.	Grades, curriculum, standardized test scores (if taken), financial need and other socioeconomic factors, teacher recommendations, School Report, and essay responses are the most heavily weighted factors. This program is designed to offer high-achieving, low income students the opportunity to highlight their strengths and obstacles they have overcome.	September

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Robertson Scholars Program <a href="http://robertsonscholars.org/">http://robertsonscholars.org/</a>	Students applying to Duke and/or UNC	Up to \$140,000 for four years of study at either institution.	High achieving and competitive, purposeful leadership, strength of character, intellectual curiosity and collaborative spirit.	January
STEM Scholarship <a href="https://www.nextstepu.com/nextstepu-scholarships/">https://www.nextstepu.com/nextstepu-scholarships/</a>	Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math	\$1,500 (3 times a year of a total of \$4,500)	Students interested in pursuing a STEM major, 16-22 years old, and must be a registered user of NextStepU.com	September-February
Smart Borrowing Scholarship <a href="https://www.smartborrowing.org/">https://www.smartborrowing.org/</a>		\$1,500	Scholarship Sweepstakes.	Enter monthly
FastWeb College Choice and Scholarship Guide <a href="http://www.fastweb.com">www.fastweb.com</a>		Check website: A variety of scholarships available	Check website for specific requirements for individual scholarships	Check website for specific deadlines and opportunities to apply
Southwestern Tack Scholarship Program <a href="https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/athletic/all-sports-scholarships/southwestern-tackcollegeparticipation-scholarshipprogram">https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/athletic/all-sports-scholarships/southwestern-tackcollegeparticipation-scholarshipprogram</a>	Equine Industry	\$500	U.S. undergraduate students who have been active participants in horse-related sporting activities such as barrel racing, roping, rodeo, jumping, 3 day events, dressage, or gymkhana. Application requirements for the Southwestern Tack College Participation Scholarship Program are: Application form, Proof of enrollment, Proof of equestrian participation OR a related major.	September 1
US Senate Youth Program (United States Senate) Scholarship <a href="http://www.ussenateyouth.org">www.ussenateyouth.org</a>	Leadership	\$10,000 (Only two delegates selected from Georgia)	Must show demonstrated leadership by serving in elected or appointed positions in which they are actively representing or previously represented a constituency in organizations related to student government, education, public affairs and community service. They must be actively serving in qualified leadership positions, enrolled in high school and living in the state (and for these purposes the District of Columbia) that they will represent for the entire 2021 – 2022 academic year.	See your counselor for more information: Must be recommended

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Jimmy Rane Foundation Scholarship <a href="https://www.jimmyranefoundation.org/scholarship-about">https://www.jimmyranefoundation.org/scholarship-about</a>		Award amount varies; renewable for four years	Minimum 3.0 GPA & US citizen. Students who exhibit academic excellence, leadership skills and community involvement as well as activities, awards and honors, and who have a demonstrated financial need in order to attend college. They must demonstrate their desire and ability to overcome barriers and to achieve their goals. Submit application, student biography, essay, letters of recommendation, and parent financial information by deadline.	Application usually opens starting December 1. Deadline February 2024.
Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Voice of Democracy Scholarship <a href="https://www.vfw.org/community/youth-education/youth-scholarships">https://www.vfw.org/community/youth-education/youth-scholarships</a>	Patriotism Communication skills	\$1,000-\$35,000	Completed application and audio essay based on this year's theme: <i>Why is the Veteran Important?</i> Judging criteria: Originality, Content and Delivery.	October
Young Arts Program NFAA Award <a href="https://www.youngarts.org/apply">https://www.youngarts.org/apply</a>	Visual, literary, design or performing arts	Up to \$10,000	Young artists in grades 10–12 or ages 15–18 on December 1, 2021 may apply. Applicants must be either a United States citizen, a permanent resident or be legally able to receive taxable income in the U.S.	October

### **Additional Scholarship Information**

**Check out scholarships and colleges by accessing the following sites:**

- [Fastweb.com](https://www.fastweb.com)
- [Scholarships.com](https://www.scholarships.com)
- [Unigo.com](https://www.unigo.com)
- [ScholarshipAmerica.org](https://www.scholarshipamerica.org)
- [Finaid.org](https://www.finaid.org)
- [Careeronestop.org](https://www.careeronestop.org)
- [Collegeboard.com](https://collegeboard.com)
- [Petersons.com](https://www.petersons.com)
- [GAFutures.org](https://www.gafutures.org)
- [CollegeXpress.com](https://collegeexpress.com)
- [Goingmerry.com](https://www.goingmerry.com)

## **Beware of Scholarship Scams:**

**Knowing these warning signs can keep you from being a scholarship scam victim.**

- Fees: You shouldn't have to pay to search for or apply for scholarships. Check out the free scholarship search at FastWeb.com.
- Credit card or bank account information needed: You should never have to give credit card or bank account information to award providers.
- Scholarship guarantee: No one can guarantee that you'll win a scholarship because no one can control scholarship judges' decisions. Also, be wary of "high success rates" - they usually do not refer to actual award winners.
- No work involved: You can't avoid putting in time to fill out a scholarship application.
- No contact information: Legitimate sponsors should provide contact information upon request. If the sponsor does not supply a valid e-mail address, phone number and mailing address (not a PO Box) after you've asked for one, it could be the sign of a scam.
- Unsolicited scholarships: If you are called to receive an award for which you never applied, be alert—it's most likely a scam.
- Pressure tactics: Don't allow yourself to be pressured into applying for a scholarship, especially if the sponsor is asking for money up front.
- Claims of "exclusive" scholarships: Sponsors don't make their scholarships available through only one service.
- Sponsor goes out of their way to sound "official": Scammers sometimes use official-sounding words like "national," "education" or "federal" or they display an official-looking seal to fool you into thinking they are legit. Check with your school if you question a scholarship provider's legitimacy.
- Your questions aren't answered directly: If you can't get a straight answer from a sponsor regarding their application, what will be done with your information or other questions, proceed with caution.

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**\*\*\*Be sure to start applications early! Do NOT wait until just before  
The deadline, as some applications require nominations, lengthy essays, or letters of  
recommendation.**