



SCHOLARSHIPS

September 2023



(All GRADES) Voice of Democracy Essay Competition: Established in 1947, the **Voice of Democracy** audio-essay program provides high school students (grades 9-12) with the unique opportunity to express themselves regarding a democratic and patriotic-themed recorded essay. The first-place winner from each VFW department (State) wins a minimum scholarship of \$1,000. The national first place winner receives a \$35,000 scholarship. We have had several students from BHS win this scholarship at the local level!

DEADLINE: October 31, 2023

[Youth Scholarships - VFW](#)

(SENIORS) Coca-Cola Scholar: The Coca-Cola Scholars Program is an achievement-based scholarship awarded to graduating high school seniors. Students are recognized for their capacity to lead and serve, as well as their commitment to making a significant impact on their schools and communities. There are 150 Coca-Cola Scholars selected each year and each recipient will receive a \$20,000 scholarship.

DEADLINE: October 2, 2023

[Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation – Empowering Visionary Leaders](#)

(SENIORS) T.H. Bell Teaching Incentive Loan Program: The T.H. Bell Scholarship is for those students who study education and intend to work in a Utah public school. The scholarship can be used at all public or private colleges in Utah that offer an approved program. Talk to the financial aid office at your college to see if you qualify and for deadline information as they vary per school.

(Seniors) 2023-2024 Facts-At-A-Glance: The Utah System of Higher Education has created the “Facts-At-A-Glance” document that provides students and families with a comprehensive overview of Utah college application fees, deadlines, and costs.

[Facts-at-a-Glance.pdf \(ushe.edu\)](#)

(SENIORS) For Utah Scholarship – University of Utah: The For Utah Scholarship program ensures four years of tuition and fees are covered by grant and scholarship assistance for Utah residents who are eligible for the PELL Grant. Who qualifies?

- Utah residents
- First-time freshman interested in attending the U
- Annual completion of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and confirmed Pell Grant eligibility.

[For Utah Scholarship - Financial Aid and Scholarships - The University of Utah](#)

(ALL GRADES) Make Your Mark: During September’s National College Savings Month, my529 and the Utah System of Higher Education, sponsor the *Make Your Mark Bookmark Contest*. *Make Your Mark* offers Utah students enrolled in kindergarten through 12th grade a chance to win a \$1,000 my529 college savings scholarship. The contest runs from September 1 – October 2, 2023.

DEADLINE: October 2, 2023

[Make Your Mark Contest - my529](#)

(JUNIORS) Congressional Military Appointments: Appointments to West Point, Air Force, or the Naval Academy require a nomination from a member of Congress. The process of receiving an appointment is quite lengthy. Here are several websites for complete information:

[Academy Nominations | Senator Mitt Romney \(senate.gov\)](#)

[Academy Nominations - Mike Lee US Senator for Utah \(senate.gov\)](#)

[Nomination Requirements | U.S. Air Force Academy \(academyadmissions.com\)](#)

[U.S. Air Force ROTC \(afrotc.com\)](#)

[Army ROTC Programs and Requirements | goarmy.com](#)

[Naval Education and Training Command - NETC \(navy.mil\)](#)

