



## 2024 Scholarship List

Organization	Deadline	Information
<b>Alaska Specific Scholarships</b>		
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<b>AASSP-BP Principals' &amp; Commissioner's Scholarship</b>  <a href="http://www.alaskaprincipal.org">http://www.alaskaprincipal.org</a>	<b>March 8</b>	25 - \$4,000 scholarships (\$1,000 per year for 4 years) 1 - \$16,000 scholarship (\$4,000 per year for 4 years)  Open to any accredited public or private high school in Alaska.  Students do not apply; their principal may make one nomination from the graduation class for their school. Each principal may determine the process leading to the selection of the student they school nominates. Students must include ACT and/or SAT scores, or application cannot be accepted. Students must be enrolled full time (12 credits) at a four-year institution and maintain a GPA of 2.0 to receive the scholarship for 4 years. Selection based on academic achievement, goals, leadership potential, community and school involvement, and financial need. Site principal nomination is forwarded to board for final selections.
<b>Alaska Advantage Education Grant</b>  <a href="https://acpe.alaska.gov/FINANCIAL-AID/AK-Education-Grant">https://acpe.alaska.gov/FINANCIAL-AID/AK-Education-Grant</a>	<b>June 30</b>	\$500 to \$4,000 per academic year  To qualify for an Alaska Education Grant a student must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Be an Alaska resident for at least 365 days prior to filling the FAFSA, and be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident</li> <li>▪ Have a high school diploma or GED</li> </ul>

<p><b>Alaska Advantage Education Grant</b></p> <p><a href="https://acpe.alaska.gov/FINANCIAL-AID/AK-Education-Grant">https://acpe.alaska.gov/FINANCIAL-AID/AK-Education-Grant</a></p>	<p><b>June 30</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Be admitted into an undergraduate degree or vocational certificate program at a qualifying Alaska institution</li> <li>▪ Be enrolled at minimum half-time status</li> <li>▪ Not have earned a prior baccalaureate degree</li> <li>▪ Meet satisfactory academic progress requirements per institution guidelines</li> </ul> <p>The Free Application for <a href="#">Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)</a> is the application for the AEG. You must select at least one qualifying Alaska Institution of higher education at the time of your FAFSA filing to be considered for the AEG. Students need to apply each year they wish to be considered for an award. ACPE encourages students to apply early for award prioritization.</p>
<p><b>Alaska Community Foundation</b></p> <p><a href="https://alaskacf.org/scholarships/">https://alaskacf.org/scholarships/</a></p>	<p><b>March 15</b></p>	<p>The Alaska Community Foundation helps manage various scholarships from around the state of Alaska. The criteria and award for each scholarship varies.</p> <p>Please contact <a href="mailto:scholarships@alaskacf.org">scholarships@alaskacf.org</a> with questions</p>
<p><b>Alaska Garden Club</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.alaskagardenclubs.org/scholarships">https://www.alaskagardenclubs.org/scholarships</a></p>	<p><b>February 1</b></p>	<p>\$500</p> <p>The winner of the state scholarship will automatically be submitted for the Pacific Region scholarship of \$1,000 and the National Garden Club scholarship of \$3,800.</p> <p><a href="#">Application can be found here</a> Email <a href="mailto:AlaskaGardenClubs@gmail.com">AlaskaGardenClubs@gmail.com</a> with questions</p>
<p><b>Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium</b></p> <p><a href="https://anthc.org/scholarship-opportunities/">https://anthc.org/scholarship-opportunities/</a></p>	<p><b>March 1 (opens) – March 31 (closes)</b></p>	<p>Ten \$5,000 scholarships Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alaska Native or American Indian</li> <li>• Permanent Alaska resident</li> <li>• Interested in working in a health care-related field</li> </ul>

<p><b>Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium</b></p> <p><a href="https://anthc.org/scholarship-opportunities/">https://anthc.org/scholarship-opportunities/</a></p>	<p><b>March 1 (opens) – March 31 (closes)</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enrolled full-time in higher education <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Higher education includes the pursuit of Associates, Bachelors, Masters, and Ph.D.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>Students will need the following documents:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Alaska Native/American Indian proof of eligibility</li> <li>2. Proof of Alaska residency</li> <li>3. Personal Statement</li> <li>4. Current Professional Resume</li> <li>5. Letter of Acceptance or Proof of Enrollment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ <b>If newly enrolled</b>, the deadline to turn in your Letter of Acceptance is 5/12/2023.</li> </ul> </li> <li>6. Two (2) Letters of Recommendation</li> <li>7. Official Transcript</li> </ol> <p>Contact (907) 729-1301 or <a href="mailto:training@anthc.org">training@anthc.org</a> with questions</p>
<p><b>Alaska Performance Scholarship</b></p> <p><a href="https://acpe.alaska.gov/financial-aid/ak-performance-scholarship">https://acpe.alaska.gov/financial-aid/ak-performance-scholarship</a></p>	<p><b>June 30</b></p>	<p><b>First Level (honors scholarship):</b> Award of \$4,755 per year for up to eight semesters. High school GPA of 3.5 or higher; an ACT score of 25 or higher, or an SAT score of 1680 or higher or new SAT 1210 score and Specific High School Curriculum.</p> <p><b>Second Level (achievement scholarship):</b> Award of \$3,566 per year for up to eight semesters. High school GPA of 3.0 to 3.49; an ACT score of 23 or higher, or an SAT score of 1560 or higher or new SAT 1130 score, and Specific High School Curriculum.</p> <p><b>Third Level (opportunity scholarship):</b> Award of \$2,378 per year academic year for up to eight semesters. High school GPA of 2.5 to 2.99; an ACT score of 21 or higher, or an SAT score of 1450 or higher, or new SAT 1130 score, and Specific High School Curriculum.</p> <p>Complete the FAFSA to apply</p>

<p><b>Alaska Rural Rehabilitation Corporation</b></p> <p><b>(Warren N. Cuddy Memorial Scholarship)</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.arcc.us/scholarship/">https://www.arcc.us/scholarship/</a></p>	<p><b>March 22</b></p>	<p>Non-agriculture- related scholarship award: \$1,500.00</p> <p>Open to high school seniors from Mat-Su Borough who have an average 2.50 GPA or higher during their senior year.</p> <p><a href="#">The application can be found here</a></p>
<p><b>Alaska School Counselor Scholarship</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.alaskaschoolcounselor.org/page-18110">https://www.alaskaschoolcounselor.org/page-18110</a></p>	<p><b>April 30</b></p>	<p><i>Various scholarships for Alaska Colleges and Vocational Schools including Allied Health Programs (Medical Assisting, Phlebotomy Technician, Medical Coding and Billing, and Massage Therapy)</i></p> <p>Questions can be directed to the Scholarship Committee Chair, Sarah Swanson, <a href="mailto:sswanson@bssd.org">sswanson@bssd.org</a> or 907-744-0170</p>
<p><b>Alaska State Fair</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.alaskastatefair.org/site/scholarships/">http://www.alaskastatefair.org/site/scholarships/</a></p>	<p><b>March 29</b></p>	<p>Scholarships include \$3,000 for first place, \$2,000 for second place, \$1,500 for third place, and three honorable mentions of \$500 each.</p> <p>Every student who submits a completed application will also receive two free admissions to the 2024 Fair.</p> <p>All Alaska junior and senior high school students who plan to attend college or vocational school are eligible to apply. Students who applied last year should prepare a new application, as resubmissions from the previous year will be disqualified.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cover letter including student’s name, address, phone and email, school name and phone, counselor’s name, and the name of the college or vocational school he or she plans to attend</li> <li>• Extracurricular resume including interests, clubs, community service and/or employment</li> <li>• One letter of recommendation</li> <li>• A photo that may be used for publicity purposes</li> <li>• Written essay (1,000 words or less) or creative project</li> </ul>

<p><b>Alaska State Fair</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.alaskastatefair.org/site/scholarships/">http://www.alaskastatefair.org/site/scholarships/</a></p>	<p><b>March 29</b></p>	<p>(audio, video, performance or visual arts, business plan, social media campaign, arts and crafts, photography, etc.). <i>Please note that DVDs/External Hard Drives will not be accepted.</i> Students can submit videos online by uploading to their personal YouTube, Instagram or other video account, then entering the video URL on the submission page. All application materials should be submitted at <a href="http://alaskastatefair.org">alaskastatefair.org</a> or mailed to:</p> <p>Alaska State Fair  Attn: Kelly Larson  2075 Glenn Hwy  Palmer, Alaska 99645</p> <p>The written essay or creative project should address one of the following topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What are the biggest social and economic impacts the Alaska State Fair has contributed to the local economy?</li> <li>• Alaska is number one in the nation for new farmers. We have the youngest population of farmers and the largest percentage of women involved in agriculture. What can the Fair do to keep this trend growing?</li> <li>• In light of the <a href="#">Fair's mission statement</a>, how can the Fair have a greater benefit on your community or in the state of Alaska?</li> <li>• The Alaska State Fair is always looking for innovative and fun events, activities and contests that are free with Fair admission to fairgoers. Create a new event, activity or contest that has minimal cost for the Fair.</li> <li>• How would you use a 12-foot by 12-foot booth space at the Fair to start your own business or to sell goods or services?</li> </ul>
<p><b>ATA Scholarship (MTA)</b>  <a href="https://www.alaskatel.org/scholarships">https://www.alaskatel.org/scholarships</a></p>	<p><b>April 15</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be sponsored by an Active or Associate Member of Alaska Telecom Association. Please contact the member organization directly to find out about company sponsorship requirements. ATA verifies student sponsorship with the member company as part of the</li> </ul>

<p><b>ATA Scholarship (MTA)</b>  <a href="https://www.alaskatel.org/scholarships">https://www.alaskatel.org/scholarships</a></p>	<p><b>April 15</b></p>	<p>application process. Need help finding a contact, email Shari Showalter at showalter@alaskatel.org.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have been a resident of Alaska for not less than four (4) years or have attended school in Alaska for at least two (2) years.</li> <li>• Have demonstrated success in an academic or vocational field.</li> <li>• Plan to attend an accredited post-secondary school or training program for at least one year.</li> <li>• Official transcripts must be delivered by secure email to ATA.</li> </ul> <p>Applications may be submitted online, by U.S. mail, courier or in person.</p>
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<p><b>Benton Bay Athletic Lions Club</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.bentonbaylions.org/Scholarshipflyer.pdf">https://www.bentonbaylions.org/Scholarshipflyer.pdf</a></p>	<p><b>April 15</b></p>	<p>\$500</p> <p>Open to all Alaska high school senior athletes</p> <p>1.An essay providing details about the applicant’s sports activities, community involvement, and grades. The essay must include the student’s post high school education plans including the student’s plans for college or trade school.</p> <p>2.A teacher, coach, or counselor must verify in writing the statements about the criteria: grades, involvement and future plans. This verification must also include details of the teams the student played on during their senior year.</p> <p>Email <a href="mailto:Scholarship@BentonBayLions.org">Scholarship@BentonBayLions.org</a> with questions</p>

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<p><b>CIRI Foundation/Cook Inlet Region</b>  <a href="http://thecirifoundation.org/scholarships/">http://thecirifoundation.org/scholarships/</a></p>	<p><b>June 1</b></p>	<p><b>General Scholarship</b> up to \$6,000/\$5,500 (full/part-time) fall only  <b>TCF Competitive Scholarship:</b> up to \$20,000, GPA requirement 3.7; up to \$10,000, GPA requirement 3.5; up to \$8,000, GPA requirement 3.0  <b>Mid-year Scholarship:</b> up to \$3,000/\$2,750 (full/part-time) spring and/or winter term only  <b>Kick Start Scholarship:</b> up to \$2,000, first term only  <b>Restart Scholarship:</b> up to \$2,000, one term only  <b>Jump Start Award:</b> up to \$2,000 per calendar year  <b>Cap Lathrop Scholarship:</b> up to \$4,000 for full-time students  Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CIRI original enrollee or direct lineal descendant</li> <li>• Must have a high school diploma or GED</li> <li>• Enrolled in one of the following degree programs: Associate, Bachelor, Master, or Doctorate; or pre-requisite courses before entering into a degree program</li> <li>• Must be attending an accredited institution</li> <li>• A 2.5 cumulative grade point average or higher</li> </ul> <p>See website for details on how to apply for each scholarship</p>
<p><b>Credit Union 1 Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://www.cu1.org/scholarship#scholarship-enrollment">https://www.cu1.org/scholarship#scholarship-enrollment</a></p>	<p><b>May 1</b></p>	<p>The maximum amount awarded varies</p> <p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Individuals of any age who are continuing their education at an accredited college or vocational school</li> <li>• Senior high students applying for admission to an accredited college or vocational school</li> <li>• Junior high or high school students through 11th grade applying for the Johns Hopkins CTY Program</li> <li>• Applicant (or their parent) must be a member of Credit</li> </ul>

<p><b>Credit Union 1 Scholarship</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.cu1.org/scholarship#scholarship-enrollment">https://www.cu1.org/scholarship#scholarship-enrollment</a></p>	<p><b>May 1</b></p>	<p>Union 1 for at least one year as of May 1, 2024</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applicant must show financial need</li> <li>• Applicant must provide documentation of community involvement and/or extra-curricular activities; however, there is no minimum requirement of involvement</li> <li>• Applicants must share details of how higher education will shape their plans/goals</li> </ul> <p>Contact <a href="mailto:scholarship@cu1.org">scholarship@cu1.org</a> with questions</p>
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<p><b>Distinguished Young Women of Alaska</b></p> <p><a href="https://distinguisheddyw.org/alaska">https://distinguisheddyw.org/alaska</a></p>		<p>In order to qualify for or win any of the scholarships offered by Distinguished Young Women, you must participate in a program for your local area. This could include attending a rehearsal(s) and being a part of an on-stage performance.</p> <p>Participants must compete in all of these categories: Scholastics (25%), Interview (25%), Talent (20%), Fitness (15%), Self-Expression (15%)</p> <p><a href="#">Apply here</a></p>
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<p><b>Foundation for Rural Service Scholarship Program (MTA)</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.frs.org/programs/youth-programs/scholarships">https://www.frs.org/programs/youth-programs/scholarships</a></p>	<p><b>February 16</b></p>	<p>\$2,500</p> <p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be a graduating high school senior</li> <li>• Be a United States citizen</li> <li>• Be sponsored by a current member of NTCA–The Rural Broadband Association (Contact your local telecommunications provider to determine if it is an NTCA–The Rural Broadband Association member and if they are</li> </ul>



<p><b>Foundation for Rural Service Scholarship Program (MTA)</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.frs.org/programs/youth-programs/scholarships">https://www.frs.org/programs/youth-programs/scholarships</a></p>	<p><b>February 16</b></p>	<p>participating in the FRS Scholarship Program.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete the on-line application</li> <li>• Express an interest to return to a rural community following graduation</li> </ul> <p>To complete the on-line application, you will need the following items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A 500–800-word essay about your intended area of study and how it could benefit your rural community. Proofread your essay before submitting because the essay is the most important part of the application.</li> <li>• Email addresses for two people who can provide a letter of recommendation. Only one of these people may be a teacher, counselor, or educator.</li> <li>• High school transcript with 7 semesters. It does not need to be an official copy.</li> <li>• The correct name of the NTCA member company that will sponsor your application.</li> </ul> <p>Contact <a href="mailto:scholarships@frs.org">scholarships@frs.org</a> <i>with questions</i></p>
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<p><b>June Nelson Memorial Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://aasb.org/2024-june-nelson-memorial-scholarship/">https://aasb.org/2024-june-nelson-memorial-scholarship/</a></p>	<p><b>April 1</b></p>	<p>up to fifteen \$1,500 scholarships</p> <p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The student must be graduating this school year.</li> <li>• The student must be accepted as a full-time student by either a business, trade, or college institution.</li> <li>• Only students graduating from AASB's member school districts will be considered for the scholarship award. Students attending private schools are not considered.</li> </ul> <p>The student shall complete and submit the following to AASB by using the online application:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Student and school information</li> <li>• Response to the essay question up to 750 words in length</li> <li>• Student Activities</li> <li>• Copy of your high school transcript with cumulative GPA</li> <li>• Acceptance letter from a business, trade, or college institution. If you haven't been formally accepted at the time of applying, you may submit your application package to AASB without the acceptance letter but don't forget to submit it by April 1st, 2024.</li> <li>• Two letters of recommendation, one from a community member and one from a teacher.</li> <li>• SAT or ACT scores</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Application can be found here</a></p>
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<p><b>Kelley &amp; Canterbury, LLC Alaska Curiosity Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://kelleyandcanterbury.com/scholarship/">https://kelleyandcanterbury.com/scholarship/</a></p>		<p>\$1,000</p> <p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• an Alaska college student who will be enrolled in a two-year to five-year institution (college, graduate school, law school,</li> </ul>

<p><b>Kelley &amp; Canterbury, LLC Alaska Curiosity Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://kelleyandcanterbury.com/scholarship/">https://kelleyandcanterbury.com/scholarship/</a></p>		<p>etc.) in Alaska</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A minimum GPA is not required</li> </ul> <p>To apply for this scholarship, create a short (2-4 minute) video and answer one of the following prompts:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. What motivates you to continue your education? How are you going to overcome challenges in college and continue to invest in yourself?</li> <li>2. What is one issue that you are dedicated to solving? Did you have an opportunity that surfaced from adversity that you had courage and curiosity to address? And what steps have you taken so far to do so?</li> </ol> <p>Upload your video to YouTube. Fill out the application with a 500-word supporting essay and include a link to your video on YouTube.</p> <p>Contact 513-444-2016 or email <a href="mailto:coordinator@ourscholarship.io">coordinator@ourscholarship.io</a> with questions</p>
<p><b>Kristan Cole's Follow Your Dreams Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://0o.b5z.net/i/u/6053616/f/FYDScholarship-2021-1-12.pdf">https://0o.b5z.net/i/u/6053616/f/FYDScholarship-2021-1-12.pdf</a></p>	<p><b>April 15</b></p>	<p>One award of \$1,500, one award of \$1,000</p> <p>Eligibility: Any graduating high school senior</p> <p>Submit an essay focused on teamwork, including the student's experiences, and understanding of the value of teamwork in the workplace, home, and community. We are looking for a student that shows passion, heart, and a vision to follow their dreams. Contact <a href="mailto:kristan@thekristancoleteam.com">kristan@thekristancoleteam.com</a> with questions</p>

<p><b>Kuskokwim Corporation Scholarships</b></p> <p><a href="https://kuskokwim.com/educational-opportunities/">https://kuskokwim.com/educational-opportunities/</a></p>	<p><b>Fall semester: July 15</b></p> <p><b>Spring semester: December 15</b></p>	<p>There are various scholarships available, each with its own award amount</p> <p>Students planning to attend a college or university must have a high school diploma or possess a G.E.D. All applicants must be in good academic standing. Full-time college undergraduates must maintain at least a 2.5 grade point average (GPA where 4.0 = A) and complete a minimum of 12 credit hours or the equivalent per semester.</p> <p><b>All KEF applications must be accompanied by:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A letter or essay describing the student’s personal background, educational objectives and plans for financing their education (Returning students need to state their intention to enroll for the next semester and write about their academic experience in the last semester)</li> <li>• A recent photo (no copyright photos please)</li> <li>• Two letters of recommendation (new students)</li> <li>• Official transcripts from high school, vocational schools or colleges (applies to new and returning students)</li> </ul> <p>Contact <a href="mailto:kef@kuskokwim.com">kef@kuskokwim.com</a> with questions</p>
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<p><b>Matanuska Masonic Foundation Scholarship</b></p> <p><a href="http://alaska-mason.org/h_lodges/lodge_07/lodge_07.html">http://alaska-mason.org/h_lodges/lodge_07/lodge_07.html</a></p>	<p><b>March 15</b></p>	<p>Awards \$500 - \$2,000 annually</p> <p>Qualified applicants include High School Seniors attending public school within the Matanuska-Susitna Borough who intend to pursue postsecondary education (college or trade school).</p> <p><a href="#">Application can be found here</a></p>

<p><b>Matanuska Electric Association's Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://www.mea.coop/co-op-benefits/community-giving">https://www.mea.coop/co-op-benefits/community-giving</a></p>	<p><b>Mid-March</b></p>	<p>\$7,500; \$5,000; \$2,500; \$2,000</p> <p>Applicants must be active members of MEA or a dependent of an active MEA member.  Contact <a href="mailto:pr@mea.coop">pr@mea.coop</a> with questions</p>
<p><b>Mat-Su College Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://matsu.alaska.edu/offices/student-services/financial-aid/scholarships.cshtml">https://matsu.alaska.edu/offices/student-services/financial-aid/scholarships.cshtml</a></p>	<p><b>April 9</b></p>	<p>Award waives 24 credits of tuition applicable to Mat-Su College courses only (up to 12 credits each semester) during the fall 2024 semester and spring 2025 semester.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be a new incoming freshman to Mat-Su College.</li> <li>• Must be an Alaskan resident.</li> <li>• Have earned a high school GPA of 2.75 or higher.</li> <li>• Have applied for admission to Mat-Su College or the University of Alaska Anchorage(UAA).</li> <li>• Be registered or be planning to register for classes at Mat-Su College for the fall 2024 semester</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Instructions can be found here</a></p>
<p><b>Mat-Su Health Foundation Academic Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://www.healthymatsu.org/how-we-fund/academic-scholarships">https://www.healthymatsu.org/how-we-fund/academic-scholarships</a></p>	<p><b>March 22</b></p>	<p>Award amounts vary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• United States citizenship or lawful permanent residency.</li> <li>• Mat-Su Borough residency for a minimum of one year at the time of application.</li> <li>• Minimum half-time student status at an accredited college, university, or medical training program.</li> <li>• Interest in the fields of health care or human services, as demonstrated by the applicant's responses to questions posed in the application.</li> <li>• Successful completion of the FAFSA.</li> <li>• There is no minimum GPA requirement for first-time applicants and returning students. If you are a previous</li> </ul>

		<p>scholarship recipient who was not eligible to apply due to the previous GPA requirement, we welcome your application beginning Jan. 2! Please note that unofficial transcripts are still required.</p> <p>Contact <a href="mailto:scholarships@healthymatsu.org">scholarships@healthymatsu.org</a> with questions</p>
<p><b>Mat-Su Health Foundation Vocational Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://www.healthymatsu.org/how-we-fund/vocational-scholarships">https://www.healthymatsu.org/how-we-fund/vocational-scholarships</a></p>	<p><b>Year-round</b></p>	<p>Up to \$5,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• United States citizenship or lawful permanent residency.</li> <li>• Mat-Su Borough residency for minimum of one year at the time of application.</li> <li>• Minimum half-time student status at an accredited college, university, or medical training program.</li> <li>• Selection of a health and human services career choice that matches the workforce needs of providers in the Mat-Su Borough.</li> <li>• Interest in the fields of health and human services as demonstrated by the applicant's responses to questions posed in the application.</li> <li>• Completion of the Free Application For Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is <u>not</u> required for Vocational Scholarship applicants.</li> <li>• GPA: There is no minimum GPA for first time applicants. For returning awardees, a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 is required. Returning awardees must provide an official transcript for no less than one complete year. If they have not completed a full year at time of application, they must provide college transcripts for any college courses they have completed plus their high school transcripts.</li> </ul> <p>Application can be found here  Contact <a href="mailto:scholarships@healthymatsu.org">scholarships@healthymatsu.org</a> with questions</p>

<p><b>Mat-Su Schools Foundation Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://matsuschoolsfoundation.org/scholarships.html">https://matsuschoolsfoundation.org/scholarships.html</a></p>	<p><b>April 1</b></p>	<p>\$1,000</p> <p>Applicants must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be a graduate from a Mat-Su Borough School District High school</li> <li>• Be admitted to a bachelor’s degree program at a college or university that is accredited by a regional accreditation body recognized by the U.S. Department of Education.</li> <li>• Have a high school grade point average of 3.0 or higher.</li> <li>• Complete and submit the <a href="#">application</a> and required materials no later than April 1, 2024 at 5 pm Alaska time. Note that only complete applications that include all requirements will be considered.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Mat Su Sertoma Club Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://matsuhearing.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/12/Sertoma-Scholarship-application-23.pdf">https://matsuhearing.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/12/Sertoma-Scholarship-application-23.pdf</a></p>	<p><b>April 30</b></p>	<p><i>\$1,000</i></p> <p><i>The Mat-Su Sertoma Club offers a scholarship for students who are hard of hearing, deaf or pursuing a health field degree related to communication disorders.</i></p> <p><i><a href="#">Application can be found here</a></i></p>
<p><b>Miss Alaska Pageant</b></p> <p><a href="http://missalaskapageant.com">http://missalaskapageant.com</a></p>	<p><b>May 1</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 30% Private Interview</li> <li>• 10% On Stage Conversation</li> <li>• 20% Health &amp; Fitness</li> <li>• 20% Performance Talent/HERStory</li> <li>• 20% Evening Gown</li> </ul> <p>I understand I will be responsible for the following fees and there will be no refunds</p> <p>\$35 MAO Registration Fee- <a href="#">MAO Registration-Alaska</a></p>

<p><b>Miss Alaska Pageant</b></p> <p><a href="http://missalaskapageant.com">http://missalaskapageant.com</a></p>	<p><b>May 1</b></p>	<p>\$250 At Large Title Fee (see payment info below)</p> <p>\$500 MASF State Competition Fee due by May 1st, 2024, unless ad sales have covered fee.</p> <p>I understand Miss Alaska Week is June 4th-6th, 2024 and Participation is Mandatory</p>
<p><b>MTA Foundation</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.mtafoundation.org">www.mtafoundation.org</a></p>	<p><b>March 29</b></p>	<p>\$2,000 - \$5,000</p> <p>All MTA cooperative members and their dependents are eligible <a href="http://www.mtafoundation.org">www.mtafoundation.org</a> for more details and to apply</p> <p>Email <a href="mailto:scholarship@mtafoundation.org">scholarship@mtafoundation.org</a> with questions</p>
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<p><b>Pioneers of Alaska</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.pioneersofalaskaanchorage.org/scholarships.html">http://www.pioneersofalaskaanchorage.org/scholarships.html</a></p>	<p><b>April 1</b></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. be the son, daughter, grandson, granddaughter, great-grandson, great-granddaughter <b>of a member of Men's Igloo #15 or Women's Igloo #4, Anchorage Pioneers of Alaska</b>, and a statement to that effect, signed by the family member of the Pioneers of Alaska (it they are still living) and describing the relationship. The completed form is to be attached to your application. Legally adopted children are considered direct descendants</li> <li>2. be a <b>graduating senior</b> of a public or private school whose program is approved by the Department of Education, State of Alaska, and which is located within the geographic boundaries of the Anchorage School District</li> </ol> <p>This is a one-year scholarship available only to this year's high school graduating seniors.</p> <p><a href="#">Scholarship guidelines can be found here</a></p>
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<p><b>Talkeetna Chamber of Commerce</b>  <a href="https://www.talkeetnachamber.org/scholarships/">https://www.talkeetnachamber.org/scholarships/</a></p>		<p>The Talkeetna Chamber of Commerce is offering scholarships to graduating seniors and continuing students in the Talkeetna area. The funds granted may be used for any expenses involved in post-secondary education and will be disbursed to the student on proof of enrollment.  Contact <a href="mailto:Sabrina.combs@mea.coop">Sabrena.combs@mea.coop</a> with questions  <a href="#">Application can be found here</a></p>
<p><b>Totem Assoc. Of Educational Support Personnel Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://www.totemassoc.org/scholarship-information">https://www.totemassoc.org/scholarship-information</a></p>	<p><b>Depends on scholarship</b></p>	<p>A. \$250 Member Professional Growth Scholarship  B. \$500 Member Continuing Education Scholarship  C. \$1000 Dependent Student Education Scholarship</p> <p>A. To be eligible for a Member Scholarship the applicant:  1. Must be a member of TOTEM.  2. Must be in "good standing", current with payment of dues.  3. Must continue to be employed in a TOTEM position.  4. Must not have previously been awarded and accepted a TOTEM Member Scholarship which remained unused without notification to TOTEM of the change of intent to use.</p> <p>B. To be eligible for a Dependent Student Scholarship the TOTEM member must have met all the eligibility requirements listed above. The dependent student:  1. Must be graduating from high school or have received a high school diploma or the state equivalency.  2. Must be enrolled in a two (2) or four (4) year college course or a vocational training program.  3. Must have a GPA of 2.0 or higher.</p> <p>C. TOTEM members and dependent students are eligible to apply for only one scholarship each fiscal year.</p>

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<b>University of Alaska Anchorage Scholarships</b> <a href="https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/students/financial-aid/types-of-aid/scholarships/">https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/students/financial-aid/types-of-aid/scholarships/</a>	<b>Depends on scholarship</b>	All of UAA's scholarships require admission or application into a degree program to qualify. In order to receive funds students must be admitted into a degree program by the beginning of the semester. See website for additional details.
<b>University of Alaska Fairbanks Scholarship</b> <a href="https://www.uaf.edu/financial-aid/akresident.php">https://www.uaf.edu/financial-aid/akresident.php</a>	<b>Fall semester: June 15</b> <b>Spring semester: November 1</b>	First-Year Students: \$5,000 per year (GPA 3.8+), \$4,000 per year (GPA 3.5-3.79), \$2,000 per year (GPA 3.2-3.49) Transfer Students: \$3,000 per year (previous college GPA 3.8+), \$1,000 per year (previous college GPA 3.0-3.79) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Apply for admission</b> to a bachelor's degree and submit your high school transcripts and/or college transcripts.</li> </ul> <a href="#">Application can be found here</a>
<b>University of Alaska Foundation</b> <a href="https://www.alaska.edu/foundation/scholarships/">https://www.alaska.edu/foundation/scholarships/</a>	<b>February 15</b>	Scholarships are available to students attending UAA, UAF or UAS, including all community campuses. Through one application, students are considered for many scholarship options, including those based on merit, financial need, field of study, life circumstance, outstanding achievement, or any combination of these criteria.

<p><b>Wasilla Rotary Club</b>  <a href="https://portal.clubrunner.ca/2494/page/youth-scholarships">https://portal.clubrunner.ca/2494/page/youth-scholarships</a></p>		<p>Scholarships are awarded to graduating High School students with a focus on high academic achievement, participation in extra-curricular activities, commitment to community service, and a plan to attend college, a university or continuing education program.</p> <p><b>CRITERIA AND EVALUATION RANKING</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Service and leadership experience along with community service and Letters of Recommendation attesting to your Service skills</li> <li>• Attendance record</li> <li>• High School Transcript</li> <li>• Personal Data sheet or Resume, including personal information, School, Community Service and extra-curricular activities and achievements</li> <li>• 2 minute video about who you are, what your educational plans are, and your achievements and goals</li> <li>• Up to 500 word Essay describing what the 4-Way test means to you.</li> </ul> <p>Email completed application to <a href="mailto:mfjak@mtaonline.net">mfjak@mtaonline.net</a></p>
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<p><b>Abbott &amp; Fenner Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.php">https://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.php</a></p>	<p><b>June 7</b></p>	<p>\$1,000  Open to all high school juniors and seniors as well as all students currently registered in any accredited post-secondary institution. To apply for this scholarship, you will need to write a 500-to-1000-word essay on: <b>Describe your educational career and life goals. Explain your plan for achieving these goals. Include your degree/major, why you selected it, and how this degree/major will help you achieve your goals.</b> Your submissions must be sent by email at <b><a href="mailto:scholarships@abbottandfenner.com">scholarships@abbottandfenner.com</a></b></p>
<p><b>Air Force Aid Society</b>  <a href="https://afas.org/haparnoldgrant/">https://afas.org/haparnoldgrant/</a></p>	<p><b>April 30</b></p>	<p>Award amounts vary each year based on the number of applicants, total approved grant budget, applicant’s Student Aid Index (SAI) from FAFSA and cost of attendance at a college or university approved by the Department of Education. The specific amount</p>

<p><b>Air Force Aid Society</b>  <a href="https://afas.org/haparnoldgrant/">https://afas.org/haparnoldgrant/</a></p>	<p><b>April 30</b></p>	<p>awarded correlates to a student’s particular level of financial need.          Applicants must be children of U.S. Air Force or U.S. Space Force members, and:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be a high school graduate enrolled or accepted as a full-time undergraduate student in the upcoming academic year.</li> <li>• Be enrolled or accepted in an accredited college, university or vocational/trade school approved by the U.S. Department of Education for participation in federal aid programs.</li> <li>• Maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of a 2.0 on a 4.0 scale and remain in good standing with the school.</li> <li>• Not be a graduate or professional student.</li> <li>• Not be a veteran or a member of the National Guard, Reserves or other military branch.</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Application process and instructions can be found here</a></p>
<p><b>AES Engineer Scholarship</b>  <a href="http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.php">http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.php</a></p>	<p><b>October 8</b></p>	<p>\$500          This award is available to high school seniors and all students attending a post-secondary educational facility.          You are not required to be taking Engineering courses to be eligible.</p> <p>Our belief is that achieving a high-grade point average should not be the only criteria for determining who deserves to be helped. For that reason, we are offering a scholarship that will be awarded on the basis of character, as determined by an evaluation of the essays that are submitted.          Students must submit an essay of between 500 and 1000 words in answer to the following question:          When you look back on your life in 30 years, what would it take for you to consider your life successful?</p>

<p><b>AES Engineer Scholarship</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.php">http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.php</a></p>	<p><b>October 8</b></p>	<p>What relationships or accomplishments will be important on this journey?  Submit essay to <a href="mailto:scholarships@aesengineers.com">scholarships@aesengineers.com</a>  Be sure to include your full name as well as the name of the school you are attending this year and your plans for next year.</p>
<p><b>Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority</b></p> <p><a href="https://akaeaf.org/scholarships/search/?scholarship-type=scholarship&amp;level=all-levels&amp;aka-members=all&amp;hbcu=&amp;gender=&amp;regions=&amp;majors=&amp;military=&amp;foster-care=">https://akaeaf.org/scholarships/search/?scholarship-type=scholarship&amp;level=all-levels&amp;aka-members=all&amp;hbcu=&amp;gender=&amp;regions=&amp;majors=&amp;military=&amp;foster-care=</a></p>	<p><b>Thrive:  March 1  Merit,  Launch,  Youth PAC,  Financial  Need: April  15  Graduate  Financial  Need,  Graduate  Merit:  August 15</b></p>	<p>Each scholarship has its own requirements and varying award amounts.  See the website for full details</p>
<p><b>Anthem Essay Contest</b></p> <p><a href="https://aynrand.org/students/essay-contests/anthem/">https://aynrand.org/students/essay-contests/anthem/</a></p>	<p><b>April 25</b></p>	<p>\$2,000</p> <p>Open to all high school students worldwide who have read Anthem by Ayn Rand</p> <p>Choose one of three writing prompts, <a href="#">found here</a>. Essays must be between 600 and 1,200 words in length, double-spaced.  Contact <a href="mailto:essays@aynrand.org">essays@aynrand.org</a> with questions</p>

<p><b>The Alert Scholarship</b>  <b>Sponsored by Alert Magazine</b>  <a href="https://thealertmagazine.com/scholarship/">https://thealertmagazine.com/scholarship/</a></p>	<p><b>No Deadline</b></p>	<p>\$500</p> <p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• You must currently be a senior in high school.</li> <li>• Your high school must be located in one of the following states: Alaska, Colorado, Idaho, Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota, Washington or Wyoming.</li> <li>• You must have a grade point average of 2.5 or better.</li> <li>• You must have plans to attend college after graduation (the college you will attend can be located in any state).</li> </ul> <p>Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Write an essay about a personal encounter you or someone you know has had with drug and/or alcohol abuse. In your essay explain how the situation was dealt with, what you learned from it, what others can learn from the experience, and what was right or wrong (in your opinion) about the way the incident or problem was handled. Scholarship essays are judged in the same way that essays written for a high school English class would be: thesis statement, supporting content, grammar, punctuation, etc.</li> <li>• Essays must be typed, double-spaced, and 650–800 words in length.</li> <li>• Essays must include an official copy of your high school transcripts.</li> <li>• Essays must also include a recent photo. Scholarship winners will have their picture reprinted in our magazine along with their winning essay, so please send a good quality color photo (no blurry printouts).</li> </ul> <p>Email your essay, official school transcripts, photo (high quality file or scan), school name, and contact info (phone number, address, and e-mail) to: <a href="mailto:TheAlertMagazine@gmail.com">TheAlertMagazine@gmail.com</a>.</p>
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<p><b>The Alert Scholarship</b>  <b>Sponsored by Alert Magazine</b>  <a href="https://thealertmagazine.com/scholarship/">https://thealertmagazine.com/scholarship/</a></p>	<p><b>No Deadline</b></p>	<p>Or, mail your essay, official school transcripts, photo, school name, and contact info (phone number, address, and e-mail) to:</p> <p><b>Alert Magazine</b>  Attn: Scholarship  PO Box 44411  Boise, ID 83711</p>
<p><b>American Legion National Headquarters</b>  <a href="https://www.legion.org/scholarships">https://www.legion.org/scholarships</a></p>	<p><b>Varies by award</b></p>	<p>Each scholarship has its own requirements and varying award amounts.  See the website for full details  Contact americanism@legion.org with questions</p>
<p><b>American Psychological Association Scholarships</b>  <a href="https://apf.apa.org/funding/">https://apf.apa.org/funding/</a></p>	<p><b>Varies by award</b></p>	<p>APA and its affiliate organizations provide a wide range of grants, scholarships, awards with the aim of advancing the science and practice of psychology as a means of understanding behavior and promoting health, education, and human welfare.</p>
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<p><b>Big Sun Organization Athletic Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://bigsunathletics.com/">https://bigsunathletics.com/</a></p>	<p><b>June 19</b></p>	<p>\$500</p> <p>All student athletes are eligible regardless of the sport they are engaged in or the capacity in which they participate. The student must be a high school senior or be attending a post-secondary institute.</p> <p>Please remember to include your name and the name of the school that you are attending.  Please send us a short essay (500 - 1,000 words) answering the following questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How did your participation in sports during your high school years influence you?</li> <li>• Has your participation influenced your career goals?</li> </ul>

<p><b>Big Sun Organization Athletic Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://bigsunathletics.com/">https://bigsunathletics.com/</a></p>	<p><b>June 19</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Has your participation influenced how you relate to your family?</li> </ul> <p>All essay submissions should be sent to: <i>athleticawards@bigsunathletics.com</i></p>
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<p><b>CEA Study Abroad Scholarships</b>  <a href="https://www.ceastudyabroad.com/financial-options/cea-capa-scholarships">https://www.ceastudyabroad.com/financial-options/cea-capa-scholarships</a></p>	<p><b>Spring term:  October 15  Summer:  March 1  Fall: May 1</b></p>	<p>\$100 - \$5,000 according to need, program duration, and location</p> <p>CEA CAPA scholarships are available to students on programs of three weeks or more. All scholarships require students to complete an application, and not all scholarships are available each term. Each scholarship has its own eligibility and requirements, see website for full details.</p>
<p><b>Costco Scholarship Fund</b></p>		<p>Students applying to Seattle University or University of Washington are eligible.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Academic record (curriculum, grades)</li> <li>• Personal background and community service</li> <li>• Financial need, as evidenced from the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or Washington Application for State Financial Aid (WASFA)</li> <li>• Part of an underserved group such as youth in foster care, historically underrepresented minority students, and students who are the first in their family to pursue a college degree.</li> </ul> <p>Students are considered for the Costco Scholarship as part of the normal financial aid process at Seattle University (admissions@seattleu.edu ) and University of Washington (osfa@uw.edu)</p>



<p><b>Coca-Cola Scholarship</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/apply/">http://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/apply/</a></p>		<p>Award is \$20,000</p> <p>Applicants must be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Currently enrolled high school/home-schooled students attending school in one of the 50 U.S. states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico who will graduate high school during the 2024-2025 school year</li> <li>• U.S. Citizens, U.S. Nationals, U.S. Permanent Residents, Refugees, Asylees, Cuban-Haitian Entrants, or Humanitarian Parolees</li> <li>• Expecting to receive high school diploma during current academic year</li> <li>• Planning to pursue a degree at an accredited U.S. post-secondary institution</li> <li>• Able to verify a minimum of overall B/3.0 GPA in high school coursework</li> </ul>
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<p><b>Danforth Scholarship- Washington University in St. Louis</b></p> <p><a href="https://students.wustl.edu/danforth-scholars-program/">https://students.wustl.edu/danforth-scholars-program/</a></p>	<b>January 3</b>	<p>Danforth Scholars may receive full-tuition scholarships with a \$2,500 stipend or half-tuition scholarships.</p> <p>In order to be considered for the Danforth scholarship, students must complete an application for admission to Washington University in St. Louis and a separate Danforth Scholars Application.</p> <p>We are looking for students who have demonstrated not only outstanding academic performance, but also involvement in activities that illustrate exceptional commitment to community service, high moral character and similar qualities that exemplify the Danforths' legacy here.</p> <p><a href="#">Instructions on how to apply can be found here</a></p>

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<p><b>Elks National Foundation Most Valuable Student Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/mvs.cfm">https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/mvs.cfm</a></p>	<p><b>November 13</b></p>	<p>Ranging from \$1,000 per year to \$7,500 per year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current high school seniors, or the equivalent, who are citizens of the United States are eligible to apply.</li> <li>• Applicants <b>do not</b> need to be related to a member of the Elks.</li> <li>• High school graduates are not eligible to apply.</li> <li>• Applicants must be citizens of the United States on the date their applications are submitted; permanent legal resident status does not qualify.</li> <li>• Contact <a href="mailto:scholarship@elks.org">scholarship@elks.org</a> with questions</li> </ul>
<p><b>Elks National Foundation Legacy Award</b>   <a href="https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/Legacy.cfm">https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/Legacy.cfm</a></p>	<p><b>February 5</b></p>	<p>Legacy Awards are \$4,000 scholarships for children and grandchildren of Elks members.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. For the 2024 contest, any child or grandchild (or step-child, step-grandchild, or legal ward) of a living Elk who joined the order on or before April 1, 2021, or a charter member of a Lodge that was instituted on or after April 1, 2021, is eligible to apply. The Elk must also be a paid-up member through March 31, 2024. Great-grandchildren are not eligible.</li> <li>2. The applicant must be a high school senior.</li> <li>3. The applicant must apply online only. <b>The 2024 Legacy Awards application deadline is February 5, 2024, 11:59 a.m. Pacific Time.</b></li> <li>4. If the applicant's parent and grandparent are both Elk members, the applicant must apply through the parent's Elks Lodge.</li> <li>5. We have waived the standardized test requirement for the 2024 Legacy contest. You do not need to submit ACT and/or SAT scores.</li> <li>6. Students may apply for more than one ENF scholarship; however, they may win only one. In cases where the student</li> </ol>

<p><b>Elks National Foundation Legacy Award</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/Legacy.cfm">https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/Legacy.cfm</a></p>	<p><b>February 5</b></p>	<p>wins more than one, we will award the scholarship with the greater value. Students can accept local and state scholarships, which are separate from the awards at the national level.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7. Legacy Awards may only be applied to accredited US American schools, colleges or universities. (Note: Applicants from Guam, Panama, Puerto Rico and the Philippines may apply Legacy Awards toward schools, colleges or universities in their respective homes.)</li> <li>8. If you are selected as a 2024 Legacy Awards recipient, you will be required to perform three instances of service with an Elks Lodge during the four years you are receiving the scholarship. <b>Click here</b> for more information about serving with the Elks.</li> </ol> <p>The student must complete and submit the ONLINE application</p>
<p><b>ENGINEERGIRL! Essay Contest</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.engineergirl.org/151463/2024-Writing-Contest-The-Secret-Life-of-Everyday-Items#deadline">https://www.engineergirl.org/151463/2024-Writing-Contest-The-Secret-Life-of-Everyday-Items#deadline</a></p>	<p><b>February 1</b></p>	<p>First-place winners will be awarded <b>\$1,000</b>.  Second-place entries will be awarded <b>\$750</b>.  Third-place entries will be awarded <b>\$500</b>.</p> <p>Open to students in grades 3-12  Essays will be judged by:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Presentation of engineering (~50%)</li> <li>2. Perspectives considered (~35%)</li> <li>3. Quality of writing (~15%)</li> </ol> <p><b>Entries can be submitted via this online form</b></p>
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<p><b>Hispanic Scholarship Fund</b>  <a href="https://www.hsf.net/scholarship">https://www.hsf.net/scholarship</a></p>	<p><b>February 15</b></p>	<p>Scholars are selected based on merit. Award amounts range from \$500 - \$5,000, based on relative need.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be of Hispanic heritage</li> <li>• U.S. citizen, permanent legal resident, or DACA</li> <li>• Minimum of 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent) for high school students; minimum of 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent) for college and graduate students</li> <li>• Plan to enroll full-time in an accredited, public or not-for-profit, four-year university, or graduate school, in the US, for the 2023-2024 academic year</li> <li>• Submit the FAFSA or state-based financial aid forms (if applicable)</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Create an account to apply</a></p>
<p><b>Horatio Alger Association Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://app.smarterselect.com/programs/93417">https://app.smarterselect.com/programs/93417</a></p>	<p><b>March 15</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be enrolled full time as a high school student in the United States; be progressing normally toward graduation with plans to enter a college in the United States no later than the fall following graduation</li> <li>• Exhibit a strong commitment to pursue and complete a bachelor's degree at an accredited non-profit public or private institution in the United States (students may start their studies at a two-year institution and then transfer to a four-year institution)</li> <li>• Demonstrate critical financial need (\$65,000 or lower adjusted gross family income is required)</li> <li>• Be involved in co-curricular and community service activities</li> <li>• Display integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity</li> <li>• Maintain a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0; and</li> </ul>

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<b>Kiwanis Scholarships</b> <a href="https://www.kiwanis.org/members/grants-scholarships/scholarship-opportunities/">https://www.kiwanis.org/members/grants-scholarships/scholarship-opportunities/</a>	<b>February 1</b>	<p><b>Kiwanis Children’s Fund Scholarship:</b> Two (2) scholarships will be awarded with a minimum award amount of US\$2,300 each</p> <p><b>John E. Mayfield Circle K Scholarship:</b> Minimum amount awarded \$1,300.</p> <p>Who can apply? Members in good standing of Circle K International with a minimum grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale or its equivalent.</p> <p><b>Circle K International Past Presidents’ Scholarship:</b> Amount awarded: \$1,000</p> <p>Who can apply? Current CKI club presidents in good standing.</p> <p><a href="#">Log in to apply</a></p>
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<b>LATutors</b> <a href="https://www.latutors123.com/scholarships/innovation-in-education/#information">https://www.latutors123.com/scholarships/innovation-in-education/#information</a>	<b>The 20<sup>th</sup> of each month</b>	<p>\$500 awarded monthly</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must currently be enrolled as a high school, college/university, or graduate student.</li> <li>• Must have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 (or the equivalent).</li> <li>• Must be a citizen of, permanent resident of, or hold an active F1 I-20 or active J1 DS -2019 in the United States or Canada on the date of scholarship selection (25th of each month).</li> <li>• Must have designed an innovative project that makes a difference in the lives of others (This could be a</li> </ul>

<p><b>LATutors</b>  <a href="https://www.latutors123.com/scholarships/innovation-in-education/#information">https://www.latutors123.com/scholarships/innovation-in-education/#information</a></p>	<p><b>The 20<sup>th</sup> of each month</b></p>	<p>website, series of blogs, an app, fundraising event, etc.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must submit an essay describing the goal of the particular project and provide supporting documentation. There is no minimum or maximum word/page count.</li> </ul> <p>Upload an essay, letter of recommendation, and photo of yourself before submitting the application by clicking the Select files buttons and uploading each file individually.</p>
<p><b>Lighthouse Guild Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://lighthouseguild.org/support-services/academic-and-career-services/scholarships/">https://lighthouseguild.org/support-services/academic-and-career-services/scholarships/</a></p>	<p><b>March 31</b></p>	<p>\$10,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide proof of legal blindness. Verification should be in the form of a statement from a state rehabilitation agency, an ophthalmologist, or an optometrist.</li> <li>• Provide proof of U.S. citizenship or legal residency. Verification should be in the form of a passport, birth certificate, naturalization papers, or proof of legal residency.</li> <li>• Provide documentation of academic achievement via copies of school transcripts.</li> <li>• Include three letters of recommendation. Two letters should attest to your academic skills. Each letter must include the name, address, and telephone number of the person writing the reference.</li> <li>• Write a personal statement of 500 words or fewer. For both the college and graduate school scholarships, include an essay that describes your educational and personal goals.</li> </ul> <p>Reach out here with questions</p>

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<p><b>Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation</b>  <a href="https://www.mcsf.org/apply/">https://www.mcsf.org/apply/</a></p>	<p><b>March 1</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Child or step-child of one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Active duty, Reserve, or veteran* U.S. Marine</li> <li>◦ A Marine killed while serving in the U.S. Marine Corps</li> <li>◦ Active duty, reserve, or veteran U.S. Navy Corpsman, Navy Chaplain or Religious Program Specialist who is or was attached to a U.S. Marine Corps unit or who was killed while serving with a U.S. Marine Corps unit*</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Minimum 2.00 GPA</li> <li>• Demonstrate financial need through a family adjusted gross income of \$117,000 or less for the 2022 tax year</li> <li>• Attending or planning to attend an accredited school that is eligible for federal funding</li> <li>• Submit a completed application with all required documents by the deadline</li> </ul> <p>* Veterans must have received an honorable discharge.  All eligible applicants who submit a completed application with all required documents by the deadline will receive an award.</p>
<p><b>Military Service Academy Summer Seminars</b></p>	<p><b>Varies by program</b></p>	<p>NAVAL ACADEMY: <a href="http://www.usna.edu/Admissions/nass.htm">http://www.usna.edu/Admissions/nass.htm</a>  WEST POINT: <a href="https://www.westpoint.edu/admissions/summer-program">https://www.westpoint.edu/admissions/summer-program</a>  AIR FORCE ACADEMY:  <a href="https://www.academyadmissions.com/prepare/high-">https://www.academyadmissions.com/prepare/high-</a></p>

		school/summer-seminar/ COAST GUARD ACADEMY: <a href="https://uscga.edu/admissions/aim/">https://uscga.edu/admissions/aim/</a>
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<b>National Merit Scholarship</b> <a href="https://www.nationalmerit.org/s/1758/interior.aspx?sid=1758&amp;gid=2&amp;pgid=1879">https://www.nationalmerit.org/s/1758/interior.aspx?sid=1758&amp;gid=2&amp;pgid=1879</a>		<p>\$2,500</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. be enrolled as a high school student (traditional or homeschooled), progressing normally toward graduation or completion of high school by 2025, and planning to accept admission to college no later than the fall of 2025;</li> <li>2. attend high school in the United States, District of Columbia, or U.S. commonwealths and territories; or meet the citizenship requirements for students attending high school outside the United States; and</li> <li>3. take the 2023 PSAT/NMSQT in the specified year of the high school program and no later than the third year in grades 9 through 12, regardless of grade classification or educational pattern</li> </ol> <p>The 2023 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT®) is the qualifying test for entry to the 2025 National Merit® Scholarship Program. (The PSAT™10 and PSAT™8/9 will NOT be considered for entry to the National Merit Scholarship Program.) The competition will span about 18 months from entry in the fall of 2023 until the spring of 2025 when scholarships for college undergraduate study will be awarded</p>
<b>National Technical Honor Society</b> <a href="https://nthsof.org/scholarships-2/">https://nthsof.org/scholarships-2/</a>	<b>Varies by award</b>	<p>NTHS members have access to exclusive scholarships to help further their education and advance their careers.</p> <p>Various scholarships are offered, and each has its own eligibility, award amount and requirements</p>



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<p><b>OppU Achievers Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://www.opploans.com/oppu/financial-literacy/financial-education-scholarships-and-competitions-that-students-can-apply-for-right-now/">https://www.opploans.com/oppu/financial-literacy/financial-education-scholarships-and-competitions-that-students-can-apply-for-right-now/</a></p>	<p><b>Quarterly</b></p>	<p>Award: \$2,500</p> <p>Eligibility: High school seniors, undergraduate, and graduate students</p> <p>How to apply: Submit an essay to the <a href="#">OppU Achievers Scholarship</a></p>
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<p><b>Pride Foundation</b>  <a href="https://pridefoundation.org/find-funding/scholarships/guidelines/">https://pridefoundation.org/find-funding/scholarships/guidelines/</a></p>	<p><b>January 5</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Northwest Residency:</b> Applicants must be a resident of <b>Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, or Washington</b> but may study elsewhere. Applicants are considered a resident of one of these states if they currently live within that state or have lived within that state for at least one year at any time within the last five years.</li> <li>• <b>Pursuing Post-Secondary Education:</b> Applicants must be pursuing post-secondary education in the coming 2024-2025 school year. This includes community college, four-year public or private college or university, certificate programs, vocational/technical/trade programs, law school, medical/dental/veterinary school, or graduate education.</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Log in to apply</a></p>
<p><b>Prudential Emerging Visionaries Award</b>  <a href="https://www.changemakers.com/en/challenge/emergingvisionaries">https://www.changemakers.com/en/challenge/emergingvisionaries</a></p>	<p><b>November 2</b></p>	<p>25 winners will receive \$5,000 each</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants must be individuals between the ages of 14 - 18 when applying and not older than 18 by the end of the entry period (November 2, 2023). Groups and partners are not eligible.</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants must be legal residents of the United States or Puerto Rico.</li> <li>• Participants must have started their project on or before June 1, 2023.</li> <li>• Winners must bring one chaperone to the in-person event on April 20-23, 2024.</li> <li>• One application per person.</li> <li>• Applications must be submitted in English.</li> <li>• Prudential Emerging Visionaries and Prudential Spirit of Community National Honorees and State Honorees are NOT eligible to apply.</li> <li>• Employees and their children and grandchildren of Prudential, Ashoka, Financial Health Network, or its affiliates and participating advertising and promotion agencies are NOT eligible to apply.</li> </ul> <p>Contact <a href="mailto:emergingvisionaries@ashoka.org">emergingvisionaries@ashoka.org</a> with questions</p>
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<p><b>ROTC Army Scholarships</b>  <a href="https://www.goarmy.com/careers-and-jobs/find-your-path/army-officers/rotc/scholarships.html">https://www.goarmy.com/careers-and-jobs/find-your-path/army-officers/rotc/scholarships.html</a></p>	<p><b>March 4</b></p>	<p>Your acceptance of the scholarship means a future service obligation of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Eight years of Army service, with requirements for active duty in the Army, and/or serving in the Army Reserve or Army National Guard, depending on the scholarship</li> <li>• You may be eligible to serve part time in the Army Reserve or Army National Guard while pursuing a civilian career</li> </ul>

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<b>ROTC Air Force Scholarships</b> <i><a href="https://www.afrotc.com/scholarships/high-school/application/">https://www.afrotc.com/scholarships/high-school/application/</a></i>	<b>February 23</b>	Pays full (100 percent) college tuition and authorized fees at any public or private institution with an Air Force ROTC detachment  Requirements: <i><a href="https://www.afrotc.com/scholarships/high-school/requirements/">https://www.afrotc.com/scholarships/high-school/requirements/</a></i>  <i><a href="#">Applicant guide can be found here</a></i>
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<b>Student View Scholarship</b> <i><a href="https://www.student-view.com/ScholarshipWmap.html">https://www.student-view.com/ScholarshipWmap.html</a></i>		Simply complete a 15–25-minute online survey about local colleges. You will then be automatically entered into a random drawing for a scholarship award.
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<b>United Negro College Fund</b> <i><a href="https://opportunities.uncf.org/s/pre-login-welcome-page">https://opportunities.uncf.org/s/pre-login-welcome-page</a></i>		The UNCF website can be used to search through scholarships and grant programs administered by the United Negro College Fund. You may apply to as many scholarships as you want.
<b>The United States Youth Program (USSYP)</b> <i><a href="https://ussenateyouth.org/selection_process_qualify/">https://ussenateyouth.org/selection_process_qualify/</a></i>		\$5,000 Applicants must currently be serving in an elected capacity in any one of the following student government offices: Student body president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, class president, or a student council representative.

<p><b>Veteran of Foreign Wars - Voice of Democracy Program</b>  <a href="https://www.vfw.org/community/youth-and-education/youth-scholarships">https://www.vfw.org/community/youth-and-education/youth-scholarships</a></p>	<p><b>October 31</b></p>	<p>\$35,000  The Voice of Democracy is open to students in grades 9-12 by the Oct. 31 deadline who are enrolled in a public private or parochial high school or home study program in the United States, its territories and possessions; or dependents of U.S. military or civilian personnel in overseas schools. Although U.S. citizenship is not required, students must be lawful U.S. permanent residents or have applied for permanent residence (the application for which has not been denied) and intends to become a U.S. citizen at the earliest opportunity allowed by law. Foreign exchange students, students age 20 or over, previous Voice of Democracy first place state winners, GED or Adult Education Students are ineligible.</p>
<p><b>Veteran of Foreign Wars - Patriot's Pen</b>  <a href="https://www.vfw.org/community/youth-and-education/youth-scholarships">https://www.vfw.org/community/youth-and-education/youth-scholarships</a></p>	<p><b>October 31</b></p>	<p>State winner receives \$500, the national first place winner receives \$5,000  Patriot's Pen is open to 6th, 7th and 8th-grade students enrolled by the Oct. 31 deadline in public, private or parochial schools in the U.S., its territories or its possessions. Home-schooled students also are eligible. Although U.S. citizenship is not required, students must be lawful U.S. permanent residents or have applied for permanent residence (the application which has not been denied) and intends to become a U.S. citizen at the earliest opportunity allowed by law. (Foreign exchange students or former winners that placed in the National contest are ineligible.)</p>
<p><b>Visionary Scholarship Program</b>  <a href="https://americancollegefoundation.org/college-planning-visionary-scholarship-details/">https://americancollegefoundation.org/college-planning-visionary-scholarship-details/</a></p>	<p><b>June 1</b></p>	<p><i>One \$2,500 and four \$1,000</i>  Register here: <a href="https://americancollegefoundation.org/college-planning-visionary-scholarship-register/">https://americancollegefoundation.org/college-planning-visionary-scholarship-register/</a>  You will receive an application via email  Email with questions <b>Admin@AmericanCollegeFoundation.org</b>  Upload your application packet here</p>
<p><b>WTA Foundation – Trade Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://w-t-a.org/about/foundation/">https://w-t-a.org/about/foundation/</a></p>	<p><b>March 1</b></p>	<p>\$750 - \$2,500  Eligibility: <a href="https://w-t-a.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/WTA-Scholarship-Requirements_2024-Web.pdf">https://w-t-a.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/WTA-Scholarship-Requirements_2024-Web.pdf</a>  Application: <a href="https://fs19.formsite.com/wta-scholarship/aqquko3pqo/index">https://fs19.formsite.com/wta-scholarship/aqquko3pqo/index</a></p>

<p><b>WTA Foundation – Academic Scholarship</b>  <a href="https://w-t-a.org/about/foundation/">https://w-t-a.org/about/foundation/</a></p>	<p><b>March 1</b></p>	<p>\$750 - \$2,500  <i>Eligibility:</i> <a href="https://w-t-a.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/WTA-Scholarship-Requirements_2024-Web.pdf">https://w-t-a.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/WTA-Scholarship-Requirements_2024-Web.pdf</a>  <i>Application:</i> <a href="https://fs19.formsite.com/wta-scholarship/k63vo3iry0/index">https://fs19.formsite.com/wta-scholarship/k63vo3iry0/index</a></p>
<p><b>Non-Scholarship Opportunities</b></p>		
<p><b>ANSEP Acceleration Academy Applications</b>  <a href="https://www.ansep.net/component/acceleration-academy-full-time/">https://www.ansep.net/component/acceleration-academy-full-time/</a></p>	<p><b>Fall semester deadline is March 8</b></p>	<p>AK Native Science and Engineering Program Acceleration Academy (Full-Time) is a full school day opportunity during the academic year. Students in grades 9 through 12 take free University courses and earn three years of college credits towards any degree by high school graduation.</p>
<p><b>Della Keats Health Science For Native Alaska Students</b>  <a href="https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/academics/college-of-health/give/della-keats.cshtml">https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/academics/college-of-health/give/della-keats.cshtml</a></p>	<p><b>March 8</b></p>	<p>The Della Keats program is a four (4) week, residential program for high school students on the UAA Anchorage campus. The goal of the program is to ignite passion for careers in health and medicine while building confidence and tools for success in college and their future career.</p> <p><b>Eligibility Requirement and Application Considerations</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• High school juniors, seniors and 2024 graduates interested in a career in health care. High school aged students completing their GED are also eligible to apply.</li> <li>• Demonstrated interest in health careers biomedical research, medicine or the health professions</li> </ul> <p><b>Application Requirements</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum (1) Letter of Recommendation from a Teacher, Counselor, Elder or Mentor highlighting applicant’s ability/potential</li> <li>• Personal Statement Essay</li> <li>• Academic Transcript (Optional)</li> <li>• <a href="#">Application can be found here</a></li> </ul> <p>Contact <a href="mailto:uaa_dellakeats@alaska.edu">uaa_dellakeats@alaska.edu</a>. With questions</p>

<p><b>Rural Alaska Honors Institute</b>  <a href="http://www.uaf.edu/rahi/">www.uaf.edu/rahi/</a></p>	<p><b>March 1</b></p>	<p>Rural Alaska Honors Institute (RAHI) is a competitive program that gives rural and Alaska Native students a chance to find out what it's like to be a college student. For six weeks, students live in dorms on UAF's Troth Yeddha' campus, take an average of 9 college credits, explore interior Alaska through a variety of outdoor activities, and volunteer in the Fairbanks community. The best part, aside from getting college credits and gaining lifelong friends from across the state, is that the entire experience is completely free.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alaska Native or rural Alaskan</li> <li>• High school junior or senior (students will attend RAHI after their junior or senior year of high school)</li> <li>• 3.0 or higher cumulative GPA (a lower GPA does not disqualify you, but be sure you show us that you're ready for college-level coursework in your essays!)</li> <li>• Ability to read at or above grade level</li> <li>• Committed to earning a college degree</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Information on how to apply can be found here</a></p>
<p><b>Senator Lisa Murkowski Intern Program</b>  <a href="https://www.murkowski.senate.gov/assistance/students/internships">https://www.murkowski.senate.gov/assistance/students/internships</a></p>	<p><b>Spring: November 29, 2023</b></p> <p><b>Summer: March 29, 2024</b></p> <p><b>Fall: July 26, 2024</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be at least 21 years of age</li> <li>• Must be responsible, mature, professional, and likes to work with teenagers</li> <li>• Prior experience working with youth in some capacity preferred but not required</li> <li>• Prior knowledge of the Washington, D.C. area preferred but not required</li> </ul> <p>Contact <a href="mailto:Angelina_Burney@murkowski.senate.gov">Angelina_Burney@murkowski.senate.gov</a> with questions</p> <p><a href="#">Application can be found here</a></p>

<p><b>Spirit of Youth Award</b></p>	<p><b>Monthly</b></p>	<p>The Spirit of Youth campaign salutes Alaskan teens that are making positive contributions in their communities. This recognition campaign includes prestigious state and local awards in addition to media coverage in local newspapers, on radio and television news. Nominees are invited to an annual banquet where they are eligible for cash scholarship awards. Nominations come from anyone who wishes to recognize a hard-working Alaskan teenager. Recommendations often come from school staff and board members, youth clubs and organizations, the business community, or other teenagers. Any community member inspired by a teen's efforts can submit a nomination! Nominations are reviewed at the end of every month. Nomination form available at <a href="http://www.spiritofyouth.org">http://www.spiritofyouth.org</a></p>
<p><b>USDA Student Intern Program</b>  <a href="https://www.usda.gov/youth/career">https://www.usda.gov/youth/career</a></p>		<p>Students aged 16 or older in high schools, community colleges, 4 year colleges/universities, trade schools, career/ technical education programs, graduate programs and other qualifying educational institutions and programs, as determined by the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) are all qualified to apply. An application must be submitted online at <a href="http://www.studentapplication.usda.gov">www.studentapplication.usda.gov</a>.</p>
<p><b>WWAMI The Alaska PreMed Summit</b>  <a href="https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/academics/college-of-health/events/alaska-health-education-summit/index.cshtml">https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/academics/college-of-health/events/alaska-health-education-summit/index.cshtml</a></p>	<p><b>2024 dates TBD</b></p>	<p>Hosted by the University of Alaska Anchorage's <a href="#">WWAMI School of Medical Education</a> and College of Health, the Alaska Health Education Summit (AHES) offers information to anyone wanting to learn more about the process of becoming a health professional, including students, parents, school counselors and advisors. Attendees can explore the wide range of health and social service degree programs offered at UAA, tour our labs and facilities, learn about the application process, and get tips on being a competitive applicant. Participants also have the opportunity to win prizes, including academic scholarships!  Contact <a href="mailto:arvanalmelo@alaska.edu">arvanalmelo@alaska.edu</a> with questions</p>