

Scholarship/Award Opportunities – January/February Deadlines

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Name of Scholarship	Amount	Citizen or PR	Requirements	Due Date	Website/Contact
Simon Youth Foundation	\$1400		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HS Seniors living in proximity of a Simon Property Mall – Colorado Mills and Aurora Town Center • Planning to enroll in college in Fall 2012 at 2 year, 4 year or vocational school • Employees and family members of Simon Prop Group are not eligible • Special consideration for first generation students • Demonstrate financial need 	?	http://www.syf.org/our-initiatives/scholarships/academy-award-guidelinecontacts/ Will Open in January 2012 – check website for details and application information
Ron Brown Scholars Program	\$40,000 over 4 years to college of choice	No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • African American high school senior • US citizen or permanent resident • Excel academically • Leadership potential • Community service • Demonstrated financial need 	1/9/2012 (just Ron Brown) 11/1/2010 (for Ron Brown and forwarded to other scholarships providers)	http://www.ronbrown.org
Gates Millennium Scholars	Based on cost of tuition and financial	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, 	1/11/2012	http://www.gmsp.org

	aid awarded.		<p>Asian Pacific Islander American or Hispanic American</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • US citizen or legal permanent resident • Minimum GPA 3.3 • Full-time enrollment for 2012-2013 academic year as a first year degree-seeking student • Demonstrated leadership abilities through participation in community service, extracurricular or other activities • Meet Pell Grant eligibility criteria 		
Burger King Scholars Program	\$1,000	Resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GPA of 2.5 or higher • Work 10 hours/week (not required to be an employee of BK) • Demonstrates participation in community service and/or co-curricular activities • Demonstrates financial need • Plan to enroll in 2 or 4 year college or voc-tech school in Fall 2012 	1/10/2012	http://www.haveyourwayfoundation.org/burger_king_scholars_program.html see Q&A sheet link
Mensa Education and Research Foundation Scholarship Essay Program	\$300-\$1000	NO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enrollment for Fall 2011 in a degree program at an accredited US institution • Reside in a participating local group of Mensa 	1/15/2012	http://www.mensafoundation.org/scholarships

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 550 word essay describing your career, vocational and/or acad. Goals • No minimum GPA or financial need 		
Microsoft			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full time enrollment in a bachelor's degree program • Major in computer science, computer engineering, or a related field (math, physics, engineering) 	1/16/2012	http://careers.microsoft.com/careers/en/us/internships-scholarships.aspx
The White Rose Scholarship	\$500 - \$2000	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • US citizen and Colorado resident • Demonstrate financial need • Display evidence of community service • Minimum GPA 3.0 • Admitted to university or accredited technical or vocational school 	1/31/2012	Download the application, in the download section, at: http://www.denvercourt.org
The McKelvey Foundation Entrepreneurial Scholarship	Up to \$10,000 for 4 years		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduate high school in Spring 2009 • Attend a 4 year college/univ • Own and operate a genuine business (non-profits eligible) • Have at least one paid employee 	Not accepting applications 2011-2012	http://www.mckelveyfoundation.org or call 1-877-625-3583 or email: info@mckelveyfoundation.org
Greenhouse Partners Scholars	Up to \$5,000 per year for 4 years	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a U.S. citizen or perm resident of the U.S. • Be a legal resident of Colorado • Be a high school 	1/20/2012	http://www.greenhousescholars.org info: scholars@greenhousescholars.org

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> senior in CO Have an unweighted GPA of 3.5 or above Demonstrate a strong interest and commitment to the community Demonstrate an ability to persevere through difficult circumstances Possess excellent leadership skills Demonstrate financial need [annual household income no greater than \$ 70,000] 		
Ronald McDonald House Charities (RMHC) National Scholarship Program	\$1,000 and up	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High school senior under 25 years old. Eligible to attend a 2 or 4-year college or university with a full course of study Legal U.S. resident Reside in a participating local Chapter's geographic area Submit a complete application and all required documentation by the deadline 	1/27/2012	<p>4 new scholarship opportunities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> RMHC/African American Future Achievers RMHC/Hispanic Amer. Commitment to Educ. Resources RMHC Scholars RMHC/Asian Students Increasing Achievement <p>May only apply for 1 of the 4 scholarships</p> <p>http://www.rmhc.com</p>
The Princeton Prize in Race Relations	\$1000	No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High school students involved in an activity that is helping to improve race relations in your school or community 	1/31/2012	http://www.princeton.edu/pprize/

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrated commitment to advancing the cause of positive race relations 		
Society of Women Engineers	\$500	?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colorado or Wyoming graduating senior planning to study engineering or computer science • GPA 3.5 and above • Top 25% of class 	1/31/2012	http://www.societyofwomenengineers.org/RockyMountain/scholarships.html
Colorado Council on High School/College Relations Volunteerism/Community Service Scholarship	\$1,250	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduating high school senior • US citizen or perm resident and resident of Colorado for final two years of high school • Accepted at an accredited in-state Colorado Council Member institution and enrolled full time • Selections based on: volunteerism/community service, extracurricular activities and dedication to others. • 2.5 cumulative GPA 	1/30/2012	http://www.coloradocouncil.org
Union Plus Scholarship Program	\$500-4,000	Unknown	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attending a university, community college, tech or trade school • AFL-CIO Union members, Union Plus members, spouses and dependent children • 3.0 GPA is recommended • Evaluated on social 	1/31/2012	http://www.unionplus.org/college-education-financing/union-plus-scholarship

			awareness, financial need, academic ability and appreciation of labor		
The National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences Foundation Jim McKay Memorial Scholarship	\$10,000	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interest in a career in the television industry or related field • Must have ACT or SAT score • High school senior 	1/30/2012	http://www.emmyonline.org/foundation/scholarship.html
Epsilon Sigma Alpha Foundation Scholarship	Varies		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Varies 	2/1/2012	http://www.epsilonsigmaalpha.org/scholarships-and-grants/scholarships
National Institutes of Health Undergraduate Scholarship Program	Up to \$20,000 per year renewable for up to 4 years	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • US citizen or qualified non citizen • Enrolled and Accepted at an accredited 4 year university • Interested in a biomedical, behavioral, or social science health-related career • From a disadvantaged background – financial need • 3.5 GPA or higher or top 5% of class 	2/1/2012	https://ugsp.nih.gov/home.asp?m=00
Project PAVE/Janus Foundation Transformations Scholarship	\$2,000-\$4,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduating 2011-2012 seniors enrolled in a 2 or 4-year college, university, voc/tech program • Demonstrate rising above an emotionally, physically, or sexually violent experience(s) to attain personal 	2/1/2012	http://www.projectpave.org/transformations-scholarship ehoerig@projectpave.org

			<p>achievement.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Active in transforming yourself and others in the area of relationship violence. 		
Conference Of Minority Transportation Officials (COMTO) Colorado Scholarship	Varies		<p>Students who plan to attend accredited four-year colleges and major in the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Archaeology and/or Cultural Resources Architecture Aviation Civil, Chemical, Structural, Mechanical and/or Electrical Engin Computer Science Construction Engineering Technology Construction/ Construction Management Environmental Science Geology and/or Geotechnical Engineering Public Information and Outreach Programs Security Systems Urban Planning Vehicle Design and Maintenance 	2/1/2011	<p>http://www.comtocolorado.org/Scholarship_Info/</p> <p>Not updated as of 12/2011</p>

			<p>Students who plan to attend accredited technical schools or community colleges and major in the following or related disciplines:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Construction • Computer Aided Design (CAD) • Heating and Air Conditioning (HVAC) • Electrical • Electronics • Hydraulics and/or Elevator Mechanics • Diesel Mechanics 		
Elks The Legacy Award	\$4000 over 4 years	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school seniors • US citizen • 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, 2008 • Must take SAT or ACT by 12/31/10 	2/1/2012	http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/legacy.cfm
La Raza Youth Leadership Award Scholarship – University of Colorado at Denver Health Sciences Center	\$1,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Admitted to UCDHSC and planning to enroll full time • Colorado residents, high school senior, and US citizen or legal permanent resident • Attend the La Raza Youth Leadership Conference on 4/28/07 	2/1/2012	<p>See your school's Post Secondary Coach or contact UCDHSC http://www.larazayouth.org/scholarships</p> <p>Info NOT updated as of 12/2011 – check website in January 2012 for details</p>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cumulative GPA of 3.0 		
ConstructMyFuture.com Scholarship	10 - \$1,000	Not specified	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scholarship awarded for college expenses or for the purchase of construction tools Simple application includes one reference letter and three short essay questions about why you want to pursue a construction related education and career 	Ongoing Construction Trade Scholarships	www.Constructmyfuture.com follow "students" link, then "scholarships" for 10 more construction-related opportunities
KFC Colonel's Scholars	Up to \$5000 per year, \$20,000 for 4 years	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Graduate from high school this academic year (between 12/1/10 and 8/31/11) Earn a minimum cumulative high school GPA of 2.75 Plan to pursue a bachelor's degree at a public, in-state college or university (start date no later than 9/30/11) Be a US citizen or permanent resident Demonstrate financial need 	Due: 2/8/2012	http://www.kfcscholars.org
The Point Foundation – Scholarship Foundation for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender Students	Varies		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Proven leadership skills, excellent scholastic achievements and want to make a difference in the world. You do not have to be LGBT to apply but you should have a history of leadership in the LGBT community and 	2/10/2012	http://www.thepointfoundation.org

			plan to be a LGBT leader in the future.		
Colorado Association of Career Colleges and Schools (CACCS) 2009 Scholarship	\$1000	CO state resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High school seniors or graduates Maintain a minimum of "B" average State of Colorado resident Planning or currently enrolled in a full-time course of study at any CACCS school (see list) 	2/3/2012	http://www.coloradoprivateschoolassociation.com/events/scholarshipprogram.html Call Sally Kemp at 303-863-8366 or email: sallyk@tde.com with questions Check list under "members" link Participating schools: Art Institute of CO, At-Home Professions, Colorado School of Healing Arts, Concorde Career College, Englewood Beauty College, Guild for Structural Integration, Highlands Ranch Public Safety Training, Institute of Business and Medical Careers, Int'l Salon and Spa Academy, Platt College, Redstone College, Starkey Int'l Institute Household Mgmt, Cambridge College, Colorado School of Trades, Denver School of Massage, Everest College, Heritage College, ITT Technical Institute, Intellitec College, Pima Medical Institute, Remington College, Westwood College of Technology, Lincoln College of Technology, Glenwood Beauty Academy, Kaplan College, Career Coders
USA Funds Access to Education Scholarships	\$1,500		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Have an annual adjusted gross family income of \$35,000 or less, as documented on a 2010 federal 1040 income-tax form US Citizen or eligible non-citizen Up to 50 percent of the scholarship awards will be targeted to applicants who are members of an ethnic-minority group or have a documented physical disability Planning to enroll full or part time at an accredited 2 or 4 year college in Fall 2009 	2/15/2012	Apply online at: http://www.usafunds.org/scholarship
Commitment to Agriculture Scholarship Program	\$1500		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to high school seniors across the U.S. Seniors from a farm family Must have an above-average academic record and plan to 	2/15/2010	http://www.monsanto.com & http://www.nafb.com http://www.monsanto.com/ourcommitments/Pages/agriculture-scholarships.aspx

			enroll as a full-time student in an agriculture-related academic major at an accredited school		Not updated with new updates as of December 2011
National Co-op Scholarship Program	\$5,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum GPA 3.5 • Complete application including 1 page 500 word essay about why you have chosen to pursue a college cooperative program • Admitted to a National Commission Partner Institution (see website for list – 1 local school/Johnson and Wales) 	2/15/2012	http://www.co-op.edu
Best Buy Scholarship	\$1,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a graduating HS senior living in the US • Minimum cumulative HS GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale. • Demonstrate commitment to academic achievement and involvement in volunteer community service or work experience. • Plan to enroll in a full-time undergrad course of study at an accredited 2- or 4-year college, university, or voc-tech school in the US or Puerto Rico no later than fall 2011. 	Applications available 1/1/2011 Due by 2/15/2011	http://www.bestbuy-communityrelations.com/scholarship.htm 2012 Information not posted as of December 2012
Alzheimer's Foundation of America Teen for	\$5000	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Currently enrolled in school and a US 	2/15/2012	http://www.afateens.org/about_new.html

Alzheimer's Awareness College Scholarship			Citizen or perm resident <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plan to enter a 4 year college or university within 12 months of deadline • Write an essay on how Alzheimer's has impacted your life and follow all other application rules 		
Accounting Scholarships	\$1000.00	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any Colorado high school senior that will major in accounting at a Colorado community college or Colorado college or university with an accredited accounting program. These schools must offer accounting classes that are transferable to other Colorado colleges with accredited accounting programs. • Students must enroll in the upcoming summer or fall semester/quarter, and enroll in courses equal to six (6) semester/quarter hours or more for the semester/quarter for which they are applying. • Official high school transcripts must reflect a 3.0 or better cumulative grade point average on a 4.0 scale. 	2/15/2011	http://www.cocpa.org/student-center/scholarships.html Questions should be directed to the CSCPA office at (303) 773-2877 or (800) 523-9082

Hispanic Scholarship Fund Peierls Rising Star 4 Year Scholarship	\$2500 for 4 year or \$1250 for 2 year college	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Latino/Hispanic HS seniors US Citizen or Perm Resident GPA between 2.5-2.9 Participate in mentoring, pre-collegiate or extracurricular activities Plan to attend a school in Denver 	2/15/2011	www.hsf.net
Daughters of the American Revolution	\$Varies		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students enrolled in nursing programs, and occupational/physical therapy programs who show financial need. Students interested in Economics, History, Political Science and Government studies. 	2/15/2011	http://www.dar.org MANY scholarships – go to website to look at all of them. Send away for an application.
Kaiser Permanente Diversity Scholarship Program	\$500-2,000	yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Graduating senior or GED recipient entering a post secondary school Minimum 2.7 GPA Colorado resident Underrepresented student (African American, Latino, LGBTI, Native American, Asian Pacific, or people with disabilities) pursuing an education for any career associated with the health care or public health fields 	2/24/2012	https://scholareselect.com/scholarships/538-kaiser-permanente-colorado-diversity-scholarship-program
Que Llueva Café" scholarship	\$500.00-\$1000.00	NO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be of Chicano / Latino descent Must be an 	2/26/2010	http://calsa.schoolfusion.us/modules/cms/pages.phtml?pageid=143990&sessionid=0b55cad6f2ad4e6b4c1

			<p>undocumented student. We define an undocumented student as someone who was born outside of the U.S. but lives here without the legal permission of the federal government.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be or will be a high school/GED graduate who will enroll for the first time in an accredited college or university in the U.S. or Puerto Rico for the 2010-2011 academic year. Due to limited funds, students enrolled in college after they have graduated will not be considered. • Must demonstrate financial need. Must demonstrate academic potential and promise. 		a8459e4598b24&sessionid=0b55cad6f2ad4e6b4c1a8459e4598b2
County Sheriff of Colorado Scholarship	30-\$500.00 1-\$1000.00	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any permanent legal resident of a Colorado county who plans to enroll in a vocational training program or institution of higher learning in the state of Colorado as a full- or part-time student for the 2011-12 school year is eligible. 	2/26/2011 Adams County is in even years (next school year eligible for Adams is 2012-2013	http://www.csoc.org/scholarship.asp check list for your county
Junior Achievement Inspiration Scholarships	4 year renewable \$2,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seniors graduating in Spring 2011 • Participated in a JA high school program 	2/25/2011	http://www.jacolorado.org/content/view/88/97

Youth for Understanding Scholarships	Varies – full or partial scholarships to live overseas as a YFU exchange student.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • YFU looks for students who are flexible, have a spirit of adventure and will enjoy the challenge of adapting to new people in a new culture. Summer, semester and year long programs. Numerous countries and scholarships. • High School student (15-18 y.o.), GPA at least 3.0, good health, language requirements vary. 	Contact them directly. Varies 1/4/11-2/8/2011 (check individual scholarships)	http://www.yfu-usa.org/ 1.866.4.YFU.USA
Military Children Scholarship Program	\$1500		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have a parent/guardian in active military, reserves, Guard or retired. • Plan to attend an accredited 4-year undergrad program full time • Complete an essay, application, letters of rec • Go to commissary to get application or go to website • 3.0 minimum GPA 	2/22/2011	http://www.militaryscholar.org/
Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Scholarship	\$1000.00		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • African American Males who have a proven record of superior scholarship and demonstrate exceptional community service. 	2/20/2010 Not updated	See Post Secondary Coach Contact Gregory Diggs at Gregory.diggs@ucdenver.edu http://www.alpha-phi-alpha.com/iframePage.php?id=102&key=

First Annual Que Llueva Café Scholarship (CORE)	\$500	No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be of Chicano/Latino descent • Must be undocumented • Must be a graduating senior who will be attending a higher education institution 	2/24/2012	http://www.ca-core.org
LEAD Foundation-Learning and Educating about Disabilities	\$1,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have a documented specific learning disability • Resident of Colorado pursuing a post-secondary education • Minimum 2.8 GPA 	2/28/2009 Check back new deadline not posted	http://www.leadcolorado.org/scholarships.aspx
Colorado State Fair Fiesta Queen Pageant Competition	Varies		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hispanic women ages 18-22 are invited to compete in the Fiesta Queen Pageant on April 29, 2008. • Applicants must not be married or have any children. • 3.0 minimum GPA 	2/28/2008 Not updated for 2010 check back	http://www.coloradostatefair.com/index.php?page=fiesta_queen

The Never Forgotten Fund	Varies		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduating senior • Minimum GPA of 3.0 • Be attending a post high school institution • Exemplify volunteerism and leadership 	Applications information will be available Feb 2010 check website	http://www.denverfoundation.org/page17851.cfm Questions: Contact Bailey at 303-713-8415 or bailey@clearchannel.com Mail application to: The Never Forgotten Fund, c/o Clear Channel Colorado, 4695 S. Monaco Street, Denver, CO 80237
Order of the Sons of Italy in America Scholarship	Varies	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be of Italian descent; person related to you must be a member of the Sons of Italy - Denver Lodge #2075 	2/28/2011	http://www.osia.org/students/general-study-scholarships.php
University Hills Rotary Foundation College Scholarship – Science or Math Majors	\$3500 Renewable for 4 years	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perm resident of CO living within geographic boundaries (Rotary district 5450) • US citizen of good character • Min GPA 3.0 • Provide evidence of financial need • Accepted to a college within Colorado and intent to major in science or math • Willing to attend 4 Rotary meeting to report on progress 	2/29/2012	http://www.universityhillsrotary.org/ See your Post Secondary Coach for an application or go to the URL given here

Lowe's Scholarship and Carl Buchan Scholarship	140 - \$2500 50 - \$5000 (Carl Buchan for employees)	DOES NOT Specify	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduating seniors planning to enroll in any accredited 2 or 4 year school • 3.25 minimum GPA for both scholarships • Car Buchan scholarship is open to full and part time Lowe's employees • Academic achievement, leadership, community service, work experience 	2/28/2012	http://careers.lowes.com/college_recruiting_scholarship.aspx
Sons of Italy's Colorado and National Scholarship	\$1,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • US Citizen of Italian descent (at least one parent or grandparent) • 1 page reflection on how you identify with or celebrate Italian heritage 	2/28/2012	http://www.osia.org/students/scholarships.php

<p>Hispanic Scholarship Fund – Various Scholarships</p> <p>HSF/ATT Scholarship (for dependents of ATT employees)</p>	Varies	Varies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Varying requirements for 10 different scholarships on their webpage 	<p>12/15/2010 to 2/28/2011</p> <p>Multiple deadlines check website</p>	<p>http://www.hsf.net/Scholarships.aspx?id=426</p>
<p>Society of Mutual Benefit of St. Michael the Archangel</p>	3 - \$1,500	Not specified	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school grad as of 2009 • Used at any accredited school starting Fall 2009 • Complete application 	2/29/2012	<p>http://www.stmichaelsociety.com</p> <p>Mike Paulino 303-888-2108 or Frank Yantorno 303-288-1209 info@stmichaelsociety.com</p>