

Info from the Counseling Office

November 23, 2020

SCHOLARSHIPS

***New scholarships added to list (week of November 23) are highlighted in yellow**

NHS Scholarship

Scholarship:

- 1 National Winner – \$25,000 scholarship
- 24 national finalists – \$5,625 scholarship
- 575 national semifinalists – \$3,200 scholarship

Criteria:

- Must be a current high school senior graduating with the class of 2021.
- Must be an active NHS member in good standing with a verified student account.
- Must be enrolled at a school with an active NHS chapter.
- Must be planning to enroll at a U.S. college or university in Fall 2021.

Steps to Apply:

- Senior NHS Members must create a student account.
- NHS advisers must verify each student account, which grants the member access to the NHS Scholarship application. Members will receive an email confirming verification of their student account.
 - Important: Do not attempt to log into the application site until you receive confirmation that your NHS adviser has verified your account. You will not be able to access the application.
- All applications must be accompanied by one recommendation, and a certification by the NHS adviser by the deadline in order to be considered complete.

Apply online @ https://www.nhs.us/advisers/the-nhs-scholarship/?utm_source=nassp20nhsnjhs-0012&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=nassp20nhsnjhs. **Deadline to apply is December 1, 2020 at 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time.**

Stephen J. Brady Stop Hunger Scholarship

Scholarship:

- Scholarship winners receive a \$5,000 scholarship and a \$5,000 grant for their hunger-related charity.

Criteria:

- All applicants must be enrolled in an accredited educational institution (kindergarten through graduate school) in the United States. All applicants must be ages 5-25 and meet the age requirement by October 5, 2020.
- All applicants must have demonstrated on-going commitment to their community by performing unpaid volunteer services impacting hunger in the United States within the last 12 months.
- All applicants must be citizens or permanent residents of the United States who reside in the contiguous United States, Alaska, and Hawaii only.
- Volunteer services performed by applicant must help non-family members.
- Scholarship funds awarded to winners must be used for tuition and related fees, books, supplies, and equipment required for courses at an accredited post-secondary education institution.

Apply online @ <http://us.stop-hunger.org/home/grants.html>. **Deadline to Apply is December 5, 2020 at 11:59 p.m., Pacific Time.**

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Equitable Excellence Scholarship Program

Scholarship:

- A total of 369 awards will be granted. Scholarship awards are in the amounts of \$25,000, \$10,000 and \$2,500

Criteria:

- Be current high school seniors and United States citizens or legal residents living or claiming residency in one of the 50 U.S. states, Washington, D.C. or Puerto Rico
- Plan to enroll full-time in an accredited two-year or four-year college or university in the United States by Fall 2021.
- Be willing to provide a release to publicize their identities and information about their achievements along with photographs for use in program promotion and information.

Apply online @ <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/equitableexcellence/>. **Deadline to apply is December 15, 2020 at 3:00 p.m., Central Time or until 10,000 applications are submitted.**

Burger King Scholars Program (any college)

Scholarship:

- \$1,000 - \$50,000 in scholarships

Criteria:

- Be living in the United States, Canada or Puerto Rico
- Have a cumulative high school grade point average of 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale
- Be a high school senior, Burger King employee, spouse/domestic partner or child of an employee.
- Plan to enroll full-time, without interruption, for the entire 2021-22 academic year at an accredited two or four year college, university or vocational-technical school in the U.S., Canada or Puerto Rico

Apply online @ <https://bk-scholars.com/>. **Deadline to apply is December 15, 2020. If 50,000 applications are received prior to December 15, the application will no longer be available.**

AEDF Foundation

Scholarship:

- Awards are in the amount of \$2,000 and may only be used toward tuition (exceptions apply)

Criteria:

- High school students who are pursuing a career in heavy diesel technology
- High school students entering their first year of an AEDF accredited college program: <http://aedfoundation.org/accredited-programs/>
- To start the scholarship application process, students need to first submit their information via the form located on the scholarship website. Once student information is received, candidates will be invited to submit the following to complete their application:
 - A brief letter of intent (200 words or less) indicating how/why the student developed interest in the industry (can also submit a short video to meet this requirement)
 - Two written professional recommendations
 - A scanned copy of the student's acceptance letter to an AEDF accredited college program

Apply online @ <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/aedfscholarship>. **Deadline to apply is December 31, 2020.**

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PB&J Scholarship

Scholarship:

- \$500 - \$1,000

Criteria:

- Students who have experienced personal challenges that may not have allowed them to perform well academically (high GPA is not needed to qualify).
- High school seniors attending an accredited 2-year or 4-year college in the U.S.
- Essay, transcript, one letter of recommendation (two preferred)

Apply online @ <https://scholarsapp.com/scholarship/pbj-scholarship>. **Deadline to apply is December 31, 2020.**

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program

Scholarship:

- Selects numerous recipients to receive a \$10,000 scholarship renewable for up to an additional three years – up to \$40,000 total per recipient.

Criteria:

- Demonstrate at school, at the workplace, and within the community the attributes of leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship
- Strong academic performance (minimum 3.0 grade point average/4.0 scale or equivalent)
- Be citizens of the United States of America
- Be current high school seniors attending high school in the United States
- Plan to enroll in a full-time undergraduate course of study toward a bachelor's degree at an accredited four-year college or university in the United States for the entire upcoming academic year.

Apply online @ <https://www.reaganfoundation.org/education/scholarship-programs/>. **Deadline to apply is January 5, 2021.**

Elks National Foundation Legacy Scholarship (any college)

Scholarship:

- Awards are \$4,000. The Foundation will offer a total of 350 awards.

Criteria:

- College-bound high school senior who are the children, grandchildren, step child, step grandchild, or legal ward of a living Elk who joined the order on or before April 1, 2018, or a charter member of a Lodge that was instituted on or after April 1, 2018, is eligible to apply. The Elk must also be a paid-up member through March 31, 2021. Great-grandchildren are not eligible.
- If the applicant's parent and grandparent are both Elk members, the applicant must apply through the parent's Elks Lodge.
- Applicants are judged on the core values of the Elks National Foundation: Knowledge, Charity, Community Service, and Integrity.
- If you are selected as a 2021 Legacy Awards recipient, you will be required to perform service once a year with an Elks Lodge during the four years you are receiving the scholarship.

Apply online @ www.enf.elks.org/leg. **Deadline to apply is February 5, 2021 at 11:59 a.m., Central Time.**

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Advancing Science and Technology in Eastern Oregon (ASTEIO) Scholars (Eastern OR Univ)

Criteria:

- Pursue a career in one of the following fields: biology, chemistry-biochemistry, computer science or mathematics
- Apply for admission to EOU at www.eou.edu/admissions/apply
- Be a freshman or transfer student attending EOU at the La Grande campus
- Submit a SAT math score of 550+ or an ACT math score of 25+
- Submit your FAFSA application
- Be a US Citizen, permanent resident, national or refugee

Scholars will:

- Receive up to \$7,500 annually for tuition and fees (4 years for freshmen)
- Participate in hands-on learning beginning your first year of study
- Live in a STEM community on campus
- Attend monthly STEM activities with program faculty
- Be eligible for summer internships
- Be eligible for paid positions as an ASTEIO Ambassador for EOU

Apply online @ www.eou.edu/fao/scholarships. **Application is open from October 1 to March 1.**
