

Seniors,

Below is the scholarship newsletter for outside/business scholarships with January through April deadlines. Each scholarship opportunity contains a brief description, the criteria necessary to qualify, where the application is located, the award amount, and the deadline.

Remember every little bit of money helps drop that tuition cost - maybe the scholarship can be used for books or toward room and board.

See me with any questions

Happy scholarship hunting!

Mr. Franz

2019-2020 Bishop Hartley College Scholarship Updates Scholarships for January – April

Career One Stop

Search more than 7,500 scholarships, fellowships, grants, and other financial aid award opportunities. You can:

- Look through the whole list of scholarships below, arranged in order of closest deadline
 - Narrow your list with "Search by keyword." Enter a keyword about the type of award you're looking for
 - Use the filters to see only awards for certain award types, locations, level of study, and more
- Website: <https://www.careeronestop.org/toolkit/training/find-scholarships.aspx>

The William D. Squires Educational Foundation, Inc.

Eligibility:

1. Primarily based upon financial need. The EFC on your FAFSA Student Aid Report (SAR) must be less than 7,000 to apply.
2. Applicants must already know their career goal
3. Applicants must be highly motivated and have good character
4. Applicants must show academic promise; minimum 3.20 GPA

Deadline: Application information will be available after January 7th.

Application: <http://wmdsquiresfoundation.org/>

The Charles L. Warren Memorial Heritage Scholarship

is now available for eligible students to submit. This scholarship is for high school seniors who attend schools that are members of OACAC (just one counselor in your high school needs to be an OACAC member to qualify). The OACAC Inclusion, Access and Success Committee would like you to forward the application to deserving students at your high school. The **one-time \$1,500 scholarship** will be awarded to several outstanding high school seniors.

Students from underrepresented populations with a grade point average of a 3.0 or better on a 4.0 scale who are in a college preparatory curriculum are eligible to compete for the scholarships. The students must also plan to attend an Ohio college or university. They will need to submit their completed application along with their personal statement, high school transcript, and the guidance counselor recommendation (which must be signed by the counselor). Please note that students may also submit a recommendation from a teacher, clergy or someone who has worked with them through a community organization.

CRITERIA FOR ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is awarded to students who meet the following criteria: ⇒ Demonstrate and show a continued commitment to cultural and intellectual diversity ⇒ Attend an OACAC member high school. Just one HS counselor needs to be a member to qualify, please check with your counselor to verify that your high school is an OACAC member. ⇒ Have an accumulated grade point average of 3.00 or better on a 4.00 scale in a college preparatory curriculum ⇒ Required to attend an Ohio college or university ⇒ Submit the Charles L. Warren Memorial Heritage Scholarship application, an official high school transcript, a counselor recommendation and a personal statement by the published deadline ⇒ You must also submit an electronic application in addition to submitting an official high school transcript, a counselor recommendation and a personal statement All of these criteria are required, along with other factors as determined by the Inclusion, Access, and Success Committee of OACAC. Students from underrepresented populations are encouraged to apply.

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS January 20, 2020

Application: <https://form.jotform.com/91816494621159>

Hispanic Scholarship Fund (HSF)

The HSF Scholarship is designed to assist students of Hispanic heritage obtain a college degree. Scholarships are available, on a competitive basis, to:

- High school seniors
- Undergraduate students (all years)
- Community college students transferring to four year universities
- Graduate Students

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Must be of Hispanic heritage
- 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 undergraduate and graduate students
- Plan to enroll full-time in an accredited, not-for-profit, four-year university, or graduate school, during the fall of a scholarship cycle (year)
- US Citizen, Permanent Legal Resident, DACA or Eligible Non-Citizen (as defined by FAFSA)
- Complete FAFSA or state based financial aid application (if applicable)

Award: Awards are based on merit; amounts range from \$500 to \$5,000, based on relative need, among the Scholars selected.

Deadline: February 15, 2020

Application: Visit <https://www.hsf.net/scholarship>

The Cardinal Newman Society Essay Scholarship

Criteria: The Contest is open to high school seniors who will graduate in Spring 2020. Entrants must be legal residents of the fifty (50) United States and the District of Columbia.

Additionally, applicants must:

- sign up for our “Recruit Me” program no later than February 17, 2020 (available online [here](#));
- explore the Newman Society’s tips for navigating the college search (available online [here](#));
- use The Newman Guide (available online [here](#)) and in their college search, and plan to attend one of the institutions recommended in The Newman Guide in the fall of 2020. Should the winner of the Contest decide not to attend a college recommended in The Newman Guide, a new winner may be selected.

The Contest is not open to immediate family members of the employees or volunteers of The Cardinal Newman Society.

Award: \$5,000

Application: <https://newmansociety.org/what-is-the-newman-societys-essay-scholarship-contest/>

Deadline: February 17, 2020

Builders Exchange of Central Ohio

Criteria: Eligible students must be enrolled in or be entering a two-year technical program or four-year college program and be in a construction-related field of study

Applicants are evaluated on the following criteria:

- academic achievement
- community and school involvement
- financial need
- relationship of the student’s field of study to the construction industry
- potential future impact of the student on the central Ohio construction community
- quality of the application

Applications must be complete and accompanied by a SCHOOL ISSUED TRANSCRIPT for consideration.

Application: <http://www.bx.org/scholarships.php>

Deadline: February 21, 2020

AAA School Safety Patrol

Criteria: High school seniors who once served as a member of the AAA School Safety Patrol.

Application: Available in School Counseling Office – No application will be accepted without the signature of the School Counselor. Additionally, applicants must write a minimum 500-word double-spaced essay, provide school transcript and include a letter of recommendation.

Application: Please pick up an application in the school counseling office. No application will be accepted without the signature of the School Counselor.

Award: \$1,000 Grant

Deadline: February 28, 2020

American Society of Military Comptrollers (ASMC) Buckeye Chapter

Criteria: High school seniors who plan to enter a field of study related to financial or resource management in business administration, economics, public administration, accounting, finance.

Applicant must submit the following:

- Current official ASMC Buckeye Chapter Scholarship Program Scholarship Application Form
- Application must be typewritten and complete
- Supporting documentation, as requested on the application, as part of their submission (e.g. official transcript that included GPA, SAT/ACT Scores, or other documentation as needed).
- 3 letters of recommendation from any combination of their high school principal, academic dean, school counselor, high school teacher, or volunteer organization point of contact.

Application: www.asmcuckeye.com or available in the school counseling office. Application must be mailed or emailed.

Deadline: FEBRUARY 29, 2020

Violet Township Women's League Scholarship

Criteria:

- A senior who resides in the Pickerington Local School District or Violet Township
- Provide proof of admission to an accredited institution of higher learning
- Submit completed application
- Submit a one-page, double spaced, typed essay describing your experiences in community service and the importance of this work to your personal development.
- Submit two letters of personal reference from two different people with whom you have worked. **These letters MUST endorse your community service involvement.**
- **Submit a copy of your transcript**

Return all requested material to Violet Township Women's League, Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 384, Pickerington, Ohio 43147, **postmarked by March 13, 2020. Scholarship winners will be notified by April 3, 2020.**

Information: www.vtvl.org – follow scholarship links

Award: \$2,600

Deadline: March 13, 2020 (postmark)

Application Available in School Counseling Office

Bexley Women's Club

The Bexley Women's Club scholarship program, a primary focus of the club, began in 1937 when \$50 scholarships were awarded to two women students attending Capital University and The Ohio State University. Modest by today's standards, those \$50 scholarships paid the women's tuition with some left over for additional expenses.

Today's scholarship program is open to high school seniors who are residents of Bexley. Since its inception, the Bexley Women's Club scholarship program has awarded more than \$525,000 to approximately 890 deserving students.

Who Should Apply

- All high school seniors with at least a 2.5 GPA who reside in Bexley. They may attend BHS, **private** or charter schools or be home-schooled.
- Applicants need not be associated with Bexley Women's Club.

How to Apply

Bexley Women's Club supports our community each year by providing \$1,500 scholarships to graduating high school seniors. Applicants must be legal residents of Bexley. Recipients are selected based on merit, community involvement, and financial need through a blind review of submitted applications. **The application process for this year is from Monday December 23, 2019 – Sunday March 22, 2020**

Application: <https://www.bexleywomen.org/about-the-program/>

Bill of Rights Institute Scholarship – We the Students Essay Contest

Criteria: Students in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, American Armed Forces schools abroad, and students in United States territories are eligible to participate in the contest. In addition to going to school in a contest state, you must be in grades 8-12 and between the ages of 14-19.

Each submission must adhere to the topics and should fully answer the question and all sub-parts. Each submission must adhere to the word limits for each question (between 500 and 800 words), and must be submitted by 11:59 pm PT on April 15, 2020. Only online submissions will be accepted for the contest. Only one essay per student will be accepted.

Winners will be announced on the contest site on or before May 31, 2020. Winners must provide publicity photos and information as well as Social Security numbers in order to receive prize money. Social Security numbers are requested from winners for tax purposes only. The Bill of Rights Institute does not sell, nor use student Social Security numbers for any reason other than the required reporting for Federal tax purposes. Winners will receive the following prizes based upon the judges' evaluations as outlined in Section IV.

Award: *Cash prizes for Students in the We The Students Scholarship Essay Contest:*

National Grand Prize – \$7,500 (plus a scholarship to Constitutional Academy)

Runners Up – Five at \$1,500 each

Honorable Mention – Eight at \$500 each

We the Students Essay Prompt: What does civil discourse mean to you? Use this link for further information on essay prompt: <https://billofrightsinstitute.org/educator-tools-essay-prompt/>

Application: <https://billofrightsinstitute.org/engage/students-programs-events/scholarship/>

Deadline: April 15, 2020 at 11:59 pm PT

Scholarships Available by College/University

You must be interested in attending these colleges/universities

Quincy University Stillwell Scholarship

Criteria: Apply to Quincy University and be admitted, submit a letter of recommendation from a high school official to the Office of Admissions, file the FAFSA and have data sent to QU.

Award: You pay no more than \$1,500 in tuition charges, plus room & board

Application: Flyer available in the school counseling office