



SOUTH TECH ACADEMY SCHOLARSHIP BULLETIN #8



SCHOLARSHIP NAME	AWARD	ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA	DEADLINE
Raise.me Micro-Scholarship	Varies	Through Raise.me, a free online portal; students earn micro-scholarships toward an undergraduate education. Start earning as early as 9 th grade for participating in various assignments and activities. For more information, visit www.raise.me/join/	Ongoing
SDPB Scholarship Search	Varies	Looking for money to pay for school? This tool matches you to scholarship money. This is a free scholarship matching service provided by the School District of Palm Beach County. For more information, visit: http://apps.palmbeachschools.org/ScholarshipSearch/	Ongoing
Imagine America (Scholarships for Trade Schools in Florida)	\$1000	This High School Scholarship Program is open to high school seniors who plan to go to a trade school after graduation. Visit https://www.imagine-america.org/high-school-scholarships-trade-schools-florida/ for the list of participating career colleges.	Ongoing
Going Merry	Varies	We have thousands of active scholarships on our website at any time. To get access to the full list, visit www.goingmerry.com .	Ongoing
FASTWEB	Varies	Fastweb has launched our revamped National Scholarship Directory . This Directory categorizes scholarship opportunities to provide students with an efficient way to find opportunities that apply to them. The Directory is supported by our state-of-the-art scholarship database, where our research team vets all scholarship opportunities before they are accepted. https://www.fastweb.com/scholarship-directory?utm_source=solo&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=20200923_EDU	Ongoing
BigFuture	\$500 & \$40,000	Class of 2023: Qualify Now. Earn entries in monthly drawings for \$500 and \$40,000 scholarships by completing steps to plan for college. The sooner you start and the more steps you complete, the more chances you'll have to win. Every month, BigFuture selects two \$40,000 winners and hundreds of \$500 winners who complete one or more steps. To qualify: https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college/bigfuture-scholarships	Ongoing

Imagine America Foundation High School Scholarship for Trade School in Florida		Please visit https://www.imagine-america.org/high-school-scholarships-trade-schools-florida/ for all of the latest high scholarship programs offered by Florida's trade schools/ career colleges.	Ongoing
United Negro College Fund	Varies	UNCF manages many scholarships for minority students. Apply online at: https://scholarships.uncf.org/	Ongoing
Suntrust Off to College Scholarship Sweepstakes	\$500	Seniors register online for drawing every two weeks. Apply online at http://www.suntrusteducation.com/scholarshipsweepstakes .	Ongoing
Bright Futures		Students must apply for the scholarship by submitting the Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) no later than August 31, 2024 (after high school graduation). If a student does not apply for the scholarship by the deadline, a student cannot receive the scholarship! All eligibility requirements must be met by high school graduation; however, scores of ACT®/SAT®/P.E.R.T. tests taken through June 30 are accepted for evaluation purposes. After submitting the FFAA, the student is responsible for tracking application and award status online and informing the Office of Student Financial Assistance (OSFA) of any demographic or institutional changes. Students are responsible for ensuring that funding for an academic year is accurate by contacting their institution's financial aid office. Apply here .	Opens Oct 1
Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)	Varies	Seniors, federal aid including Pell Grants and low-interest loans. Apply online at http://www.fafsa.ed.gov .	Opens Dec 31
Baret Scholarships	\$10,000\$ 100,000	<u>Baret Scholars</u> are giving away \$2.3 million in gap-year scholarships to eligible seniors. Baret is a global gap-year program for exceptional students. Starting in Fall 2024, an international cohort of 175 students will journey together across seven regions on five continents over 200 days. Forty bright applicants will receive gap-year scholarships ranging from \$10,000 to \$105,000, including 20 need-based full rides. Apply at https://drive.google.com/file/d/1-gu6C4q5zygjSEvvmki_2rOOEMaxvtTp/view?usp=sharing	Jan 10, 2024

The Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship	up to \$35,000	<p>To be eligible for a Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship, an applicant must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Be a graduating, minority high school senior - Be a United States citizen - Present evidence of financial need - Demonstrate a record of academic excellence - Demonstrate leadership potential and a dedication to community service - Plan to attend an accredited and approved 4-year college within the United States or affiliated with a United States-based college or university - Have not accrued more than 25% of credits needed to graduate from college. <p>Apply online at: https://jackierobinson.org/apply/</p>	Jan 10, 2024
Fidelity Scholars Program		<p>Requirements: The program is open to underrepresented and historically underserved students ages 16-24 who are permanent residents of Florida, Massachusetts, New Mexico, New Jersey, North Carolina, Texas, and Washington DC.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 2.5 – 3.5 unweighted GPA or GED ● Pell-eligible and/or demonstrate financial need ● Attend as an incoming 2024-25 freshman as an in-state resident at a four-year accredited, non-profit college or university <p>Apply: https://unconf.org/programs/fidelity-scholars-program</p>	Jan 11, 2024
DECA Student Scholarship	\$5000	<p>DECA members will apply for scholarships through the Student Member Portal. Once in the portal, click "Apply for Scholarships," complete your profile, and click "Submit" at the bottom. After submitting your profile, the scholarship applications will populate with any scholarships for which you meet the criteria. Scholarship applications may be saved and finished later, provided that your student profile is submitted. The scholarship program will time out after 20 minutes of non-usage. Apply https://membership.decaregistration.com/deca/members#</p>	Jan 12, 2024
JFK Profile in Courage Essay Contest	\$1000 - \$10,000	<p>Essay contest open to all 9th-12th graders Contest topic: Describe and analyze an act of political courage by a U.S. elected official who served during or after 1917, the year of JFK's birth. Award amount: First place prize: \$10,000 Second place prize: \$3,000, Five finalists: \$1,000 each, ten semifinalists: \$100 each Learn more: https://www.jfklibrary.org/learn/education/profile-in-courage-essay-contest</p>	Jan 12, 2024

The Palm Beach County Sheriff's Foundation	\$1000 -\$3000	<p>The Palm Beach County Sheriff's Foundation (PBCSF) is pleased to announce the availability of our Youth Scholarship Program for deserving high school seniors in Palm Beach County who have been nominated by a sworn employee of the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office (PBSO). There is a total of \$40,000 available to be awarded, and each scholarship is renewable for up to 4 years, provided the student reapplies each year and maintains a 3.0 GPA average at the end of each academic year. Scholarships awarded will range between \$1,000 and \$3,000 per year. Trade schools are eligible.</p> <p>Applications should be emailed as one packet to Steve.Moss@pbcsf.org Application: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1kTXS1MLWV4AiVaZ0mHuGF8gAjdJVq6qi/view</p>	Jan 26, 2024
Sallie Mae Scholarship	\$2,000	<p>To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: Be enrolled as a high school senior or a student enrolled at an accredited college or university located within the United States and carry a GPA of at least 2.5. Applications can be found by going to:</p> <p>https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/17688/sallie-mae-scholarship</p>	Jan 31, 2024
Union Plus Scholarship	\$4,000	<p>199 students awards will be awarded. To be eligible for the scholarship, a student must:</p> <p>A) Be a current or retired member of a participating union, their spouse, or a dependent child.</p> <p>B) Have at least one year of continuous union membership by the applicant, applicant's spouse, or parent.</p> <p>Applications can be found by going to:</p> <p>https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/11904/union-plus-scholarships-program</p>	Jan 31, 2024
Melvin Kruger Endowed Scholarship	\$20,000	<p>To be eligible for the scholarship a student must:</p> <p>A) Be a graduating high school senior.</p> <p>B) Have a relative who is employed in the roofing industry.</p> <p>Applications can be found by going to:</p> <p>https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/12217/melvin-kruger-endowed-scholarship</p>	Jan 31, 2024

<p>George Snow Scholarship Fund</p>		<p>For seniors only. Known as an expert in scholarship administration, the George Snow Scholarship Fund has developed a reputation for creating innovative programs that address the educational needs of those in our community. Their scholarships have become the most sought-after awards in our area because of our Scholarship Support Services and the average amount of each award. We offer a wide variety of scholarships, each with its own requirements for eligibility. However, our most common scholarships are offered to high school seniors attending school in Palm Beach County or select Broward County schools (Blanche Ely High School or Pompano Beach High School). Home-schooled students living in Palm Beach County or home-schooled students who would be attending high school at Blanche Ely High School or Pompano Beach High School are also eligible for these scholarships. The George Snow Scholarship Fund offers a wide variety of scholarships, each with their own criteria. However, the most common criteria are that applicants demonstrate financial need, motivation to do their best, and to help themselves/others. For more information, visit https://scholarship.org/</p>	<p>Feb 1, 2024 at 11:59 pm</p>
<p>Florida Tech Panther Distinguished Scholar Award</p>		<p>For seniors who are interested in attending the Florida Institute of Technology. Students who qualify for the Bright Futures Florida Academic Scholars(FAS) award are eligible to be considered for the Panther Distinguished Scholars Award, a combination of scholarships and grants that cover full tuition plus facilities and activities fees. This award is available to a limited number of incoming fall 2024 freshmen who meet eligibility requirements. To be considered for selection, applicants must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Complete the Florida Financial Aid Application while in high school ● Qualify for the Bright Futures FAS award ● Apply and be admitted to Florida Tech as a full-time, on-campus, degree-seeking student by February 1, 2024 ● Complete and submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) listing Florida Tech as a receiving institution (school code 001469) by February 1, 2024 <p>To apply visit https://www.fit.edu/apply/</p>	<p>Feb 1, 2024</p>
<p>Nick Lindblad Memorial Scholarship</p>	<p>\$3,500</p>	<p>To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Be a graduating high school senior. B) Have been involved in music throughout their high school career. Applications can be found by going to: https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/28357/nick-lindblad-memorial-scholarship</p>	<p>Feb 16, 2024</p>

HBCU Week X NFL Scholarship	\$10,000	<p>To be eligible for the scholarship, a student must:</p> <p>A) Be a citizen or legal permanent resident of the United States.</p> <p>B) Plan on attending a Historically Black College or University for the entirety of their college education.</p> <p>Applications can be found by going to:</p> <p>https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/26492/hbcu-week-x-nfl-scholarship</p>	Feb 16, 2024
Vegetarian Resource Group Scholarships	\$10,000	<p>To be eligible for the scholarship, a student must:</p> <p>A) Be a senior in high school in the United States.</p> <p>B) Have promoted vegetarianism in their schools and/or communities.</p> <p>Applications can be found by going to:</p> <p>https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9544/vegetarian-resource-group-scholarships</p>	Feb 20, 2024
FSU Service Scholar Program	\$4500 for four years	<p>Florida State University's Service Scholar program recognizes students with an outstanding record of community service and leadership who want to continue that commitment at FSU. We encourage you to share this opportunity with graduating seniors whose interests align with this commitment.</p> <p>Some benefits of the Service Scholar program include</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Scholarship valued at \$4,500 per year for up to four years ● Engagement with a diverse group of individuals and community issues ● Academic service learning and co-curricular engagement with community partners ● Development of collaborative working relationships and effective leadership practices ● Direct support by a team of faculty and staff mentors 	Feb 23, 2024

		For more information about the benefits, requirements, and application process, please visit the <u>Center for Leadership & Service</u> .	
Palm Beach State NextGen Summer Bridge Program	\$500	For high school seniors who want to jumpstart their college career right after high school graduation. Students may apply today; the first 50 applicants will earn a \$500 scholarship. The program runs from June 17-24, lunch and snacks are provided. Innovative learning labs and peer networking are included. For more information, visit https://www.palmbeachstate.edu/SummerPrograms/SummerBridge/	Feb 29, 2024
J.M. Rubin Scholarship		The J.M. Rubin Foundation's current focus is to provide scholarships to residents of Palm Beach County at any recognized educational institution. Eligibility: Palm Beach County Resident US Citizen For additional information, please visit www.jmrf.org/faq	March 1, 2024
Eagle Scout of the Year Scholarship	\$10,000	To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Have reached their 15th birthday and be enrolled in high school. B) Be a registered active member of a Boy Scouts of America unit that is chartered to an American Legion post, American Legion Auxiliary unit, or Sons of The American Legion squadron. Applications can be found by going to: https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9944/eagle-scout-of-the-year-scholarship	March 1, 2024
9/11 Promise Scholarship	\$15,000	To be eligible for the scholarship, a student must: A) Be a child of a fallen first responder or military service member, OR a child of a first responder or military service member certified as not being able to work. Applications can be found by going to: https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/26495/911-promise-scholarship	March 15, 2024
Horatio Alger Scholarship	\$10,000 - \$25,000	Criteria: high school junior, demonstrated critical financial need (\$65,000 or lower adjusted gross family income, and United States citizenship. Apply online at horatioalger.org/scholarships .	March 15, 2024

Palm Beach Future Educators Student Scholarship	\$2000 Per Year	Be enrolled in the Palm Beach County Public School System. 2. Have a minimum: a. Semester Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.75 b. Scholastic Assessment Test (SAT) score of 970 or the American College Testing Program (ACT) score of 20. Apply online at: https://www2.palmbeachschools.org/formssearch/pdf/1422.pdf	March 25, 2024
American Nuclear Society Scholarship	\$5,000	To be eligible for the scholarship, a student must: A) Be a high school senior who has enrolled full-time in college courses pursuing science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM) with an interest in working in nuclear science and technology. Applications can be found by going to: https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9785/american-nuclear-society-scholarship	April 1, 2024
FAMU \$50,000 EPA Scholarship	\$50,000	This is an exciting opportunity for students interested in pursuing a college degree in environmental science or related studies, which encompasses environmental policy and risk management, coastal and marine ecosystems, aquatic and terrestrial ecology, environmental microbiology, energy, water, food systems, and geospatial science. This opportunity is for incoming freshmen. Eligibility: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A minimum GPA of 3.5 2. An SAT score of 550 in Math and 530 in Evidenced-Based Reading & Writing, OR an ACT score of 23 in Math, 22 in Reading, and 19 in English. Interested and eligible students are encouraged to begin their application process by visiting the following link: FAMU Application Portal .	April 1, 2024
Alliance of Women Executives Scholarship	\$1500	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a young woman graduating from a Palm Beach County high school • Have a minimum 3.0 GPA • Provide an acceptance letter from Florida Atlantic University, Lynn University, Palm Beach Atlantic University or Palm Beach State College Apply online at: https://www.aweinc.org/scholarship/	April 2, 2024
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Abbott & Fenner Scholarship	\$1000	<p>The A & F Scholarships are available to all high school juniors, seniors, and students currently registered in any accredited post-secondary institution. To apply for this scholarship, you must write a 500-1000-word essay on the following topic: 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. All submissions must be sent to scholarships@abbotandfenner.com. For more information, log on to http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm</p>	June 7, 2024
City Property Management HOA Service Scholarship	\$1000	<p>The Scholarship is open nationwide to those who will be attending college during the fall semester of 2024. Special consideration will be given to an undergraduate who is interested in pursuing a career in HOA Management, but anyone meeting the requirements who can demonstrate an interest in pursuing a career in the Real Estate field will be considered. This Award will be presented to current college students, but high school seniors who will be attending school in the fall semester of 2024 are also welcome to apply. The Scholarship will be judged primarily on merit and need. Academic achievements, as well as any leadership experiences, will be taken into account. Must have 3.0 GPA</p> <p>Application: https://www.cityproperty.com/phoenix#scholarship</p>	July 31, 2024



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Here are some important websites:**



Scholarship Search Suggestions-

www.fastweb.com
www.wisechoice.com
www.finaid.org
www.collegeconfidential.com
www.inlikeme.com
www.scholarshipexperts.com
www.gocollege.com
www.collegescholarships.com
www.studentscholarships.org

www.cappex.com
www.collegeboard.com
www.scholarshipamerica.org
www.bigfuture.org
www.findtuition.com
www.collegenet.com/mach25
www.scholarship.org
www.anycollege.com
www.goingmerry.com



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*Students cannot submit their application for Bright Futures until after October 1st of their senior year.

FAFSA
Free Application for Federal Student Aid

*Students can now apply in October of their senior year.

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