

**SENIORS- REGISTER FOR THE OCTOBER ACT BY SEPTEMBER 18<sup>TH</sup>**

**ACT WORKSHOP ON SEPTEMBER 25<sup>th</sup> – SIGN UP WITH MRS. ELERICK – WORKSHOP FEE \$30**

**CREATE YOUR RESUME – IT WILL HELP FILLING OUT THESE SCHOLARSHIPS! COME BY MY OFFICE IF YOU NEED MY HELP!**

**American Indian Students**

Here are some scholarship opportunities for Native American Students!

**Website:** <http://www.usnews.com/education/blogs/the-scholarship-coach/2012/10/04/4-scholarships-for-american-indian-students>

**Culinary Scholarships**

Are you planning to attend a culinary school? If so, check out these scholarships!

**Website:** <http://www.usnews.com/education/blogs/the-scholarship-coach/2012/10/25/5-scholarships-for-students-with-learning-disabilities>

**Students with Learning Disabilities (Various)**

**5 Scholarships for Students With Learning Disabilities**

**Website:** <http://www.usnews.com/education/blogs/the-scholarship-coach/2012/10/25/5-scholarships-for-students-with-learning-disabilities>

**Scholarships for Volunteers Reward Students Who Give Back**

*Deadline: Various*

There are local and national funds available to students volunteering in their communities.

**Website:** <http://www.usnews.com/education/blogs/the-scholarship-coach/2012/12/06/scholarships-for-volunteers-reward-students-who-give-back>

**OCCC ACT NOW Scholarship**

*Deadline: Various*

The ACT NOW scholarship is offered as an automatic merit-based tuition waiver program for the 2013 graduating class of high school students. The waiver amounts are based on the student's composite score on the national ACT. Students who score a 21 are eligible for a \$500 tuition waiver. Scores of 22 – 23 receive a \$750 waiver and scores of 24-26 will receive a \$1000 waiver. Students with exceptional scores a 27 or higher will receive a \$1500 waiver. All waivers are per semester; freshman year only.

**Website:** <http://www.occc.edu/news/2013/actnowscholarship2013.html>

**Folds of Honor Foundation**

*Deadline: Accepted Year Round*

Provides post-secondary educational scholarships for children and spouses of military service men and women killed or disabled while serving our great nation.

**Website:** [http://www.foldsofhonor.org/files/applications/FHF\\_Children%27s\\_Scholarship\\_Application\\_1\\_0.pdf](http://www.foldsofhonor.org/files/applications/FHF_Children%27s_Scholarship_Application_1_0.pdf)

**McNair Scholars Program**

*Deadline: Year Round*

Scholarship program is designed to prepare students for careers as graduate students, professors or professional researchers. Must be full time student, with 42 hours or more completed, 3.0 GPA & first generation college student or student from an underrepresented ethnic group.

**Website:** <http://mcnairscholars.com/resources/>

### **Oklahoma City Community Foundation**

**Deadline:** *Various*

If you're looking for scholarships, don't forget to visit [OCCF.org](http://www.occf.org). There you'll find an abundance of scholarship opportunities for students right here in Oklahoma.

**Website:** <http://www.occf.org/scholarshipdirectory.html>

### **SMART**

**Deadline:** *Various*

Part of the National Defense Education Program, science, math, and research for transformation. Open to undergraduate, graduate, and doctoral students pursuing degrees in science, technology, engineering and mathematics.

**Website:** <http://smart.asee.org/>

### **Varsity Tutors Scholarship**

**Deadline:** Monthly

Varsity Tutors holds a monthly \$1,000 college scholarship contest where students must write an essay in response to a monthly prompt. Visitors to the Varsity Tutors scholarship webpage are able to vote via social media for submitted entries. The top five entries with the most votes are reviewed by Varsity Tutors at the end of the month and one winner is subsequently chosen to receive the \$1,000 college scholarship.

**Website:** [WWW.VARSITYTUTORS.COM/COLLEGE-SCHOLARSHIP](http://WWW.VARSITYTUTORS.COM/COLLEGE-SCHOLARSHIP) 

### **Concussion Awareness Scholarship**

**Deadline:** Monthly Cash Scholarships for 2015 (Every 7<sup>th</sup> of the month)

Up to twelve \$1,000 cash scholarships for 2015. The cash scholarship may be used for any documented related expenses incurred during 2015 while pursuing your education or for any documented expenses you will incur for the 2015 college year. Any graduate or undergraduate student (future or current) that has been accepted or attends a community college, technical/trade college, or university may apply. This "Concussion Awareness Scholarship" is available to all students not just student athletes.

**Website:** [HTTP://WWW.THEPASSRUSHER.COM/CONCUSSIONAWARENESS.HTML](http://WWW.THEPASSRUSHER.COM/CONCUSSIONAWARENESS.HTML) 

## **OCTOBER SCHOLARSHIPS**

### **Wendy's High School Heisman Scholarship**

**Deadline:** *October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2015*

This scholarship is available to student athletes participating in at least one of 33 eligible sports. Applications are available online.

**Website:** <http://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com/>

### **Sparks America Campground**

**Deadline:** October 5, 2015

Obtain scholarship application from Mrs. Elerick. Detailed essay required describing future plans and how the scholarship would benefit them.

### **AES Engineering Solutions**

**Deadline:** October 7, 2015

AES Engineering is pleased to be able to continue offering scholarships to motivated students to help in the furthering of their education. 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 evaluated the essays that are submitted. Scholarships are intended for our future leaders across a wide spectrum of fields of study. 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. 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? What relationships or accomplishments will be important on this journey? Amount of award: \$500.00. Submit essay

to: [scholarships@aesengineers.com](mailto:scholarships@aesengineers.com)

**Website:** [HTTP://WWW.AESENGINEERS.COM/SCHOLARSHIPS.HTM](http://WWW.AESENGINEERS.COM/SCHOLARSHIPS.HTM) 

### **College JumpStart Scholarship**

Deadlines: October 17, 2015

The College JumpStart Scholarship is an annual, merit-based competition -- financial need is not considered -- that is open to 10th-12th graders, college students and non-traditional students. The main requirement is that you are committed to going to school and can express your goals for getting a higher education. The first place prize is a \$1,000 scholarship to help cover educational expenses. This award can be used at any college or university in the United States.

**Website:** [HTTP://WWW.JUMPSTART-SCHOLARSHIP.NET](http://WWW.JUMPSTART-SCHOLARSHIP.NET) 

### **Dr. Pepper Scholarship**

Deadline: October 19, 2015

Since 2008, Dr Pepper has awarded over \$7,000,000 in tuition. Submit your One of a Kind goal for a chance to compete to win up to \$100,000 in tuition. Go to the Website. Connect with your Facebook account and authorize the Dr Pepper Tuition Giveaway application. Ensure your full profile is completed by updating your profile with your most current city, major and university on your personal Facebook page. Create your goal ("Goal") by answering "What is your One of a Kind goal and how do you plan to make an impact on the world?" Participants can change or modify his/her goal up until the point he/she receives 50 votes, after which point the goal is locked. You can also nominate someone else who meets the Eligibility requirements above by answering the question above about the person you want to nominate, and providing the person's name, major, name of their current school or school he or she wishes to attend. You must obtain permission from the person (and from the parent/legal guardian if the person is under the age of majority in his/her state of residency) whose goal you submit to use their name, school and reason why he or she deserves to win tuition.

**Website:** [HTTP://WWW.DRPEPERTUITION.COM/](http://WWW.DRPEPERTUITION.COM/) 

### **Atlas Shrugged Essay Contest**

Deadline: October 23, 2015

**Eligibility:** 12th Graders, College Undergraduates, and Graduate Students. 1st place \$20,000 (1 Winner), 2nd place \$2,000 (3 Winners), 3rd place \$1,000 (5 Winners), Finalists \$100 (25 Winners), Semifinalists \$50 (50 Winners).

Essay must be no fewer than 800 and no more than 1,600 words in length, double-spaced. Spelling errors and/or written corrections (by anyone) found on the essay will count against the final grade and should be omitted before submission.

**Website:** [HTTPS://WWW.AYNRAND.ORG/STUDENTS/ESSAY-CONTESTS#OVERVIEW](https://WWW.AYNRAND.ORG/STUDENTS/ESSAY-CONTESTS#OVERVIEW) 

### **Horatio Alger Oklahoma Scholarship Program**

Deadline: October 25, 2015

Horatio Alger Association was established in 1947 and began awarding scholarships in 1984. Since the first scholarship award the Association has awarded over \$110 million in need-based aid to students who hope to pursue their American Dream. The Horatio Alger Scholarship is now available for all students graduating from high school in spring/summer 2016.

**Website:** [HTTP://APPLICATION.HORATIOALGER.ORG/](http://APPLICATION.HORATIOALGER.ORG/) 

### **Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation Scholarship**

Deadline: October 31, 2015

The Coca-Cola Scholars Program Scholarship is an achievement-based scholarship awarded to graduating high school seniors each year. Students are recognized for their capacity to lead and serve, and their commitment to

making a significant impact on their schools and communities. With the 27th class in 2015, the Foundation has provided over 5,550 Coca-Cola Scholars with more than \$56 million in educational support. 150 Coca-Cola Scholars are selected each year to receive this \$20,000 scholarship.

**Website:** [HTTP://WWW.COCA-COLASCHOLARFOUNDATION.ORG/APPLICANTS/#PROGRAMS](http://www.coca-colascholarfoundation.org/applicants/#programs) 

### **Inaugural MyProjector Lamps Scholarship**

**Deadline: October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2015**

Here's a scholarship for students in high school or college. If you have an interest in petroleum engineering, check it out.

**Website:** <http://www.myprojectorlamps.com/scholarships.html>

### **Horatio Alger Association Scholarship Program**

**Deadline: October 25, 2015**

The scholarship programs provide financial assistance to students throughout the nation who have financial need and have exhibited integrity and perseverance in overcoming personal adversity.

**Website:** <https://www.horatioalger.org/scholarships/index.cfm>

## **NOVEMBER SCHOLARSHIPS**

**OSU SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE NOVEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>!!!!**

**OU SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE DECEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup>!!!!**

**Ron Brown Scholar Program**  
Deadlines: November 1, 2015 & January 9, 2016

The Ron Brown Scholar Program (RBSP) honors the legacy of Ronald H. Brown through a selective scholarship program that advances higher education for community-minded and intellectually gifted African Americans. RBSP competitively awards Ron Brown Scholars four-year \$40,000 scholarships (\$10,000 each year) to the most talented and economically-challenged high school seniors who demonstrate a keen interest in public service, community engagement, business entrepreneurship and global citizenship - the four pillars of the late Ronald H. Brown's mission to uplift people of all races, cultures and ethnicities - especially our disadvantaged youth. Recipients may use the renewable scholarships to attend an accredited four-year college or university of their choice within the United States. Ron Brown scholarships are not limited to any specific field or career objective and may be used to pursue any academic discipline. Since the Program's inception in 1996, more than 300 students have been designated as Ron Brown Scholars. The Ron Brown Scholar Program currently has two deadlines for applications (students must be current high school seniors at the time of their application): November 1st - application will be considered for the Ron Brown Scholar Program AND forwarded to a select and limited number of additional scholarship providers. January 9th - final postmarked deadline in order to be considered for only the Ron Brown Scholar Program ONLY. Since the postmark is what matters, there is no advantage in sending your application by overnight delivery service. If January 9th falls on a Saturday or Sunday, your application should be postmarked by the following Monday.

**Website:** [HTTP://WWW.RONBROWN.ORG/APPLY/ELIGIBILITYREQUIREMENTS.ASPX](http://www.ronbrown.org/apply/eligibilityrequirements.aspx) 

### **The Intel Science Talent Search**

**Deadline: November 11, 2015**

The Intel Science Talent Search (Intel STS) is the nation's most prestigious pre-college science competition, providing an important forum for original research that is recognized and reviewed by a national jury of professional scientists. Alumni have made extraordinary contributions to science and have earned many of the world's most distinguished science and math honors, including eight Nobel Prizes, five National Medals of Science and two Fields Medals. Annually, over 1,800 high school seniors from around the country accept the challenge of conducting


independent science, math or engineering research and completing an entry for the Intel Science Talent Search. The Intel Science Talent Search recognizes 300 student semifinalists and their schools each year and invites 40 student finalists to Washington, D.C. to participate in final judging, display their work to the public, and meet with notable scientists and government leaders. Each year, Intel STS semifinalists and finalists compete for \$1.6 million in awards.

**Website:** <HTTPS://STUDENT.SOCIETYFORSCIENCE.ORG/APPLY-INTEL-SCIENCE-TALENT-SEARCH> 

### **2015 Adopt A Veteran Scholarship**

Deadline: November 15, 2015


Find a military veteran that you do not already know and immerse yourself in the veteran's life. Spend time together. Discover the veteran's history, feeling and the impact military service has impacted his/her life. Then document, in essay form, your experience. This scholarship was through a donation from Eric Olsson, Mobile Mini.

**Website:** <HTTP://WWW.JOEOFSSINSTITUTE.ORG/JFI-SCHOLARSHIP-PROGRAM/> 

### **The Hagan Scholarship Foundation**

Deadline: November 15, 2015

The Purpose of the Hagan Scholarship is to provide each recipient with the opportunity to graduate college debt free, and help each recipient obtain a practical understanding of important life skills not usually taught as a part of the school curriculum. The intended recipient of a Hagan Scholarship is a high achieving and self-motivated student with employment experience who aspires to obtain a college education in order to realize his or her full potential. Each Hagan Scholarship will help pay the unmet financial need of the recipient; up to \$5,000 each semester.

**Website:** <HTTP://HAGANSCHOLARSHIPS.ORG/> 

### **Women in Aviation Scholarships**

Deadline: November 16, 2015

Scholarship awards are a major benefit of membership in Women in Aviation, International. In the past 26 years WAI has disbursed millions of dollars to its members to help them get ahead and advance into the aviation and aerospace careers they have always dreamed about. There is an award for nearly everyone here, from the college student to the woman or man returning to the workforce, from managers and dispatchers to pilots, engineers, technicians and mechanics.

**Website:** <HTTP://WAI.ORG/EDUCATION/SCHOLARSHIPS.CFM> 

### **BBG Communications Youth Volunteer Scholarship Award**

Deadline: November 29, 2015

BBG provides the Youth Volunteer Scholarship Award to recognize and reward a student who demonstrates a passion for volunteering, while maintaining a high level of academic achievement. Over the past 2 years a student must have completed a minimum of 50 hours of volunteer work. Over the past 2 years a student must have maintained a GPA of 3.5 or greater. A student must be under the age of 21 years of age on the day of the deadline. A student must submit an essay on the topic prior to the deadline.

**Website:** <HTTP://WWW.BBGCOMMUNICATIONS.COM/COMMUNICATIONS/ARTICLE/104.PHP>

