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BIG FUTURE SCHOLARSHIPS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Complete steps on BigFuture to explore careers, plan for college, and pay for college -Completing steps before the end of each month will automatically place you in the raffle 	<p>Monthly Raffles June 30, 2024 is last raffle</p>	<p>\$500 (multiple scholarships awarded) and \$40,000 (2 scholarships will be awarded)</p>
TRIADEX	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Be currently enrolled in an accredited college/university OR a high school senior attending school in the United States anticipating completion of high school diploma at the time of application. -Be a U.S. Citizen, U.S. National, U.S. Permanent Resident, Refugee, Cuban-Haitian Entrant, or Humanitarian Parolee. -Be pursuing or planning to pursue a four-year degree at an accredited U.S. post-secondary institution in marketing, business, technology or entrepreneurship. -Carrying a minimum 3.3 GPA at the end of their junior year of high school or 3.3 GPA in college. 	<p>Open year round and awarded quarterly</p>	<p>One-time award amount ranging from \$250-\$750</p>
EMPLOYMENT BOOST	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -2 Scholarships being offered: One scholarship is open to students studying any major and is also eligible for students who are currently undecided about their course of study. The second scholarship is available to students who will major or are majoring in business or STEM (science, technology, engineering, or math) -Students must be currently enrolled in a U.S.-based high school or college. Students graduating from high school must plan to attend college during the fall semester in the same year as the application -Eligible colleges include two-year and four-year universities in the United States -Students who apply must have a minimum GPA of 3.6. Current (unofficial) transcripts must be sent with the application -High school students who are applying must have a letter of acceptance from the college they intend to attend. A copy of this letter must be included in the application -One letter of reference must be included in the application. This letter must come from one of the following sources: a current or former teacher of the student, or a current or former employer of the student -Submit a 500- to 1,000-word essay (The essay requirements depend on the major the student plans on studying or is currently studying in college. See website for details) 	<p>Open year round and awarded quarterly</p>	<p>\$1,000</p>
FSCA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Be a current 12th grade student enrolled in a Florida high school -Be on track to graduate in Spring or Summer 2024 -Intend to enroll in a post-secondary institution for Summer or Fall 2024 following high school graduation -One scholarship is reserved for son or daughter of a current FSCA member (membership of 6 months or longer) - this is not a requirement for all scholarships but moves these applicants into a different category -The application requires a 250-500 words response to: How do school counselors and school counseling programs positively impact students and their success? 	<p>April 26, 2024</p>	<p>\$250</p>
CFHLA- HOSPITALITY & CULINARY STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Multiple scholarships available with minimum 2.0 or 3.0 GPA (depends on specific scholarship) -Must be a 2024 Central Florida High School Graduate (Ornage, Osceola, or Seminole County), registered at a Central Florida (Orange, Osceola, or Seminole County) accredited College or University pursuing a certificate minor, undergraduate, or graduate degree in a Hospitality Program or Culinary Program by September 2024 -See website for further scholarship guidelines 	<p>April 26, 2024</p>	<p>varies</p>

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<u>HISPANIC HERITAGE SCHOLARSHIP FUND</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Hispanic female student -First in her family to attend college -Be in good standing at her high school -Submit the application and associated supporting documentation and be available for interview by the institution selection committee -Must be seeking a 4-year post-secondary degree at a public or private college or university -High School students must be seniors who have been accepted into 2-year or 4-year programs -Minimum 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale for all students -Provide a written statement and/or creative communication (e.g., video) of their educational goal and motivation for pursuing it -Must register for a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester -No record/conviction for use of drugs or alcohol -Students must qualify for the free or reduced-price lunch program 	April 29, 2024	\$2,500
<u>AMERICAN VETERANS (AMVETS) JOSEPH L. KEE JR. SERVICE/CITIZEN AWARD</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Applicant must be a member of the Department of FLorida AMVETS, Ladies Auxiliary, son/daughter, grandchild, and or great grandchild of a member of Department of Florida AMVETS, AMVETS Ladies Auxiliary or Sons of AMVETS -Be a graduating high school senior or a student attending a vocational school community college or university -Submit an essay (between 300-500 words) on past accomplishments, educational goals, and why volunteering is important 	April 30, 2024	varies
<u>AMERICAN VETERANS (AMVETS) DONALD RHINDRESS JROTC AWARD</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Must have at least 2 years of JROTC participation -Maintain a inimum 3.0 high school GPA -Must have participation in high school sponsored extracurricular activities, participate in community service, and maintain a military appearance/demeanor while in the JROTC uniform -Submit an essay (between 250-500 words) on "What my goals and objectives will be after graduation from High School." 	April 30, 2024	varies
<u>DR. MARY MCLEOD BETHUNE \$500 HBCU SCHOLARSHIP</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Applicant must be a current graduating high school senior accepted and enrolled into a Historically Black College or University (HBCU) -Minimum GPA of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale -Essay (500-750 words) on topic provided on application -Demonstrated financial need (verified through FAFSA or similar documentation) -Copy of academic transcript (official or unofficial) -Two letters of recommendation from teachers, mentors, or community leaders -Active involvement in extracurricular activities or community service -Acceptance and enrollment letter from HBCU with student college ID number 	April 30, 2024	\$500
<u>TIFFANY WATKINS / UNIVERSITY BEHAVIORAL CENTER SCHOLARSHIP</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Be a 2024 graduate -Submit a short essay (750 words or under) about how mental health has affected the applicant's life and how the applicant plans on helping others, given their story -Financial award will be used to fund applicants' college expenses 	May 1, 2024	\$500
<u>ORLANDO RUNNERS CLUB CHARLES M. ROWSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Must be a graduating high school senior in Orange, Osceola, Lake, or Seminole, counties who have competed in cross country or track -A completed scholarship application and letters of recommendation must be received by the ORC by the deadline -The ORC respectfully requests that all scholarship recipients and/or their families volunteer to assist with our annual club Race Into Summer 5k -Winners are selected by the Club based on their academic achievements, athletic abilities, school and community involvement and financial need 	May 2, 2024	(4) \$2,000 scholarships will be awarded
AMERICAN MUSLIM ALLIANCE OF FLORIDA INC. *See School Counselor or College & Career Specialist for application*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Must be graduating from a public, private, or home school within the state of Florida and entering college as a full-time student -Cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 (transcript required) -Submit a one-page essay stating "why you should be awarded a scholarship, and why you plan to further your studies at a college or university," two recommendation letters from teachers of core subjects, and school counselor page -Scholarship is open for students of all faith and race. 	May 6, 2024	(10) \$1,000; (20) \$500

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SENIORCARE.COM AGING MATTERS SCHOLARSHIP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -An existing college student or incoming freshman (to be enrolled in the Fall of 2024 in good academic standing) -Attending any 2 year or 4 year accredited college or university as a full-time student -Complete and submit the application form -Judging will be based on the submission quality of the application, which will include a short, 1000 word or less essay on why Aging Matters to the applicant. 	May 15, 2024	\$1,500
TMCF- BRIDGING THE DREAM SCHOLARSHIP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Be currently enrolled as a high school senior for 2023-2024 academic year -Plan to be a full time student during the 2024-2025 academic year -Plan to be enrolled at an accredited post-secondary institution or continuous education program during the 2024-2025 academic year (2 year schools, 4 year schools, or technical/vocational/certification programs allowed) -Current cumulative grade point average of 2.75 or higher -Be Pell-Grant eligible -Be a U.S. Citizen or legal permanent resident with a valid permanent resident card or passport stamped I-551 -Be a diverse candidate (includes but not limited to: gender, disability, race, ethnicity, belonging to underserved community, etc.) -Able to demonstrate leadership abilities -Able to demonstrate good moral character in all aspects of your life, including personal, professional, educational, in your community, and online presence 	May 17, 2024	40 applicants will be selected to receive award amounts up to \$10,000 for the 2024-2025 school year
MIKEY STROZ SCHOLARSHIP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Must be a graduating senior -Applicant must be a student athlete in Central Florida (lacrosse player strongly preferred) -Can be male or female -Minimum 2.5 GPA or higher -Ideal candidate: very hard worker who excels in sports, helps the community, is a team player and a coachable athlete and student -Submit a short essay about the above required along with a recommendation letter from a coach -Priority will be given to a student athlete who has been part of the Central Florida lacrosse family 	May 19, 2024	\$10,000
B. DAVIS SCHOLARSHIP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -To apply for this scholarship you will need to write an essay of less than 1000 words on the topic below: <i>Describe the three characteristics of leadership you value most. Discuss why you believe that these traits are so important and how you feel that they are developed in an individual.</i> 	May 21, 2024	\$1,000
CAPCO HIGHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP *See your College and Career Specialist for application	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -High school graduate must be attending a Florida college or university starting in Fall 2024 -Students will need to write a one page essay with specific requirements -Students will also need to provide transcripts, SAT/ACT scores, and recommendation letter 	May 24, 2024	\$1,000
SEMINOLE CLUB OF GREATER ORLANDO SCHOLARSHIP *See your College and Career Specialist for application instructions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Student must be enrolled as a full-time student at Florida State University in Fall 2024 -3.00 cumulative GPA -Attend High School in Orange, Osceola, or Seminole County -Applicant must show active community involvement through past or ongoing participation in athletics, the arts, civic community service, or other activities 	June 5, 2024	\$1,851 (maximum)
ABBOTT AND FENNER SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Available to all high school Juniors and Seniors -Submit an essay on topic provided on website (500-1000 words) 	June 10, 2024	\$1,000
SATRIX SAVES THE SEAS SCHOLARSHIP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Open to undergraduate and graduate students enrolled in accredited universities or colleges, majoring in any discipline within the life sciences, including but not limited to biology, ecology, environmental science, biochemistry, and hydrology -Applicants should demonstrate a strong academic record, a genuine interest in water conservation, and a commitment to positively impacting this crucial field -Award can be used to cover tuition fees, textbooks, research expenses, or any other educational costs 	June 15, 2024	\$250

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<u>HORATIO ALGER ASSOCIATION CAREER & TECHNICAL SCHOLARSHIPS</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Scholarships are awarded to students who have faced and overcome great obstacles in their lives who wish to pursue a career or technical education at an accredited community college or technical school in the United States -Specific scholarships will be available for future Valencia Students -Have completed high school (or earned a high school equivalency credential) by July 1 -Be enrolled in an associate's degree, certificate, or diploma program by September that will lead to employment (no transfer programs are eligible) -Attend a not-for-profit post-secondary institution in the United States -Demonstrate critical financial need by showing one of the following: Family Income below \$65,000 OR Pell Eligibility -Be under the age of 35 -Be a United States citizen 	June 17, 2024	(500) scholarships award up to \$2,500 each
<u>"NO SWEAT" SCHOLARSHIP</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Applicant must be at least 13 years old -Be a legal resident of the U.S. or the District of Columbia -Must be currently enrolled in 8th-12th grade in a school. Homeschool qualifies as well 	June 30, 2024	\$2,500

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