Winchester High School

**National & State Scholarship List**

**Due Scholarship Information Amount**

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| 9/30 | Acorn Equality Fund | Acorn Equality Fund is organization that provides academic scholarships for LGBT students in downstate IL counties. Apply online at:  [www.acornequalityfund.org](http://www.acornequalityfund.org) | $1,000 - $4,000 |
| |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | 10/7 | |  | | | |  | | --- | | AES Engineers Scholarship | | |  | | --- | | Senior, or college student, ANY major, any GPA. Write up to 1,000 word essay. Apply online at: www.aesengineers.com/scholarships | | |  | | --- | | $500 | |
| 10/30   |  | | --- | |  | | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  | Horatio Alger Association of Distinguished Americans | | Senior, family income of $50,000 or less, 2.0 GPA, integrity & perseverance in overcoming adversity, community involvement. Apply to:  www.horatioalger.org/scholarships/index.cfm | up to $20,000 |
| 10/31 | Coca-Cola Scholars | Senior, employment & academic achievement, leadership in school, commitment to community  Apply online at:  www.coca-colascholars.org | Up to $20,000 |
| 11/1 | Golden Apple | Senior, teaching major. Must be nominated. Must plan to graduate from a college in Illinois, Teach in Il school of need for 5 years after grad, participate in mentor program.  Apply online at:  www.goldenapple.org/pages/nominate/8.php | up to $18,000 |
| 11/15 | Stokes | Senior, computer science, electrical, computer engineering major, agree to work for National Security Agency for 1.4 times the length of your academic program, ACT composite of 25, GPA 3.0, demonstrated leadership.  Apply online at:  www.nsa.gov/careers/opportunities\_4\_u/students/stokes.shtml | Tuition, salary, housing, travel, books |
| **11/30** | **Illinois Conservation Achievement Scholarships** | Demonstrate outstanding efforts to preserve, protect, enhance and/or promote Illinois’ natural resources. Voluntary, effective contributions to Illinois’ natural resources throughout the applicant’s high school enrollment must be documented. Apply online at: [https://www.ilcf.org/scholarships/default.aspx](https://mail.ltc.k12.il.us/owa/redir.aspx?C=9368e6fea8d54e0183d8c4f6327edc67&URL=https%3a%2f%2fwww.ilcf.org%2fscholarships%2fdefault.aspx). | Up to $5,000 |
| 12/02 | Elks MVS Most Valuable Student | Senior, academics & community involvement. High grades, high ACT, Proven financial need.  Apply online at:  www.elks.org/enf/scholars/mvs.cfm | up to $60,000 |
| 12/02 | Illinois Education Association | Graduating high school senior or college student. Pursuing a career as a public school teacher.  Apply Online at:  www.illinoiseducationassociation.org/featured/iea-education-scholarship/ | $1,000 |
| 12/15 | AAUW | Several Scholarships Available for women  Information and application at:  www.aauw.org/learn/fellows\_directory/ | up to $12,000 |
| 01/01 | Rural Electric Co-op | Senior, child of Co-op customer or employee.  Application Info at:  www.recc.coop/Our-Community/Scholarships.asp | $1,200 |
| 01/31 | Boy Scouts of America Hall/McElwan Scholarship | Eagle Scout  Info and Application at:  www.nesa.org | Tuition, Room & Board, Books |
| 02/01 | Elks Legacy Scholarship | Senior, child or grandchild of current Elks member,  Application Info at:  http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/ourscholarships.cfm | $4,000 |
| 02/03 | American Legion | Several Scholarships Available  Apply Online at:  http://illegion.org/scholarship.html | $1,200 |
| 02/10 | KFC Colonel's Scholars | Senior, 2.75+ GPA, pursuing bachelor's degree at public in-state school. Scholarship opens in December.  Apply Online at:  www.kfcscholars.org | up to $20,000 |
| 2/15 | Daughter’s of the American Revolution | Several Scholarships Available for women going into several different majors.  Apply online at:  www.dar.org | Up to $20,000 |
| 2/15 | AXA Achievement | Senior, Start a service organization.  Application Info at:  www.axa-equitable.com/axa-foundation/scholarship-applications.html | up to $25,000 |
| 2/17 | Parent Teacher Association- of Illinois Scholarship | Senior, education major, upper 33% of class.  Apply online at:  www.illinoispta.org/Scholarship.html | up to $2,500 |
| 03/01 | AMVETS (American Veterans) Scholarships | Several Scholarships Available. Need not be related to a Veteran to apply for all.  Apply Online at:  www.ilamvets.org/prog\_scholarships\_apps.cfm | $3,000 |
| 03/01 | Children of Veterans Tuition Waiver | Senior, son or daughter of deceased or disabled veteran. Attend UIUC, UIS, UIC Health Sciences Center or Global Campus; be the son or daughter of a deceased or disabled Veteran who served in any of the following wars: WWII. Korea, Vietnam, Southwest Asia, Operation Enduring Freedom, Southwest Asia, Operation Iraqi Freedom. One scholarship per war per county will be awarded.  Starts December 1st.  Apply Online at:  www.osfa.uiuc.edu/aid/scholarships/waivers\_COV.html | Up to full tuition for four years. Tell the financial aid office at UIUC, UIS, UIC, Health Science Center or Global Campus, that you are interested and qualify. |
| 03/01 | National Defense Transportation Association | Senior, IL or MO High School Senior or college student. Any major. Preference given to those majoring in business, transportation logistics or physical distribution.  Apply Online at:  www.ndtascottstlouis.org | up to $2,500 |
| 03/01 | Von Behren Springfield Area Homebuilders Association. | Seniors, building industry related major (drafting, architecture, building trades, heating and air conditioning, and other related fields. C+ GPA, leadership and extracurricular activities, community involvement, honors & achievements.  Apply Online at:  www.springfieldareahba.com/news/28\_1.php | up to $1,000 |
| 03/2 | Illinois Chemical Education Foundation (ICEF) | Senior science student.  Apply online at:  www.cicil.net/highschoolscholarshipapplication.aspx | $2,000 |
| 04/02 | LLCC Foundation Scholarships | Senior, LLCC student next fall. Over 90 Scholarships available.  Apply Online at:  http://llccfoundation.org/index.cfm?pID=1624 | Up to Full Tuition |

Other National Scholarship Websites:

Fastweb.com

Scholarships.com

Scholarshop.org

Also check your college for their scholarships opportunities.

Local Scholarships will be available in the Spring.

Financial Aid Night at Winchester High School October 24th @ 6:00p.m.

F.A.F.S.A. Completion Night at Winchester High School January 2013

Contact Mrs. Lashmett if you have any questions!