SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

SAE ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIPS for graduating seniors planning careers in engineering, math, chemistry, physics, biology, technologies, computer science. Minimum requirements with regard to grade point average and SAT’s vary with individual scholarships. Full details, applications and FAQs may be found at www.sae.org/students/engschlr.htm. APPLICATION DEADLINE FOR UNIVERSITY SPONSORED SCHOLARSHIPS IS DECEMBER 15th AND FOR SAE FOUNDATION SPONSORED SCHOLARSHIPS JANUARY 15th.

ELKS NATIONAL FOUNDATION ROGER E. TETRAULT HUNTINGTON SCHOLARSHIP open to seniors in the Town of Huntington. Several $4,000 scholarships will be awarded, based on academics, community service, leadership, essay and parental financial information. Obtain applications from Mrs. Hallett in Guidance West. DEADLINE IS JANUARY 3rd.
JOHN F. KENNEDY PROFILE IN COURAGE ESSAY CONTEST sponsored by the John F. Kennedy Library Foundation, for high school students. Up to $10,000 will be awarded. Go to www.jfkcontest.org. DEADLINE IS JANUARY 8TH.

RON BROWN SCHOLARS PROGRAM awards scholarships to academically talented, highly motivated African American seniors who plan to pursue undergraduate degrees full-time. Students must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Up to twenty students will be selected nationwide to receive $10,000 for each of four years. Applicants should demonstrate academic achievement, exhibit leadership ability, participate in community service activities and demonstrate financial need. Go to www.ronbrown.org. DEADLINE IS JANUARY 9TH.

BANK OF AMERICA STUDENT LEADERS PROGRAM for juniors and seniors who are interested in a summer internship with a designated non-profit organization where they can experience firsthand how they can help to shape their communities. Apply online @ www.bankofamerica.com/neistudentleaders. DEADLINE IS JANUARY 12TH.

WASHINGTON CROSSING FOUNDATION offers national scholarships of $1,000 to $7,500 to graduating seniors who enjoy history or politics and are interested in government or military service. Go to www.gwcf.org for more information. DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS IS JANUARY 15TH.

NATIONAL MS SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM for high school seniors who have a parent with MS or who have MS themselves, and will be going to college. Over 400 scholarships from $1,000 to $3,000 will be awarded. Go to www.nationalmssociety.org. DEADLINE IS JANUARY 14TH.

NEW YORK STATE CREDIT UNION LEAGUE (NYSCUL) SCHOLARSHIPS in the amounts of $1,000 and $500 for credit union members going on to college. Applications are @ www.bethpage.coop/communityscholarship.asp. DEADLINE IS JANUARY 14TH.
THE APAISF SCHOLARSHIP for students of Asian and/or Pacific Islander descent and will be attending college at a U.S. accredited college or university for the first time during the 2010-2011 academic year. Minimum GPA of 2.7/4.0 required. 200 recipients will be awarded $2500-$5,000 each. Go to www.apiasf.org/scholarship_apiasf.html. DEADLINE IS JANUARY 14TH.

RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE CHARITIES sponsors several $1,000 scholarships for Hispanic, African-American, and Asian students with a minimum GPA of 2.7. Apply online at www.rmhc.org. DEADLINE IS JANUARY 28TH.

KFC COLONEL’S SCHOLARS SCHOLARSHIP of up to $5,000 per year for seniors with at least a 2.75 GPA and financial need. Apply at www.kfcscholars.org. DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 9TH.

PROTON ENERGY SYSTEMS seeks to reward high school seniors with outstanding achievement and promise in science or technology and plan to pursue higher education in this field. Awards from $500 all the way up to $100,000. Financial need, quality, essay, work ethic, leadership, community involvement are all factors. Apply at www.ProtonEnergyScholarship.org. DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 11TH.

NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR COOPERATIVE EDUCATION on behalf of ten Partner Colleges and Universities, will award two-hundred merit co-op renewable scholarships of $6,000 each. Information and applications can be found at www.co-op.edu. DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 15TH.

KATHLEEN TAYLOR MEMORIAL COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOLARSHIPS of $500 each, sponsored by the Suffolk County chapter of Jack and Jill of America, Inc, will be awarded to two seniors of African ancestry who exhibit exemplary commitment to serving their communities. Minimum GPA of 3.0 and essay required. See Mrs. Hallett in Guidance West for information and applications. DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 15TH.
COLLEGE SPONSORED SCHOLARSHIPS

Dowling College
Island Drafting and Technical Institute
Ithaca College (deadline 1/15)
Randolph College
Skidmore College (deadline 1/15)
Virginia Military Institute (deadline 2/1)

For further information and additional scholarship resources, see Mrs. Hallett in Guidance West, visit the College Center, and check the bulletin board in the main hallway. Also utilize the following websites:

fastweb.com
scholarships.com.
srnexpress.com
Collegeanswer.com
scholarshipamerica.org/students
StudentRewards.com
BrokeScholar.com
Collegenet.com
Collegenet.com
Finaid.com
WeeklyscholarshipAlert.org
MeritAid.com

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