

WHHS

SCHOLARSHIP BULLETIN

Mid-December, 2018



Scholarships are for seniors unless specified otherwise. If specified, scholarships are due to Mrs. Bachman by **1:15 PM**

Look for the Scholarship Bulletin on our school website -www.winterhavenhs.com

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(WWW.FAFSA.GOV)

SCHOLARSHIPS	AMOUNT	QUALIFICATIONS	DUE
American Legion 2019 National High School Oratorical Contest	\$18,000	9 th -12 th Part 1-contestants prepare an original oration from memory on a phase of the Constitution of the US, NOT less than 8 minutes or more than 10 minutes for delivery- Part 2- assigned topic drawn by context official- no notice ahead of time	1/7/19
APIA Scholarship Program	\$2,500	Senior; be of Asian and/or Pacific Islander ethnicity as defined by the US Census, citizen, national, or legal permanent resident of US (citizens of Republic of Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia and Republic of Palau are to apply) GPA 2.7, FAFSA, letter of recommendation, first in family to attend college, community service, leadership and academic achievement	1/10/19
BigSun Scholarship	\$500	Senior; plan to attend post-secondary institution and currently involved in some sport apply http://www.bigsunathletics.com	6/19/19
The Coolidge Scholarship	Full ride (tuition, room, board & expenses/4 yrs undergraduate study at any accredited US university & any field of academic study	Juniors; apply online www.coolidgescholars.org , academic excellence, demonstrated interest in public policy; an appreciation for the values Coolidge championed; as well as humility & service.	1/23/19
Cooperative Living Organization UF & Santa Fe	Rent, utilities, wifi, lunch & dinner	Seniors; must be a student at UF or Santa Fe College, dorm style housing co-op, willing to give back to the community of CLO in required duties www.cloiving.org/cloiving/about	Until vacancies are filled
Drive for Excellence Bartow Ford	New Mustang V6 Coup	Junior/Senior at a Polk County FL high school- current school year attendance and grades-bring qualifying report card to Bartow Ford and fill out entries -must have FL permit or license	4/13/19
ESA (Electric Security Association of FL) Youth Scholarship	Exact amounts determined when fundraising is concluded	Senior; child of Florida's First Responders (2018 \$4,000 was awarded to 3 winners) transcript, SAT/ACT scores, college acceptance letter, resume, letter of recommendation, proof of parent's occupation, essay, community service apply http://esaweb.org/ysapplyfl	3/1/19
Fire (Foundation for individual rights in education) free speech essay contest	\$1,000-\$10,000	11 th & 12 th Free Speech Essay, 800-1,000 words on provided topic, www.thefire.org/contest	12/31/18
Florida Retired Educators Foundation Scholarship	\$4,000 (\$1,000 per year)	Seniors; future teachers (must agree to teach in State of Florida) transcript, letter of recommendation, official ACT or SAT scores application in Mrs. Bachman's office	1/10/19
FOCUS – Fire-Service Opportunity & Career	Tuition, books materials, uniforms, exam fees, Ridge Technical College's Fire Standard Program	18 yrs old – students that meet definition of “homeless children & youth,” or income of less than \$28,000/yr., pass physical requirements, high school diploma, valid driver's license, pass TABE, agility and drug test, criminal background check (application in Mrs. Bachman's office)	5/21/19

Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship	\$30,000	Senior; minority students showing leadership potential & demonstrating financial need, community service, US citizen, SAT 1,000, ACT 21, have not received a 2 or 4year degree https://www.jackierobinson.org/apply/applicants/	2/1/19
James (Coach) Day Scholarship	\$1,000	Senior; active track and field team member of school participating in current Bob Hayes Invitational Track and Field Meet. Applicant must participate in a scheduled event at the Bob Hayes Track Meet www.bhitm.org	2/1/19
Lions Clubs District 35 O Youth Exchange Scholarship	\$1,000	Senior; essay, financial need, personal or family adversity that has been overcome, extracurricular involvement, leadership, awards, volunteer service and/or employment, future career goals applications in Mrs. Bachman's office	2/15/19
Lockheed Martin STEM Scholarship	\$40,000	Senior; 3.5 GPA, financial need & come from an underrepresented group or underserved community planning to major in aerospace engineering, electrical engineering, industrial engineering, mechanical engineering, computer science, systems engineering, math, physics, information systems/management information systems or information assurance; see website as to who preference will be given https://www.lockheedmartin.com/en-us/who-we-are/communities/stem-education/lm-scholarship-program.html	Info on Website opens & closes TBA
Margaret Keener Cate Scholarship <i>Carson Newman University</i>	\$500	Senior: accepted to Carson-Newman University, resume, (to include extracurricular activities) community service/church activities, GPA 3.0, letter of recommendation from pastor, short essay on future goals	3/1/19 (To Mrs. Bachman)
Military Family Support Trust	\$2,000- \$12,000	Senior: meet specific criteria in regards to relative's military service-see application 21 ACT or 1,000 SAT, GPA 3.0. leadership skills in school and/or community www.mfst.us (applications also available in Mrs. Bachman's office)	2/1/19
Ron Brown Scholar Program	\$40,000	Senior; US citizen, permanent residents, black/African American, demonstrate academic achievement, leadership ability, community service, financial need, transcript, letter of recommendation, SAT/ACT apps in Mrs. Bachman's office	1/9/19
SACAC Horizon Award Student Scholarship	\$1,000	Senior; personal statement, self-reported transcript and test scores, name & contact info for recommender https://www.sacac.org/knowledge-center/for-students-and-parents/horizon-award/	1/15/19
Spectrum Bay News 9 Project Weather Scholarship	\$1,000	Seniors: US citizen, 3.5 GPA, typed essay, letter of recommendation, transcript, applications in Mrs. Bachman's office www.baynews9.com/projectweather	1/7/19
University of Miami Summer Scholars	Tuition & fee info on-line	11 th & 10 th high achieving- earn 6 college credits in 3 weeks, live on campus, www.miami.edu/ssp (costs info online)	Priority 2/1/19
United States Naval Academy- Annapolis Summer Seminar & STEM programs	Stem Tuition \$500 plus travel Summer Seminar tuition TBA	Stem Program – rising 9th, 10th, 11th – June 3-8, June 10-15, June 17-21 selection based on student accomplishments inside and outside the classroom Summer Seminar – Juniors – June 1-June 6, June 8-June 13, June 15-June 20 www.usna.edu/Admissions/Programs/NASS www.usna.edu/admissions/programs/stem	Applications open 1/3/19
VetCAMP 2019, University of Georgia 6/16-22/19	Cost of camp \$900	Rising Juniors, Seniors and rising college freshmen to evaluate their skills & competitiveness as future veterinarians and experience veterinary medicine as career path http://vet.uga.edu/academic/vetcamp	1/25/19
University of Miami Summer Scholars	Tuition & fee info on-line	11 th & 10 th high achieving- earn 6 college credits in 3 weeks, live on campus, www.miami.edu/ssp (costs info online)	Priority 2/1/19

TRANSCRIPTS

Requests for official transcripts should be submitted to Mrs. Davis. Please request transcripts in a timely fashion. Your transcript includes the mailing address that colleges will use in communicating with you. IMPORTANT: make sure your social security number is correct.

THE NATIONAL COLLEGIATE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION (NCAA)

Information regarding NCAA may be obtained on their website. Students are responsible for registering on-line. www.eligibilitycenter.org
See Mrs. Cea in the main office for more information

SCHOLARSHIP SEARCH

Match yourself with scholarships using an individualized scholarship search. The following websites may be helpful:

www.scholarships.com
www.collegeboard.com www.studentaid.ed.gov www.scholarshipexperts.com
www.fastweb.com www.mycollegedollars.hyfnrxsl.com

CAUTION: There are several companies/organizations that charge a fee for researching scholarships. This information is available for free. You should not have to pay for this service and should be suspicious of the service being offered.

COLLEGE AND CAREER

SAT test dates March 9, May 4, June 1 www.collegeboard.com
ACT test dates, February 9, April 13, June 8, July 13, www.act.org (students must register online for both tests & attach a recent photo) See registration bulletins/online information, free practice booklets for deadlines)