

# Scholarship Links/Other Private Scholarships

## **Dupage County Department of Community Services Scholarship**

College and occupational training scholarships for low-income individuals with high academic potential.

## **Dupage County Farm Bureau Foundation Scholarships**

There are twelve scholarships available to high school students in 2025.

## **Dupage Foundation Paul D. Pierotti Memorial Scholarship**

This scholarship is designed for students from DuPage, Kane, Kendall or Will County pursuing college majors and careers in an environmental field. Applicants wishing to be considered for this scholarship must be a member or volunteer with The Conservation Foundation or a related conservation organization.

## **Illinois Scholarship Directory**

A list of 100+ vetted scholarships for students across the state, broken down by month.

## **Capital Auto Auction STEM Scholarship**

This scholarship was created to help provide more individuals with the opportunity to get a solid education, Capital Auto Auction is awarding a scholarship to support students pursuing STEM-related degrees. Value of scholarship: \$1,000 (1 winner), \$250 (2 runner ups) Qualifications: To qualify, undergraduate students must be majoring in a STEM field of study (or related field) as well as attending an accredited college or university.

## **Zonta Club of Oakbrook YWPA Award**

The goal of the Young Women in Public Affairs (YWPA) Award Program is to encourage young women to participate in public affairs by recognizing a young woman's commitment to the volunteer sector, evidence of volunteer leadership achievements and a dedication to the empowerment of women.

Applicants aged 16-19 on 1st April each year, studying at a secondary school, college or university in a Zonta district/region, or who are studying elsewhere but are citizens of a Zonta country at the time of application, are eligible to apply. The application process must start with a Zonta club. Applications are due by February 28, 2023.

## **The Illinois Association for College Admission Counseling**

The Illinois Association for College Admission Counseling (IACAC) is offering ten \$1,000 scholarships (\$500 each semester, non-renewable) to students who exhibit a commitment to learning and have demonstrated leadership skills and/or community service involvement.

## **Illinois School Counselor Association (ISCA) Post Secondary Scholarship**

Students who will be completing high school in 2025 are eligible for this non-renewable \$1,000 scholarship.

The scholarship can be used to support the following post-secondary options:

4 year college/university

2 year college/university

Trade school

Apprenticeship/Vocational program

## **Palumbo Family Foundation Scholarship**

The Palumbo Family Foundation is a local foundation that offers scholarships to local high school seniors and college undergraduates. The scholarship application is available online from January 1 – March 31st.

## **ITCCCA Scholarship**

The Illinois Track and Cross Country Coaches' Association proudly sponsors this College Scholarship to help participating student-athletes in the sports of Track and Field and / or Cross Country defray the cost of their education. WHO CAN APPLY AND WHAT ARE THE EVALUATION CRITERIA? Senior athletes who are participating in an Illinois high school Track and Field and / or Cross Country program and who are planning on attending college or a career school are eligible for the non-renewable ITCCCA Scholarship of \$2000. Four (4) scholarships will be awarded to two (2) boys and two (2) girls based on academic, athletic, and non-athletic achievements, as well as an original essay composed by the applicant. Applicants will additionally need to submit a letter of recommendation and an official high school transcript. Applications are due on March 31st each calendar year.

## **Responsify Scholarship**

- Application is due on October 5th annually

- All applicants must be enrolled, or due to be enrolled, as a full-time student at an accredited college or university for the semester they are applying to receive the scholarship.
- Applicants are not required to have a minimum GPA.
- Domestic, international, and undocumented students may apply.

### **CardRates Financial Futures Scholarship**

CardRates.com is proud to offer the Financial Futures Scholarship to future and current college students majoring in Business, Accounting, Finance, Mathematics, Management, and others preparing for a career in the personal finance industry. Applicants will be judged based on outstanding academic achievement and submission of an essay. The scholarship award amount is \$1,000.

### **LendEDU's Guide to College Scholarships**

In an effort to help students afford their higher education, our team at LendEDU recently updated their guide to college scholarships to help students find relevant opportunities specifically for them. Within this update, they have added a new search tool where students can filter scholarship opportunities based on their grade level, GPA, the scholarship amount, and the requirements of the scholarship. On top of this new tool, their resource teaches students and families the importance of searching for scholarships when figuring out how to pay for college.

### **Live Mas Scholarship**

Submit a video (2 minutes or less in length) that addresses these questions:

- What is your passion and how are you currently pursuing it?
- How do you plan to use your passion to uniquely make a positive change in your community or the world?
- How will your education help enable you to pursue your passion and make a change?

Your submission video must be between 30 seconds and 2 minutes in length. Think about filming this video on a phone, computer, tablet, or any other MP4 video-enabled camera to which you have access. It could be a short film, animation, or a simple testimonial. This isn't about how well you can make a film—we want to learn more about you, your passion and how you plan to ignite change in your community and beyond!

## **Frances Hess Memorial Scholarship**

Graduating seniors from high schools in the greater Chicago area who will attend a four-year nonprofit college or university are eligible to apply. Selections will be made based on scholastic achievement.

## **Illinois Association for Gifted Students**

IAGC provides a variety of scholarship and recognition opportunities for parents, educators, students or community members. All scholarship winners are recognized at the annual IAGC Conference and/or Parent Conference.

## **2023 Tzu Chi Scholarship**

Tzu Chi Scholars are selected based on the basis of financial need, academic achievement, and community involvement. This is a nationwide program and each scholar will be awarded a total of \$1,500.

## **Jobtest.org Career Search Scholarship**

The Jobtest.org (Realign, Inc.) Career Scholarship is a \$1,000 scholarship that's open to all students on their journey to finding a fulfilling career.

## **Top 125 Scholarships for College Students**

### **City Property Management HOA Service Scholarship**

This scholarship is available to any high school senior nationwide.

## **ADHDAdvisor.org Quarterly Mental Health Scholarship for Women**

- **Amount:** \$500

- **Application deadline:** February 1
- **Eligibility:** Women who prioritize their mental health. Open to all high school senior, undergraduate or graduate students. Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent legal resident.
- **Link to apply:**  
<https://www.adhdadvisor.org/adhd/online-diagnosis#scholarship>
- **Recurring:** Quarterly
- [Learn more about ADHDAdvisor.org here.](#)

### Top Nutrition Coaching First-Gen Futures Quarterly Scholarship

- **Amount:** \$1,000
- **Application deadline:** December 1
- **Eligibility:** First-generation college student. Open to all high school senior, undergraduate or graduate students. Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent legal resident.
- **Link to apply:**  
<https://www.topnutritioncoaching.com/nutritionists-near-me#scholarship>
- **Recurring:** Quarterly
- [Learn more about Top Nutrition Coaching here.](#)

### HeySunday Annual Eco-Warrior Scholarship

- **Amount:** \$1,000
- **Application deadline:** December 1
- **Eligibility:** Believes living sustainably is important. Open to all high school senior, undergraduate or graduate students. Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent legal resident.
- **Link to apply:**  
[https://heysunday.com/products/our-best-selling-detergent-sheets?selling\\_plan=4412145951#scholarship](https://heysunday.com/products/our-best-selling-detergent-sheets?selling_plan=4412145951#scholarship)
- **Recurring:** Annually
- [Learn more about HeySunday here.](#)

### American Society For Quality - Richard A. Maass Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship will fund one year of undergraduate tuition and fees up to a maximum of \$2,000 to the university attended by the successful applicant. Current high school seniors who intend to be university undergraduates next year, are eligible to apply for the award.

## **Abbot and Fenner Scholarship Program**

Abbott & Fenner Business Consultants are pleased to be able to continue with their scholarship program for the 18th year.

We will be awarding up to \$1,000 to the winner(s) each year.

*Scholarship Deadline* - June 10, 2024.

### *Application Process*

Students will submit an essay on the topic that appears on the scholarship page of their web site: <https://abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.php>

Full details are available on their site.

## **Hinsdale Junior Woman's Club Scholarship**

The Hinsdale Junior Woman's Club is a local organization committed to fostering a culture of service and philanthropy in our community. Over the past several years, they have proudly supported local female high school seniors who exhibit exceptional dedication and passion for making a difference. They are excited to extend our scholarship opportunity to all female senior high school students from Dupage and Cook counties of Illinois.

This year, they are delighted to announce that they will be awarding three deserving students a scholarship of \$5000 each. We eagerly anticipate receiving applications from individuals who have demonstrated a strong commitment to helping others through their involvement in athletics and class advisories, while maintaining an impressive GPA and earning the respect of their teachers and community leaders.

They are seeking three young women who embody the spirit of leadership and service, and who will continue to make a positive impact in their community as they pursue higher education.

Any questions please reach out to [education@hjwc.us](mailto:education@hjwc.us)

## **Paul D. Pierotti Memorial Scholarship**

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application deadline is March 22. The amount awarded varies year to year but typically 2 or 3 students will be selected, with awards between \$2,000 - \$4,000.