

Scholarships 2026

Scholarships	Description	Deadline
<p style="text-align: center;">Elk Grove Regional Scholarship</p>	<p>All COHS students should apply for this application</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students should specifically apply for the Madeira fund <p>All applicants must include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Small prompt about yourself (2) Letters of Recommendation <p>https://www.elkgroversf.org/Scholarships/Start-an-Application/index.html</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">January 23, 2026</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Student View Scholarship Program</p>	<p>Simply complete a 15-25 minute online survey about local colleges. You will then be automatically entered into a random drawing for a scholarship award.</p> <p>https://www.student-view.com/</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">April 23, 2026</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Taco Bell Live Mas Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Apply to a 4 year university or 2 year institution, trade or vocational school <p>Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Video (30 seconds–2 minutes) • Essay (250–500 words) <p>https://www.tacobellfoundation.org/live-mas-scholarship/eligibilityfaq/</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">January 6, 2025</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">eQuality Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plan to attend a post-secondary institution (college, university or vocational/trade school) • Demonstrated acts of service to the LGBTQ+ community • Graduating high school senior • Applicants of all sexual orientations & gender identities are eligible <p>Requirements for your residency by providing a copy of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a utility, phone, or cable bill with your name (or parent/guardian's name) and address • your California driver's license or ID <p>https://www.equalityscholarship.org/Apply</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">January 31, 2026</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Breanna Coleman Memorial</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pursuing a four-year degree in nursing • Be involved in volunteer work or other extracurricular activities outside of school 	<p style="text-align: center;">January 24, 2026</p>

Nursing Scholarship	https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/27824/breanna-coleman-memorial-nursing-scholarship	
Dr. Bart Kamen Memorial FIRST Scholarship Fund	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have been accepted to a program in Biomedical Engineering or Premedical Studies • Be a secondary school senior or graduate who has not yet commenced full-time undergraduate studies at a college or university. <p>https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/31835/dr-bart-kamen-memorial-first-scholarship-fund</p>	February 1, 2026
SDFM National Scholarship Program	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entering a field of study directly related to financial/resource management (such as business administration, economics, accounting, finance, etc). <p>https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9589/sdfm-national-scholarship-program</p>	March 31, 2026
Houzz Residential Design Scholarship	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning on studying one of the following: architecture, interior design, landscape architecture, construction management, or a skilled trade. <p>https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/14512/houzz-residential-design-scholarship</p>	March 31, 2026
LGBTQ Caucus Scholarship	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify as LGBTQ • Sacramento County Resident • Enrolling in an accredited college, university, technical or trade school • 2.0 GPA or above <p>For an application or questions contact: LGBTQcaucus@saccounty.gov</p>	March 20, 2026
Who inspires You Scholarship	<p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The scholarship is open to any current high school senior, vocational student, college student, or graduate student. Students must be legal residents of the United States, residing in one of the 50 states or the District of Columbia. • Candidates must be enrolled in a vocational program or two to five-year post-secondary institution. • Candidates for this scholarship should have a minimum GPA of 3.0 or higher and be in good overall academic standing. <p>Who Inspires You Scholarship</p>	August 31, 2025
VFW Scholarship	<p>Eligibility Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9-12th Graders • U.S. Citizen or U.S. Permanent Resident <p>All applicants must include:</p>	October 31, 2025

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Record a 3-5 minutes video about “How Are You Showing Patriotism And Support For Our Country?” 2. Type the essay on the recorded audio 3. Fill out the application <p>Submit your entries to VFW Post 2073 or drop off in-person at the Veteran’s Hall in District 56 or mail to 8230 Civic Center Dr, Suite 110, Elk Grove, CA 95757</p> <p>https://elkgrovevfw.com/</p>	
Hispanic Heritage Foundation	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.0 GPA minimum • Enroll in any education institution • Attend the virtual awards ceremony (mandatory if selected) <p>https://hhfawards.hispanicheritage.org/2025/forms/login.php</p>	November 2, 2025
Dell’s Scholars Program	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attend a 4 year university or 2 year institution • Be Pell Grant eligible • Have a 2.4 GPA minimum <p>https://www.dellscholars.org/students/#key-dates</p>	February 15, 2026
Burger King’s Scholars Foundation	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have a 2.0 or higher GPA • Plan to attend a 4 year university or 2 year institution or vocational or trade school <p>Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A list of your work experiences and involvement in school and community activities • A current (official or unofficial) transcript of grades • Your family's financial information. <p>https://burgerking.scholarsapply.org/information.php</p>	December 15, 2025
California Wine Grape Growers Foundation	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children of California vineyard employees • Study at a CSU, UC, or California Community College • Unofficial transcript • Letter of Recommendation • Submit a 500 word essay <p>(Students who plan to attend a UC or CSU will receive \$8,000 & Students who plan to attend CCC will receive \$2,000)</p> <p>cawgfoundation.org</p>	February 27, 2026
County of Sacramento	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have a 2.5 cumulative GPA • Must be on public assistance or low income 	March 6, 2026

	<p>All applicants must include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Official High School Transcript 2. (2) Letters of Recommendation 3. Essay (800 words) <p>https://ha.saccounty.gov/scholarship/Pages/Application.aspx</p>	
Sierra Central Community Foundation	<p>All applicants must include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Filling out the questionnaire 2. Write an essay (prompt will be given) 3. Submit your unofficial transcript 4. References <p>https://www.sierracentral.com/youth?tab=scholarships#tab</p>	May 21, 2026
APSEA Foundation Scholarship	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrate involvement in the Asian Pacific Islander (API) community • Be currently enrolled as a high school senior in good academic standing (2.5 GPA or above) • Attend a four-year university/college, community college, or vocational school <p>All Applicants must include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Unofficial High School Transcript 2. 100-word autobiography 3. Apply to FAFSA <p>https://www.apseafoundation.org/application/</p>	TBA
Blue Diamond Growers Foundation	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students must have the intent to be a full time student when attending a 4 year university • Applicants must have a major related to agriculture, plant science or related majors • Candidates must have a grade point average of a 3.3 throughout high school <p>https://bluediamondgrowers.com/scholarship-program/</p>	March 31, 2026
PG & E STEM Scholarship	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students who are pursuing a degree in STEM (engineering, computer science, environmental science, math, physics) • Be a high school senior or graduate • Plan to attend 4 year college or university or a HBCU • Must reside in PG & E service territory or a dependent of a resident in the territory <p>https://scholarshipamerica.org/scholarship/pge/</p>	March 12, 2026

<p>Elk Grove Education Association</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student must be a child of an Elk Grove Education Association (EGEA) member • Student must be a high school senior • Student must have 3.0 or better GPA • Must attend a 4-year college, 2-year college or trade school <p>All applicants must include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Cover letter 2. (2) letters of recommendations <p>https://www.elkgroveeducators.org/scholarships</p>	<p>February 6, 2026</p>
<p>Jessie Millers Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student must have been promoted from Prairie Elementary School • Student must be a current high school senior • Student must attend a 4-year college, 2-year college or trade school <p>All applicants must include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Cover letter 2. (2) letters of recommendations <p>https://www.elkgroveeducators.org/scholarships</p>	<p>February 6, 2026</p>
<p>SMUD Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a current high school senior • Have a minimum GPA of 3.0 • Plan to enroll in a 2 or 4-year college/university • Be a SMUD customer living in SMUD's service or area or have a parent/legal guardian as a customer <p>(the scholarship is not open to SMUD employees or their relatives)</p> <p>https://www.smud.org/en/In-Our-Community/College-Scholarships</p>	<p>TBA</p>
<p>Horatio Alger Association</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants must have a 2.0 GPA • Must be a current high school senior • Must be in financial need <p>Applicants must include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Unofficial Transcript 2. Recommender (counselor) 3. Your counselor will fill out the certification form <p>https://horatioalger.org/scholarships-and-services/undergraduate-scholarships/</p>	<p>February 15, 2026</p>

<p>AVID College Horizons Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a participant in the AVID program (minimum 3 years in high school) • Be a graduating senior at a Sacramento county high school • Be admitted and enrolled in a four year college or university with a minimum of 12 units • Demonstrate need in a financial aid award letter from college <p>Applicants must include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Financial aid package award from your college/university (varies, might be extended) 2. Personal statement (800 words) 3. Letter of recommendation <p>https://sacregcf.academicworks.com/opportunities/1739</p>	<p>April 30, 2026</p>
<p>Mark McCollum "Ride On" Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a high school senior or undergraduate college student planning to pursue an engineering or construction degree at California State University, Sacramento • Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 • Be enrolled in at least 12 academic units per quarter/semester during the year of the scholarship award <p>Applicants must include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Essay (self-description) 2. 2 Letters of Recommendation(s) <p>https://sacregcf.academicworks.com/opportunities/1712</p>	<p>TBA</p>
<p>CSU, UC, Private, Out-of-State</p>	<p>Each CSU, UC, Private or Out-of-State college/universities have scholarships available to their students (once you admit to the school, then you may apply for those scholarships)</p>	<p>Varies</p>
<p>College Board Scholarships</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Log into your college board account or create one • Scholarship search will match you based off the information you provided 	<p>Varies</p>
<p>Scholarship Owl No Essay Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a resident of any of the 50 United States, District of Columbia or US Territories • 16 years of age or older • You must either be enrolled in a college/university or registered in a qualified high school <p>ScholarshipOwl No Essay Scholarship</p>	<p>December 30, 2025</p>
<p>No Sweat Scholarship</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a current high school senior • Create a student account with circled in <p>https://www.cirkledin.com/scholarships/</p>	<p>December 31, 2025</p>

INCIGHT Scholarship	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a current California Resident • Students who have a disability (refer to website) • Must attend a college, university, community college or vocational school • Must be enrolled in the school and need to provide enrollment verification <p>https://www.inciight.org/scholarship</p>	<p>April 15, 2026</p>
Asian Pacific Community Fund Scholarship	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A minimum GPA of 2.8 • Must attend a community college or state university • Students who are low-income • Hmong race or ethnically identify as Hmong American (refer back to the site) <p>Applicants include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Official High School Transcript 2. Letter of Recommendation 3. Online Interview (to be scheduled if selected as finalist) <p>https://www.apcf.org/currently-open-student-scholarships</p>	<p>April 20, 2026</p>
Sacramento Suburban Writers Club	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a current senior in high school • Submit your story or essay on any subject to scholarship@sactowriters.org • Letter of Recommendation <p>(refer back to the site, for further information & directions)</p> <p>https://www.sactowriters.org/2026-scholarship/</p>	<p>April 17, 2026</p>
School House Connection	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You will begin college (4 year, community college or trade school) for the First Time in 2025 • You experienced homelessness in the last six years <p>Application Include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. High School Transcript (Unofficial or Official) 2. Essay (1,000 words maximum that answers all three of the topics below) 3. Letter of Recommendation (at least one and a maximum of three) <p>https://schoolhouseconnection.org/scholarship/</p>	<p>June 2, 2026</p>
World's Only Minecraft Scholarship	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You must be a U.S. citizen • Must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 • Must submit an essay of at least 500 words that details your opinion on how Minecraft can be a positive influence on education and career development in order to be considered for this award. • \$2,000 Award <p>https://apexminecrafthosting.com/minecraft-scholarship/#apply_now</p>	<p>July 31, 2026</p>

<p>Rover Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You must be a resident of the U.S. Graduating Senior in high school Must have a 3.0 GPA or above <p>Application includes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 400-500 word response: How did growing up with a pet in your life (could be a friend's or family member's) impact the person you are today? <p>(please refer to the site for further instructions) https://www.rover.com/college-scholarship/</p>	<p>May 1, 2026</p>
<p>Skechers Foundation Scholarship Program</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be high school seniors in good standing with their current high school. Be planning to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two- or four-year college, university, or vocational/technical school or nursing school in the upcoming academic year. Have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (or the equivalent) at the end of their junior year of high school. <p>Application includes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Unofficial High School Transcript A letter of recommendation <p>https://secure.skechersfriendshipwalk.com/site/SPageServer?jsessionid=00000000.app30119b?NONCE_TOKEN=0F6943CEBF9AE4BF9B35E1EB10372A36&pagename=scholarshipprogram_walk</p> <p>Application Opens: March 2026</p>	<p>TBA</p>
<p>Nadine Dimick Nursing Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be enrolled in the nursing program at a 2-year college or 4-year university in the Sacramento region (Sacramento, Placer, Eldorado, Yolo). Have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher Demonstrate financial need <p>Application must include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Personal Essay Two Letter of Recommendation(s) <p>https://sacregcf.academicworks.com/opportunities/1757</p>	<p>March 3, 2026</p>

<p>Carroylin and Robert Threlkel Scholarship Fund</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Be a female student pursuing a business related undergraduate degree at an accredited college university or community college in California ● Be enrolled full-time in an accredited college university or community college ● Have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 ● Demonstrate financial need <p>Applicants must include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Personal Statement 2. Two Letters of Recommendation(s) <p>https://sacregcf.academicworks.com/opportunities/1746</p>	<p>TBA</p>
<p>Student Insights Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Must be a high school senior ● Plan to attend a 4 year institution, community college or career school <p>Applicant must include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Must complete a 15-25 minute online survey, then you will be automatically entered into a random drawing for a scholarship award <p>https://www.student-view.com/ScholarshipWmap.html</p>	<p>TBA</p>
<p>Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Inc. Kappa Psi Zeta Chapter Sacramento</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Minimum of a 2.75 GPA ● A female high school senior ● Attend a 4 year university or college ● Demonstrate potential leadership <p>https://www.sacramentozetas.org/fwscholarship</p> <p>Scholarship information will be available January 16, 2026</p>	<p>TBA</p>
<p>Tri Counties Bank</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Income Based — Sixty (60) \$1,500 scholarships are awarded to students with a Student Aid Index (SAI) of 0 or less, and a minimum GPA of 2.5. ● Merit Based — Twenty (20) \$1,000 scholarships are offered to students with a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher. <p>https://cfnorthstate.org/scholarships/tri-counties-bank-endowed-scholarship-fund/</p>	<p>TBA</p>

<p>Capitol City Lodge #1147 & Camellia Temple #831 Herman Long/Oneida Bontemp Memorial Scholarship</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fill out application & write a 350 word prompt on the topic given • Once the student completes the application, they must mail their application through the U.S.postal service to: Capitol City Elks Lodge #1147, P.O. BOX 5006, Sacramento,CA. 95817, ATTN: Education Dept. <p>FEB 2025 Elks Lodge & Camellia Temple Essay Contest</p>	<p>TBA</p>
<p>State Council Cabrillo Civic Clubs of California Scholarship</p>	<p>Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum of a 3.5 GPA • Graduating senior • Seeking a certification, associate or bachelor's degree • Portuguese ancestry Preference is given to students who are members of Cabrillo Civic Club and participate in extracurricular activities, leadership, or Employed. <p>https://cabrillocivicclubs.org/scholarship</p>	<p>March 15, 2026</p>
<p>Hagan Scholarship Foundation</p>	<p>Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.5 unweighted GPA • Must enroll in an eligible 4 year college or university • Must work 240 hours from January 1, 2026-September 1, 2026 <p>https://haganscholarships.org/application/</p>	<p>March 15, 2026</p>
<p>Native American Scholarship Program</p>	<p>Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enroll into a university or community college • Proof of enrollment in BIA recognized tribe, a tribal card or proof of lineal descent • 2.5 GPA minimum <p>https://www.auburnrancheria.com/programs/scholarships-1/ Applications will reopen in January 2026</p>	
<p>NISEI Student Relocation Commemorative Fund</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant must have Southeast Asian ancestry (the applicant or at least one parent/grandparent born in Vietnam, Laos, or Cambodia) • High School Senior • Attend a four year college or university, community college; accredited vocational or technical school <p>https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/17uhdbX_m_rirX7BzqFznLFBk1EzWpbkL</p>	<p>TBA</p>

<p>Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority ETA GAMMA OMEGA Chapter</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school senior • 2.5 GPA or above • Attend college full time in Fall 2025 <p>REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recent Color Photo Headshot • An official transcript including last semester's grades. • A typed and SIGNED essay by the applicant (see application for specifics) • Two (2) Letters of Recommendation o One letter from HIGH SCHOOL personnel, and One letter from an individual in the COMMUNITY • Federal Tax Return (the current or prior year) from the parent/guardian (blackout the social security numbers before sending.) <p>https://www.etagamaomega.org/scholarship-cover</p>	<p>TBA</p>
<p>Skechers Academic Excellence Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High School Senior • Minimum GPA of a 3.0 • Attend a 4 year university or 2 year college <p>https://scholarships360.org/scholarships/search/skechers-academic-excellence-scholarship/</p>	<p>TBA</p>
<p>Measure E Scholarship Fund- At Promise Youth Elk Grove</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proof of Residency • Household income within allowed range • Proof of Income <p>APPLY HERE</p>	<p>On-Going</p>
<p>Phyllis M. Kidd Memorial Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sacramento County Resident 2. Entering a two or four year accredited college/university/technical or trade school 3. 2.5 GPA minimum <p>Requested Items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Official Transcript • Two letters of recommendation • Proof of acceptance from the college • Personal Essay <p>For more information & application, please email: DHA-AACaucus@saccounty.net</p>	<p>April 1, 2026</p>

<p>Five Pearls Academic Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Applicant must be female ● Sacramento County Resident ● 2.75 GPA or higher ● Plan to attend an accredited college or university <p>Requested items:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Official Transcript 2. Application 3. Personal Statement (500 words) 4. Letter of Recommendation (1) 5. List of your extracurriculars, volunteer, involvement etc. <p>https://omegalambdazeta.org/five-pearls-academic-scholarship</p>	<p>April 23, 2026</p>
<p>The Amber Latrice Madison Memorial Scholarship</p>	<p>Qualifications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Must be Female and Black, African American or of African Descent ● Sacramento County Resident ● Attending a four year accredited college or university ● Must major in Nursing or in the Medical Field related study ● Must have a 2.75 GPA or higher <p>Requested Items:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Official Transcripts 2. 200 word Application Questions 3. Personal Statement (500 words) 4. Letter of Recommendation (1) 5. List of extracurriculars, school involvement, volunteer etc. <p>https://omegalambdazeta.org/the-amber-latrice-madison-memorial-scholarship</p>	<p>April 23, 2026</p>
<p>The Anderson/Harris Pathways to Impact Memorial Scholarship</p>	<p>Qualifications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Must be Female and Black, African American or of African Descent ● Sacramento County Resident ● Attending a four year accredited college or university ● Must have a 2.75 GPA or higher ● <p>Requested Items:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. Official Transcripts 7. 200 word Application Questions 8. Personal Statement (500 words) 9. Letter of Recommendation (2) 10. List of extracurriculars, school involvement, volunteer etc. <p>https://omegalambdazeta.org/pathways-to-impact-memorial-scholarship</p>	<p>April 23, 2026</p>