Scholarship Opportunities

CHECK YOUR GOOGLE CLASSROOM FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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The following list includes over 2 Million dollars in available scholarships for Michigan Students

- Fastweb.com
- Goingmerry.com

• Women in Aviation International

Award - \$3,000

Deadline - See website

Eligibility - See website for details - https://www.wai.org/education/scholarships

• We Are The Independents

Award - 8- \$2,000 Scholarships

Deadline - See website

Eligibility - See website

https://wearetheindhttps://ependents.com/win-a-scholarship/

National Honors Society

Award- Up to \$25,000

https://www.nhs.us/students/the-nhs-scholarship/?utm_medium=email

DAR Good Citizen Award and Scholarship Contest

- Senior who demonstrates qualities of a **good citizen**:
 - Dependability
 - Service
 - leadership
 - patriotism.
- o DAR Good Citizens Committee
 - Kathy McClelland- National Chair 276-386-7125 wkmcclelland@embargmail.com
 - Erin Davis- martinerin11@gmail.com

• Lawrence Technological University STEM Scholar Award

Award - \$78,600

Eligibilty - See website for more details

https://www.ltu.edu/financial_aid/stem-major-scholarship.asp

• Heisman Scholarship

- o GPA-3.0+
- The National Federation of State High School Association or International Olympic Committee in the Summer and Winter Olympic Games
- Leadership- Role Model
- o Heisman Scholarship

• Jackie Robinson Scholarship

Award: \$7,500 Minority student

- Seniors who apply to a 4 year institution
- o US Citizen
- Leadership potential
- Have financial need
- o SAT score of 1000

Digital headshot

One letter of recommendation

In person interview

Creative Masonry and Chimney Scholarship

Award: \$500

https://creativemasonryct.com/creative-masonry-ct-scholarship/

Scholarship to students who are considering a career in construction, plumbing, carpentry, or other skilled trades.

Scholarship goes to tuition and books

Deadline is December 1st

How to apply:

Write a blog post of 1000+ words on a topic following the guidelines above.

Post the article to your blog – This can be a student blog on your university website or your own website. Typically, contacting a university professional about a university website isn't too difficult—and it doesn't hurt to try.

Include at least 3 links citing authoritative resources on construction trends and technology, including 1 link to https://creativemasonryct.com/

Submit your personal info and published link via email.

 Finer Womanhood High School Scholarship Award - See flyer for more information https://www.lambdarhozetapontiac.org/copy-of-pearls-of-hope-foundation?fbclid=lwAR35 5eVUEtWtiLSetd2mBEM8qXMxpA7kd1Cpz5yBYSBHeGmyttHrY4X7AJk

Deadline - see website

Eligibility- Must be a graduating senior in an Oakland County, Michigan area high school and a resident of Oakland County, Michigan. Or, a graduating senior and an active member of the Lambda Rho Zeta Archonette Club. Or, a graduating Senior whose mother is an active member of Lambda Rho Zeta Chapter or the Pontiac Amicae auxiliary. Minimum GPA of 2.5

• University of Michigan Club of Greater Detroit

Award- Variety available

Deadline- See website https://umclubgreaterdetroit.org/

Eligibility- See website for details

• University of Michigan Alumni Association Scholarship

https://community.alumni.umich.edu/detroit/scholarships/scholarship-application
For incoming Freshman at the University of Michigan
Must have one of the following:

ACT: Minimum score of 31SAT: Minimum score of 1430

Top 1% of your graduating class

• Lakes Trust Credit Union

Award- Two available, New Beginnings and Michigan Impact Scholarship

Deadline - See website

Eligibility - Follow this link for more information

-https://www.wxyz.com/rebound/credit-union-offering-scholarships-to-michigan-residents-interested-in-college-trade-school

• American Legion Auxiliary (Michigan) Non- Traditional Scholarship

Award- \$1000, \$500 per year x 2 years

Deadline- See website www.michalaux.org

Eligibility- Must be a descendant of a Veteran and planning to attend an educational institution within the state of MIchigan.

Contact- American Legion Auxiliary - Department of Michigan 517-371-4720

• Community Choice Credit Union Foundation

Award- 15- \$5,000 scholarships available

Deadline - See website

Eligibility- See website for more details - MichiganScholarship.com

• Scholarship America

Award- Varies, many available

Deadline- See website <u>www.scholarshipamerica.org</u>

Eligibility- U.S. citizens, high school seniors who plan to attend an accredited 2 or 4 year educational institution, demonstrate outstanding academic, community or work related achievements, be able to have an unrelated person attest to your achievements. The first 12, 000 applicants that have met the post marked deadline will be considered.

• Emerson Scholars Program, Interlochen Arts Camp

Award- Full Tuition Scholarship

Deadline- See website www.camp.interlochen.org

Eligibility- Available to students currently eligible for the high school division and auditioning for Orchestral or Wind ensembles. OPen to U.S. citizens. Previous recipients may reapply.

First National Bank

Award- \$1,000

www.fnbh.com

GPA- 3.0 +

10 awards annually in Livingston County. 5 of the awards will be given to students pursuing an education in the trades.

Community service participation

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Recommendation letters

Any challenges you had to overcome in order to graduate?

• Lake Michigan Credit Union Lloyd F. Hutt Scholarship

Award- \$2000

Deadline- See website www.lmcu.org

Eligibility- Open to high school students who are members or the dependent children of members of Lake Michigan Credit Union. Members must be in good standing at the credit union, students must be enrolled or plan to enroll at an accredited college, university, or trade school in the next academic year. Must show proof of enrollment or acceptance before receiving the award.

• Leep Dream Scholarship

Award- \$1000

Deadline- See website www.collegegreenlight.com

Eligibility- Open to all students pursuing a career in the Public safety- EMT Technicians, Police Officers, Firefighters Police-Fire Dispatch, Correctional Officer, Law-Enforcement, etc. Awards can be applied towards programs at any 4 year university or college, community college, junior college, vocational program or degree granting educational

institution which issues a diploma, certificate or license in Public Safety or related fields. Applicants must submit a letter of recommendation and high school transcripts with application. Leep Trustees and family members are not eligible to apply.

Michigan Student Aid

Award- \$250-\$600

Deadline- see website www.michigan.gov

Eligibility- Must demonstrate financial need and be a resident of Michigan for at least one year. Must be at least 20 years old and continuing or beginning college education at a participating Michigan college, university, or degree program. Must be out of high school for a minimum of two years and planning to attend school or program part time.

• Elks National Foundation

Award- Varies

Deadline - See website www.Elks.org

• Michigan retailers Association Foundation Scholarships

Award- \$1000-\$1500

Deadline- See website <u>www.retailers.com</u>

Eligibility- Open to part time or full time employees of MRA member businesses and dependent children or MRA member business owners. Contact for more details. Funds can be used for tuition, books, supplies and equipment at an accredited two to four year college or university in the U.S. Scholarships are transferable if the student changes educational institutions.

• Rosa Parks Scholarship

Award- \$2000

Deadline- See website www.rosaparksscholarshipfoundation.org

Eligibility- High school seniors attending a private or public Michigan High School, minimum GPA of 2.5, must graduate by August of the year you apply, complete application and essay, include supporting documents.

• The Joe Francis Haircare Cosmetology Scholarship Award

Award- \$1,200

Deadline- See website www.joefrancis.com

Eligibility- Active enrollment or acceptance into a cosmetology school during or after August of the application year, This includes both barber and cosmetology schools. Applicants are chosen based on financial need, potential to complete the application, applicants must also submit a recommendation letter from someone who can attest to your character, such as a teacher, instructor or counselor.

• Michigan Oil and Gas Producers Education Foundation

Award- Varies

Deadline- See website <u>www.michiganoilandgas.org</u>

Eligibility- MIchigan high school senior students accepted for enrollment at a Michigan university or community college, having a minimum GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale), and demonstrating financial need. Qualified applicants must also be pursuing a degree in a field of study, which will allow them to obtain full time employment in the crude oil and natural gas industry. There will be scholarships with a minimum of \$500 to be paid directly to the university or college where the applicant is enrolled.

Wealth Wise Scholarship

https://www.badcredit.org/scholarship/

BadCredit.org

Attn: Wealth Wise Scholarship

15 SE 1st Ave

Suite B

Gainesville, FL 32601

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Major of study must support a career in the finance industry (e.g., finance,	business,
accounting, mathematics, management, and other related majors)	

☐ Must be a US resident

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☐ Must be a current or future college student (e.g., high school senior)

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☐ Complete an essay for submission (see essay guidelines below)

☐ Include contact information with the essay so we can get in touch with winners

• Citizens Insurance Community Scholarships

https://www.hanover.com/scholarships/

• Michigan Elk's Association Scholarship

http://www.mielksgoldkey.org/

• Lawrence Technological University

Award- Varies- \$6,000 annually to full tuition

Deadline- See website www.ltu.edu/scholarshipcompetition

Eligibility- See website for details

• Michigan Education Association Scholarship

Award- Varies

Deadline- See website https://mea.org/mea-scholarship/

Eligibility- This scholarship is provided by the members, staff and friends of the MIchigan Education Association. For additional information, including rules and eligibility requirements, see website.

• OCC Chancellor's Scholarship

Award- \$3,500

Deadline- See website https://www.oaklandcc.edu/finaid/scholarships.aspx
Eligibility-Planning on attending OCC

• CMU Scholarships for High School Leaders

Award- Varies

Deadline- See website https://go.cmich.edu/Pages/scholarships.aspx

Eligibility- See website

• Community Foundation For Southeast Michigan

Award- Several available

Deadline- See website

Eligibility- See website https://cfsem.org/scholarships/

• Eastern Michigan University, Undergraduate EMU Alumni Association Scholarship

Award- \$1,250 per recipient, per year for four years, maximum \$5,000

Deadline- See website https://www.emich.edu/alumni/awards-scholarships/index.php

Eligibility- See website

• GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program

Award- \$10,000 renewable scholarship, up to \$40,000 per student

Deadline- January, see website for more information

Eligibility- This national program awards college scholarships to high school seniors who embody the characteristics of President Ronald Reagan at school, in the community, in the workplace and at home. The Foundation looks for students with Leadership, drive, and citizenship. Additional information, eligibility requirements and a link to the application are available at www.reaganfoundation.org/scholarships

• Saginaw Valley State University

Award-Several available

Deadline- See website <u>www.svsu.edu/scholarships</u>

Eligible- Depending on GPA, and also students whose parents graduated from SVSU are eligible for a scholarship and benefits.

• The Michigan State University Alumni Club of Oakland County.

Award- \$2,000, non- renewable, paid in two installments

Deadline- see website www.MSUOakland.com

Eligibility- Oakland County High School Seniors who have been accepted for study and are planning to attend Michigan State University the following year.. For More information, see the website.

Homer Fund

Award- up to \$2,500

Deadline- see website https://thdhomerfund.org/scholarships

Eligibility- Applicants parents must be a part time or full time employee for a year, and must currently be an associate. See website for more information.

• SP High School Scholarship

Award- \$10,000 - 10 awards

Deadline- (check back monthly)

Eligibility- Be a high school student planning to attend college. Answer the Essay question on the sponsors website.

Website-

https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/14870/sp_high_school_scholarship_scholarship_https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/14870/sp_high_school_scholarship_scholarship.

• Voice of Democracy Scholarship

Award- \$30,000 - 50 awards

Deadline- see website

Eligibility- Currently enrolled in high school between the grades of 9-12, and be enrolled in a public, private or parochial school or home study program in the United States. Website- https://www.vfw.org/community/youth-and-education/youth-scholarships

• Coca- Cola Scholars Program

Award- \$20,000 - 150 awards

Deadline- see website

Eligibility- Current High school student attending a school in the U.S. who will graduate during the 2020-2021 academic school year.

Website- https://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/apply/

• You Deserve It Scholarship

Award- \$1,000

Deadline- see website

Eligibility- Be a resident of any of the 50 United States, District of Columbia or US Territories. Be 16 years of age or older and be enrolled in college or registered in a high school.

Website-

https://scholarshipowl.com/awards/you-deserve-it-scholarship?transaction_id=102b120e 2bd6bc95e847bb51187f58&offer_id=24&affiliate_id=1085&aff_sub=&aff_sub2=&aff_sub3=&aff_sub4=&aff_sub5=

• Real World Design Challenge Scholarships

Award- \$50.000 - 7 awards

Deadline- See website

Eligibility- Be currently enrolled in grade 9-12, Students enrolled in school environments with alternative grade level designations must be engaged in a program of study equivalent to the corresponding high school grade level.

Website- http://www.realworlddesignchallenge.org

• James Cox Student Photography Scholarships

Award- \$2.500- 11 awards

Deadline- November 15, 2022

Eligibility- High school students applying for these scholarships must have completed one year at an accredited high school (student must therefore be a sophomore or older) and should have taken at least one photography or related art class

Website- https://www.jamesalancoxfoundation.org/apply/

• <u>Driver Education Initiative Scholarship</u>

Award- \$500 - 6 awards

Deadline- see website

Eligibility- BE currently enrolled in either High school, university, or college full time student (2021-2022 school year). Submit an essay demonstrating knowledge on the topic of safe driving.

Website- https://www.dmvedu.org/scholarship/

• Barbara Lotze Scholarships for Future Teachers

Award- \$2.000 - 5 awards

Deadline- see website

Eligibility-An undergraduate student enrolled in an accredited two year college, four year college or a university; or a high school senior accepted for such enrollment. Pursuing, or planning to pursue, a course of study leading toward a carer in physics teaching in the high schools

Website- https://www.aapt.org/programs/grants/lotze.cfm

• Lamber- Goodnow Scholarships

Award- \$1,000 - 8 awards

Deadline- see website

Eligibility- see website for more details.

Website- https://lambergoodnow.com/scholarships/

• Make the U Scholarship

Award- \$1,000 - 100 awards

Deadline- see website

Eligibility- Show academic excellence. Demonstrate dedication to community service

Website-

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https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/12459/make_the_u_scholarship_scholarship.

• Thiel High School Fellowship

Awards- \$100,000 - 30 awards

Deadline- see website

Eligibility- Be under the age of 22. Be interested in designing and building things.

Website- https://thielfellowship.org/

• Dell Scholars Program

Award- \$20,000 - 300 Awards

Deadline- see website

Website- https://www.dellscholars.org/

• Hispanic Heritage Youth Awards

Award- \$3.500 - 180 awards

Deadline- See website

Website-

https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/13676/hispanic_heritage_youth_awards_scholarship.php

• Science Ambassador Scholarship

Award- \$40.000 - 1 Award

Deadline- See website

Website-

https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/14669/science_ambassador_scholarship_scholarship.php

• Hagan Scholarship Foundation

Award- \$48,000

Deadline- See website

Website-

https://haganscholarships.org/

• National Society Daughters of the American Revolution

Award- see website

Deadline- See website

Website-

https://www.dar.org/

• Scholarships for Black and African Americans students

Award- see website

Deadline- See website

Website- https://www.bestcolleges.com/resources/black-student-scholarships/

• Lloyd F. Hutt Scholarship Competition

Award- see website Deadline- See website

Website- https://www.lmcu.org/Hutt

• MI American Legion Scholarships and Youth Programs

Award- see website
Deadline- See website

Website- https://michiganlegion.org/scholarships/

• 42 Jackie Robinson Foundation

Award- see website
Deadline- See website

Website - https://jackierobinson.org/apply/

• NPC Centennial Scholarship

Award- see website
Deadline- See website
Website The Sorority Life

• 2024 South Lyon Area Democrats

Award- see website
Deadline- See website

Website: https://sladems.org/scholarship

• Law Firm of Whittel & Melton

Award- see website
Deadline- See website

Website: Magna Carta College Scholarship Fund

• Michigan Distinguished Young Women Scholarship Program

Award- see website
Deadline- See website

Website: <u>Distinguished Young Women Scholarship</u>

• University of MI Dearborn - Alumni Legacy Scholarship

Award- see website Deadline- 3/4/2024

Website: U of M Dearborn Alumni Legacy Scholarship

• University of MI Club of Greater Detroit

Award- see website Deadline- 2/9/2024

Website: U of M Club of Greater Detroit Scholarship

• NAFEPA Scholarship Program 2024

Award- see website Deadline- 1/10/2024

Website: NAFEPA Scholarship Program

Service/Leadership

https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/equitableexcellence/

Applicants to the Equitable Excellence® Scholarship Program Scholarship Program must:

- Be current high school seniors in one of the 50 U.S. states, District of Columbia or Puerto Rico who plan to enroll full-time in an accredited two-or four-year college or university in the United States for the entire upcoming academic year.
- Demonstrate ambition and self-drive to be a force for good in school, community or work activities
- Be willing to provide a release to publicize their identities and information about their achievements along with photographs for use in program promotion and information.
- Have a 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale.

Students with a deceased parent or experienced Foster Care

Memorial Scholarships
KidsChanceMichigan
Fostering Futures

Scholarships by County in Michigan

County Search

Michigan Specific Scholarship Programs

Michigan

MAS (No GPA requirement)

MAS (skills scholarship)

General Scholarships

BigFuture (juniors and seniors)

<u>CollegeBoard:</u> https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college/scholarship-search

Fastweb: https://fastweb.com

Cappex / College Greenlight: https://cappex.com/scholarships

Specific Identity/Group Websites/Scholarships

FFA Scholarships

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Asian American /Pacific Islander

APIA Scholarship Program https://apiascholars.org/

USPAACC https://uspaacc.com/programs/education

Arab American / Middle Eastern

The Arab American Institute https://www.aaiusa.org/scholarships

ADC https://adc.org/arab-american-scholarships/ (Michigan)

Black / African American

<u>United Negro College Fund https://uncf.org/</u>

NAACP https://naacp.org/find-resources/

<u>Hispanic / Latinx</u>

Hispanic Scholarship Fund https://www.hsf.net/

<u>LULAC https://lulac.org/programs/education</u>

LGBTQ+

Point Foundation Scholarships https://pointfoundation.org/scholarships League Foundation Scholarships https://www.leaguefoundation.org/

Native American/ American Indian

American Indian College Fund https://collegefund.org/students/
American Indian Education Fund http://www.nativepartnership.org/

Undocumented Students

Roberto A. Salazar Legacy Scholarship - This scholarship provides financial assistance for undocumented high school and undergraduate students that are aiming to pursue higher education in the Fall 2024 semester.

Jack Kent Cooke Undergraduate Transfer Scholarship - The Jack Kent Cooke Foundation is offering a scholarship for top performing students who are enrolled in a community college and are wanting to pursue their bachelor's degrees at four-year colleges and universities.

The Dream.US Opportunity Scholarship - This scholarship is for students who live in locked-out states where they cannot receive in-state tuition. Applications are open to immigrant students with or without DACA or TPS who came to the U.S. before the age of 16 and before Nov. 1, 2018. https://www.thedream.us/scholarships

The Dream.US National Scholarship - Similar to The Dream.us Opportunity scholarship, the National scholarship includes undocumented students who reside in non-locked out states and need financial assistance in order to pursue higher education. https://www.thedream.us/scholarships/national-scholarship/

Golden Door Scholars https://www.goldendoorscholars.org/

Paying for College Information and Scholarship Searches

While you wait for the FAFSA to open (estimated in December), here are some things to start reviewing and thinking about.

College Cost and Financial Aid Estimator

uAspire's College Cost Calculator: https://calculator.uaspire.org/
Federal Student Aid Estimator: https://studentaid.gov/aid-estimator/

Student/Family Informational Sessions

Virtual Financial Aid Events (for students):

https://www.uaspire.org/News-Events/Virtual-Financial-Aid-Help-Events

Michigan virtual financial aid webinars for families

Michigan Scholarship Info webinars

Student Resources: https://www.uaspire.org/For-Students

Guide to Finding and Applying to Scholarships (blog post):

https://www.uaspire.org/News-Events/uAspire's-Guide-to-Finding-and-Applying-to-Scholar

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MAS (skills scholarship for certificates and tech programs)

Golden Apple Scholars (for those going to school to be a teacher)

<u>Michigan Association of Broadcasters</u> (those interested in broadcast or communications) National Fluid Power and Robotics (see last page)

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ADC https://adc.org/arab-american-scholarships/ (Michigan)

Black / African American

United Negro College Fund https://uncf.org/ NAACP https://naacp.org/find-resources/

Hispanic / Latinx

Hispanic Scholarship Fund https://www.hsf.net/ LULAC https://lulac.org/programs/education

LGBTQ+

Point Foundation Scholarships https://pointfoundation.org/scholarships League Foundation Scholarships https://www.leaguefoundation.org/

Native American/ American Indian

American Indian College Fund https://collegefund.org/students/ American Indian Education Fund https://www.nativepartnership.org/

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Golden Door Scholars https://www.goldendoorscholars.org/

Loan Information for Parents

Direct Subsidized and Unsubsidized Loan Information: https://studentaid.gov/understand-aid/types/loans/subsidized-unsubsidized

Parent PLUS Loan information: https://studentaid.gov/understand-aid/types/loans/plus/parent

For high school students, CTE, technical colleges and engineering schools

Fluid Power Scholarship, is a \$2,000 scholarship available to students pursuing fluid power education. Multiple scholarships are available for the 2024-25 academic year. The deadline to apply is April 1, 2024, at 11:59 PM CT.

A minimum 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale, 500-word essay, a completed online application and one letter of recommendation are required from each applicant. The Foundation's goal is to help graduating high school seniors, and individuals enrolled at technical colleges, community colleges, and universities pursue their interests in fluid power.

The second, called the <u>Robotics Challenge Scholarship</u>, is a \$30,000 scholarship (up to \$7,500 per year, for up to four years) award for a graduating high school senior participates as part of a FIRST® Robotics, National Robotics League, or VEX Robotics Competition Team and uses pneumatics in their robot. One merit-based award is available for the 2024-25 academic year. The deadline to apply is May 5, 2024, at 11:59 PM CST.

A minimum 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale, a 1,000-word essay, a completed online application, and one letter of recommendation are required from each applicant. The goal of the NFPA Robotics Challenge Scholarship is to bring an awareness of pneumatic options in robotics to high school students and to stimulate increased use of fluid power products in these competitions.

If you have any questions about NFPA's scholarships, or any other <u>programs</u> that NFPA offers, please email me at <u>hnemeth@nfpa.com</u>. Thank you for your time.

Scholarship Search Engines

Scholarship Owl Scholarship Search- free https://scholarshipowl.com/

Red Kite Scholarship Search https://myredkite.com/

College Connection Scholarship Search http://www.collegescholarships.org/financial-aid/

Scholarship information/scams/lotteries.financial aid calculators https://finaid.org/

College Board's Scholarship Search https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/

Sallie Mae Scholarship Search https://www.salliemae.com/

Help applying for scholarships https://www.mometrix.com/blog/scholarships-for-college/

Scholarship search information http://scholarshiphunter.com/

Financial Aid information, for international students https://www.edupass.org/

Scholarship search engine https://www.collegegreenlight.com/

Scholarship search engine https://www.fastweb.com/

Top 175 Scholarships for College Students https://www.mometrix.com/blog/scholarships-for-college/

Federal Financial Aid Websites

FAFSA online

https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa

Submit a Free application for Federal Student Aid, (FAFSA). Used to apply for Federal, State, and institutional financial aid.

Federal Student Aid Create an ID

https://fsaid.ed.gov/npas/index.htm

Students, parents and borrowers are required to use an FSA ID, made up of a username and password, to access certain U.S. Department of Education websites. Your FSA ID is used to confirm your identity when accessing your financial aid information and electronically signing your federal students aid documents.

Federal Student Aid, Office of the U.S. Department of Education https://studentaid.gov/

The U.S. Department of Education's office of Federal Student Aid provides more than \$120 Billion in financial aid to help pay for college or career school. This is a resource to help understand what types of aids are out there and what you're eligible for.

FAFSA4caster

https://fafsa.ed.gov/spa/fafsa4c/#/landing

Estimates Federal financial aid eligibility

Learn about tax benefits for education. Request tax transcripts for financial aid verification purposes.

https://www.irs.gov/newsroom/tax-benefits-for-education-information-center

A U.S. government site that allows future students to evaluate and compare institutions' prices, financial aid, enrollment fees and academic disciplines. https://nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/

State of Michigan Informational Financial Aid Websites

Information about State of MIchigan student financial aid programs https://www.michigan.gov/mistudentaid

Local Scholarships

2025 SLEHS Local Scholarships

Due April 17, 2025 unless otherwise noted

NOTE: Additional information for Scholarships listed below please go to your **Class of 2025 Google Classroom**. For the scholarships submitted online or need to be mailed, you will need to request your transcript by email from your Counselor or Student Services Data Processor or request it through www.Parchment.com.

American Legion "Veteran Appreciation Scholarship" - \$1000

- Minimum 2.5 GPA
- Parent or grandparent must have served in the military and been honorably discharged
- Essay on personal and educational goals
- Copy of SLEHS transcript
- Link for application: Veteran Appreciation Scholarship
- Turn in application to Student Services by April 17, 2025

Stephen T. Bozymowski Memorial Scholarship - \$750 & \$500

- Open to SLEHS graduating seniors
- GPA = 3.2 and higher
- Must be pursuing an engineering degree
- Essay required on personal & educational goals & your favorite joke
- Requires letter of recommendation from a teacher
- Copy of Transcript
- Link for Summary: Cover Sheet
- Application: <u>Stephen T. Bozymowski Application</u>

Tun in application to Student Services by April 17, 2025

Coach Kacie Memorial Scholarship

- Any SL Senior who is a member of a South Lyon Swim Team & planning to attend a University, College or Vocational Training School
- Application: Coach Kacie Memorial Scholarship
- DUE: Apr 18, 2025
- Requires application, Essay, transcript and two letters of recommendation (Teacher/Counselor & Swim Coach/Teammate)
- Mail completed application to: Coach Kacie Memorial Scholarship, 754
 Kestrel Ct, South Lyon, MI 48178

Ralph Dunigan Scholarship - Three @ \$1000

- High School Senior in good standing & have participated in at least 3 seasons of SL Junior League Rec League Baseball/Softball or Travel ball or Umpired for SLJL.
- 300 typed word essay on your SLJL experience with what sportsmanship has taught you, team commitment, overcoming personal challenges or how it has helped prepare you for the next journey in life
- Three \$1000 scholarships: 1 for Baseball (boys), 1 for Softball (girls) & 1 for Umping (boy or girl)
- Application Link: Ralph Dunigan Scholarship
- Application & Essay due Sunday, April 17, 2025 (online)

Finn Foundation Scholarship - \$1000

- Open to SLHS graduating seniors
- Applicant must have overcome an adversity that has occurred in his/her lifetime
- Completed and signed application
- Essay (2 pages or less) describing the events that were overcome and how success was achieved.

- Applicant must plan to attend an accredited, degree-granting 2 to 4 year college, university or vocational-technical school no later than Fall 2024
- Link to Google Form: Finn Foundation
- Turn in the form by April 17, 2025

Russell G. Gardner Memorial Scholarship - \$1000

- GPA = 3.0 or higher
- Participant on either SLEHS golf or wrestling team
- Active within the community
- 1 Letter of recommendation required Form
- Student must be attending an institution of higher learning in Fall 2025
- Link to Summary: Summary Sheet
- Link to application: Russell G.Gardner Memorial Scholarship
- Tun in application to Student Services by April 17, 2025

Lyon Area Chamber of Commerce Scholarship - \$500

- Two scholarships to award
- May be used at any college, university, and community college or vocational/technical/trade school
- Criteria is based on the applicant's interest in continuing education, participation & leadership in school and community activities, and reputation for good citizenship and moral character
- Must be a graduating senior from the South Lyon community school district OR reside in the area served by this Chamber of Commerce
- Link to application: Lyon Area Chamber of Commerce
- Due no later than April 17, 2025 to address listed in application or email to michellet@brightoncoc.org

Kensington Valley Civitan Club Scholarship - \$1000

• Open to seniors at SLHS and SLEHS; 1 scholarship per HS

- May be used toward any college, university, community college or technical/vocational/trade school (proof of acceptance is required)
- This scholarship recognizes a student who is actively volunteering within the community
- Typed essay (2 pages or less) describing community service activities covering all 3 topics in the application
- Link to Google Form: Kensington Valley
- Turn in application by April 17, 2025 to email listed in application

Kiwanis Foundation & Kiwanis Club Scholarship - \$1000

- GPA = 2.0 or higher
- Open to seniors at SLHS and SLEHS (4 scholarships total)
- Active within the community
- Letter of recommendation from community member (non-family)
- Letter of recommendation from High School staff member
- Essay on personal & educational goals
- Link to application: Kiwanis Club Foundation
- Due by April 17, 2025
- Guidelines and Letter of Recommendation

Charlie McGinnis "Preventive Maintenance" Scholarship - \$1500

- Must plan to pursue higher education in a technical field
- Letter(s) of Recommendation from someone other than family/friends
- Copy of current high school transcript
- Link to application: Charlie McGinnis Scholarship
- Application due to Student Services by April 17, 2025 <u>OR</u> you can mail it to Griswold Operations, South Lyon Community Schools, 22727 Griswold Rd, South Lyon 48178 by May 6th.

Alyssa McMahon Memorial Scholarship - \$1000

- Applicant must be a SLHS student (class of 2024) with a minimum 2.5 GPA who has been admitted to a community college, trade school or vocational school for Fall 2025
- Submit an essay as well as a brief description of your planned studies
- Link to Scholarship Information: <u>Alyssa McMahon Memorial</u> Scholarship
- Turn in application to Student Services by April 17, 2025

Michigan State Police Student Trooper Program Scholarship

- Parent or Grandparent has served in the Military & been Honorably Discharged
- Have a interest in Law Enforcement
- In good physical condition for an intense 1-week course at Michigan State Police Training Academy in Lansing (June 9-14th)
- Essay on why you should be selected
- Link to Scholarship Information: Student Trooper

South Lyon Area Democrats - \$2000

- HS Senior graduating this year within SLCS district boundaries
- Students will be considered based on their civic involvement & dedication to their community
- Link to Application: <u>SLAD</u>
- DUE online by April 30, 2025

South Lyon Education Foundation – Perseverance Award \$1000

- This scholarship will recognize a senior student from each SL high school who has overcome a significant obstacle or demonstrated dramatic academic improvement during their high school experience
- No minimum GPA

- Must be a senior who has attended SL public schools their Junior AND Senior year
- Applicants must be on track to graduate in June 2024
- Winners may attend any 2-year or 4-year college, trade or technical school, or a certificate program (proof of acceptance required)
- Application consists of: Completed application form, essay, transcript, letter of recommendation from a SLCS district staff member
- Link to Application: SLEF
- Complete applications must be submitted electronically to <u>scholarships@slefoundation.org</u> by midnight on Wednesday April 17, 2024

South Lyon Football Booster Scholarship - \$1000

- Must have been a SL Varsity Football team member in the 2023 season
- Played SL Varsity Football a minimum of 2 years
- 2.75 of higher GPA
- Plans to continue education after high school
- Link to Application: <u>Football Boosters Scholarship</u>

South Lyon Panthers Football/Cheer/Pom Scholarship - \$500

- GPA = 2.8 or higher
- Requirements
- Must have participated in the South Lyon Panthers organization on a Football/Cheer/Pom team
- Must have been on SLHS Football/Cheer/Pom team for at least one season
- Essay on the life lessons learned while participating in the program & how the lessons can be applied later in life
- Awarded to two Cheer/Pom members & two Football players at each SL high school
- Link to application

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