

INTERNET SOURCES FOR FINANCIAL AID

Word of caution: do not pay for scholarships or scholarship searches! There is no such thing as a guaranteed scholarship!

**ALWAYS PUT YOUR BEST EFFORT INTO EACH APPLICATION.
BE NEAT AND ORGANIZED. WATCH DEADLINES!**

Consult the MCPS College/Career Center website at www.mcps.k12.md.us/curriculum/careercenter for links to financial aid information and scholarship databases. You can also search for further scholarship and financial aid information at the following FREE websites:

Fastweb

www.fastweb.com

Every student should register for this scholarship search site. You personalize a profile and are notified, by email, when potential scholarships match your criteria.

Finaid

www.FinAid.org

Every student should register for this scholarship search site. You personalize a profile and are notified by email, when potential scholarships match your criteria.

Federal Student Aid Scholarship Search

<https://studentaid2.ed.gov/getmoney/scholarship/v3browse.asp>

Type in a key word(s) for the category of scholarship you are seeking such as: music, law enforcement, biology, community service, etc.

<http://advocacy-net.com/scholarmks.htm>

Scholarships on the net (1,500)

www.aicpa.org/members/div/career/mini/diversity_scholarships.htm

Accounting Diversity Scholarships

<http://www.aicpa.org/members/div/career/mini/jlcs.htm>

John L. Carey Accounting Scholarship

www.akaef.org/

Alpha Kappa Alpha Scholarships

www.allstudentloan.org

<http://www.rotary.org/en/StudentsAndYouth/EducationalPrograms/AmbassadorialScholarships/Pages/ridefault.aspx>

Ambassadorial Scholarships

www.apa.org/students/funding.html

American Psychological Association Scholarships/Fellowships

www.cns.gov/

Americorps

www.anycollege.com

Student scholarships are given away randomly. Click on the “Win a scholarship” link.

www.xensei.com/users/adl/

Art, Film, Writing Scholarships/Competitions List

<http://www.astronautscholarship.org/>

Astronaut Scholarship Foundation

<http://Scholarships-ar-us.org/athletic.htm>

Athletic Scholarships

<http://www.aynrand.org/contests/>

Ayn Rand Essay Scholarships

<http://www.back2college.com/>

Aid & Resources for re-entry students

http://www.free-4u.com/baptist_scholarships.htm

Baptist Scholarships

www.blackexcel.org/

Black Excel

<http://www.blackexcel.org/25scholarships.htm>

25 Scholarship Gateways From Black Excel

www.BlackStudents.com

Scholarships, internships and jobs are emailed to you weekly.

www.boeing.com/educationrelations/scholarships/

Boeing Scholarships (some HBCU connects)

www.BrokeScholar.com

Free database with billions in scholarship money.

<http://www.centrsb.org/>

Central Scholarship Bureau is a nonprofit organization founded in 1924 with the mission of providing grants, scholarships, and interest-free loans for postsecondary education.

www.CollegeAnswer.com/scholarships

Begin to understand the loan process and get advice and tools to help you pay for college. Every student who registers is automatically entered to win a \$1,000 scholarship courtesy of Sallie Mae.

http://apps.collegeboard.com/cbsearch_ss/welcome.jsp

This is CollegeBoard's scholarship search section.

www.collegedata.com

Get college admission help and search for colleges and scholarships.

www.collegenet.com

Get information on financial aid and search for scholarships.

http://www.college-scholarships.com/free_scholarship_searches.htm

Free Scholarship Searches

<http://dfbst.dlhjr.com>

Development Fund for Blacks in Science Scholarship

www.discoverfinancial.com/data/philanthropy/tribute.shtml

Discover Card Tribute Award Scholarships

<http://www.studentjobs.gov/e-scholar.asp>

e-Scholar - Scholarship programs through the federal government for students who have demonstrated high academic achievement and the desire to further their education in a field of study.

<http://esperanzafund.org/mission.htm>

This organization provides undocumented youth the opportunity to compete for scholarships.

www.eStudentLoan.com

Compare student loans and apply online.

<http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>

FAFSA on the Web

This is the FREE federal government website on filing the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) that every senior should do after January 1, 2010.

<http://www.fedmoney.org/>

Federal Scholarships and Aid Gateways

<http://www.gmsp.org/>

Gates Millennium Scholarships

www.students.gov

Gateway to U.S. Government Grants/Money

www.gocollege.com

Student's reference to finding money and getting the most out of college education

<http://www.guaranteed-scholarships.com/>

Guaranteed Scholarships

www.truman.gov/

The Harry S. Truman Scholarship Site

www.hispanicfund.org

The Hispanic Scholarship Fund

<http://www.hbcu.com>

Historically Black Colleges and Universities

<http://www.inroads.org/>

Inroads Internships

<http://www.societyforscience.org/sts/>

Intel Science Talent Search

www.iefa.org/

International Students Scholarships & Aid Help

<http://www.invent.org/collegiate/>

Student Inventors Scholarships

www.jackierobinson.org/

Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarships

<http://www.jackituckfield.org/>

Jacki Tuckfield Memorial Graduate Business Scholarship (For AA in South Florida)

<http://www.latinocollegedollars.org/>

Scholarships for Latino students

<http://www.lulac.org/programs/scholar.html>

LULAC and GE Scholarship Funds

www.maldef.org/leadership/scholarships

The Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund offers a list of scholarships regardless of residency status.

www.marine-scholars.org/

Marine Corps Scholarships

www.maef.org/

Maryland Artists Scholarships

<http://www.mhec.state.md.us/financialAid/descriptions.asp>

Maryland Higher Education Commission Scholarship Search - This search will help you determine State financial assistance programs for which you may be eligible. The State of Maryland offers legislative scholarships, merit and career based scholarships, and need-based grants. Some scholarships require that you know your legislative district. Check the following link to find your legislative district.

<http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/content/elections/EnterStreet.cfm>

www.meritaid.com

A comprehensive directory of merit scholarships and academic scholarships from colleges across the country.

http://www.free-4u.com/methodist_scholarships.htm

Methodist Scholarships

<http://www.microsoft.com/about/diversity/programs/dac/bam/scholarships.aspx>

Blacks at Microsoft Scholarship Program

<http://www.nacme.org/scholarships/>

NACME Scholarship Program

www.nelliemae.org

Student loans

http://edu.nursinglink.com/articles/74-10_reason_nurse

NursingLink Scholarship Search - Nurses are in great demand and will be in even more demand by 2020. Search for schools and scholarships on this one site.

www.petersons.com

The Peterson Education and Career Center covers everything from financial aid to admissions tests.

www.princetonreview.com/college/finance

<http://www.rhodesscholar.org/>

Rhodes Scholarships at Oxford

www.ronbrown.org

Ron Brown Scholar Program (Major Scholarships)

<http://www.roothbertfund.org/scholarships.php>

The Roothbert Scholarship Fund

www.salliemae.com

www.scholarshiphelp.org

www.scholarship-page.com

www.scholarships.com/plan/freemoney/index.html

Sallie Mae's free online scholarship database

www.scholarshipsforhispanics.com

Scholarships are available for all students of Hispanic descent, not just U.S. citizens. You must submit a profile first.

<http://www.scholarships4students.com/>

Search for scholarships by major, by ethnicity, or for high school students.

<http://scholarships.kachinatech.com/scholars.html>

National Scholarships at all levels

<http://www.schoolsoup.com/>

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<http://www.cse.emory.edu/sciencenet/undergrad/scholarships.html>

Sciencenet Scholarship Listing

<http://www.siemens-foundation.org/en/>

Siemens Westinghouse Competition

<http://www.sit.edu/studyabroad/>

HBCU Packard SIT Abroad Scholarships (for international study)

www.statefarm.com/foundati/hispanic.htm

State Farm Insurance Hispanic Scholarships

http://studentaid.ed.gov/students/publications/student_guide/index.html

The Student Guide for Federal Student Aid.

www.thurgoodmarshallfund.org/

Thurgood Marshall Scholarship Fund

<http://scholarship.tylenol.com/>

Tylenol Scholarships

www.uncf.org

Many of these scholarships are administered by the United Negro College Fund.

<http://www.uncf.org/merck/program.htm>

United Negro College Fund Merck Science Initiative

<http://www.usda.gov/da/employ/intern.htm>

United States Department of Agriculture Scholarships

<http://www.usip.org/ed/npec/index.html>

United States Institute of Peace National Peace Essay Contest

www.usnews.com/usnews/edu/dollars/dshome.htm

Learn how colleges calculate aid packages, how to negotiate a better offer, and how to pay for college.

<http://www.finaid.org/scholarships/unusual.phtml>

Unusual Scholarships - A compilation of interesting, esoteric and unusual scholarships such as the Left-handed Scholarship, scholarships for twins, etc.

http://www.apsanet.org/content_11389.cfm

William Randolph Hearst Endowed Scholarship for Minorities

