

Freshman Scholarship Listing – May 2020

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TITLE	GRADE LEVEL	ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	AWARD AMOUNT	APPLICATION OR CONTACT INFORMATION:	DUE DATE
"Fifth Month" Scholarship	13 yrs. and older	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be a U.S. citizen or legal residents Be currently enrolled (or enroll no later than the fall of 2026) in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education Essay: "May is the fifth month of the year. Write a letter to the number five explaining why five is important. Be serious or be funny. Either way, here's a high five to you for being original." (250 words or less) 	\$1,500	To apply: https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/fifth-month-scholarship .	5/31/2020
Letters About Literature Writing Competition	4 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Write a personal letter to an author, living or dead, from any genre--fiction, nonfiction, or poetry, contemporary or classic--explaining how that author's work changed the student's way of thinking about the world or themselves. There are three competition levels: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Level I for grades 4 - 6; Level II for grades 7 - 8, Level III for grades 9 - 12 	\$200- \$1,000	To apply: http://www.read.gov/documents/LAL_2018-19_OfficialRules.pdf . Mailing address: P.O. Box 5308, Woodbridge, VA 22194 programdirector@lettersaboutliterature.org	6/1/2020
The OppU Achievers Scholarship	9 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be enrolled full-time in a high school or at least part-time in college, graduate, professional, or trade school. Minimum 3.0 GPA on a 4.0-point scale The OppU Achievers Scholarship celebrates achievement in its many forms and honors those who create an opportunity for themselves and others. Scholarship decisions are based solely on an applicant's essay response. 	\$2500 - \$10,000 Awarded four times a year	To apply: https://www.opploans.com/oppu/scholarship/	6/30/2020
Gen and Kelly Tanabe Scholarship New!	9 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legal residents of the United States Students may study any major 	\$1,000	For more information, visit: http://www.genkellyscholarship.com/ Gen and Kelly Student Scholarship 2713 Newlands Ave. Belmont, CA 94002	7/31/2020
Course Hero Monthly Scholarship	9 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident who is a high school or college student. Must respond to the monthly question posted on the scholarship website. 	Up to \$5000	To apply: https://www.coursehero.com/scholarships/	Monthly
The DO Something Awards	Up to 25 yrs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be a citizen of the U.S. or Canada No essay required must enter a campaign at www.dosomething.org 	Up to \$100,000	To apply: www.dosomething.org .	Rolling basis
Chegg \$1000 Monthly Scholarship	9 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicants must be residents of the 50 United States and the District of Columbia At least 16 years of age Currently enrolled in high school or an accredited college or university in the United States, as listed on the U.S. Department of Education website and registered Chegg users who have filled out the entry form found on their website 	\$1000	To apply: https://www.chegg.com/scholarships/ .	Monthly

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American Legion Oratorical Contest	9 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a US citizen or legal permanent resident • Must be bona fide students herein described as any student under the age of 20 years on the date of the national contest who is presently enrolled in a high school or junior high school • Students must be enrolled in high school or junior high school during the participation at any level of The American Legion National High School Oratorical Contest. • Contestants must either be legally domiciled within or attend an educational institution within the department of the competition • Contestants can enter completion through only one department • High school students who graduate early during the school year are eligible to compete if they are not enrolled in a college, university, trade school or other institution of higher learning at the time of the department finals contest. 	\$1,500 - \$18,000	To apply: http://www.legion.org/oratorical/topics . Questions? Contact oratorical@legion.org .	Monthly

Additional Resources:

General information about paying for college:

College for Texans www.collegefortexans.com
 College Board www.collegeboard.com
 Embark www.embark.com

Scholarship databases:

College Net www.collegenet.com
 Fastweb www.fastweb.com
 Free Scholarship Search www.freshinfo.com
 Wired Scholar www.wiredscholar.com
 Scholarship Search www.college-scholarships.com

Free College Scholarships and
 Financial Aid Information
 University HQ
 USA Funds

www.scholarships.com
www.universityhq.org/paying-for-college/scholarships/#k12
www.educationvalue.org/

Individual Scholarship Websites:

Accounting Scholarship www.aicpa.org
 Ambassadorial www.rotary.org
 American Geological Institute www.americangeosciences.org/scholarships/
 Communities Foundation of Texas www.cftexas.org/scholarships
 Geoscience Scholarship www.agiweb.org
 American Institute of Architects www.archfoundation.org

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American Psychological Association	www.apa.org
American Society for Microbiology	www.asm.org
AmeriCorps	www.nationalservice.gov
United Negro College Fund	www.uncf.org
Discover Card Tribute Award	www.aasa.org
Elks National Foundation	www.elks.org/enf/scholars/ourscholarships.cfm
Federal Scholarship & Aid Gateway	www.studentaid.ed.gov/sa/
FinAid	www.finaid.org
Gateway to 10 Free Scholarships	www.college-scholarships.com
Gateways to US Government Grants	www.grants.gov
Holocaust Remembrance	www.holocaust.hklaw.com
Imagine	www.imagine-america.org
International Education Financial Aid	www.iefaf.org
International Students	www.internationalstudents.com
NACME Scholarship Program	www.nacme.org
National Alliance for Excellence	www.nays.org/awards/excellence-awards/
Presidential Freedom	www.nationalservice.org
Rhodes Scholarships at Oxford	www.rhodesscholar.org
Ronald McDonald House Charities	www.rmhc.org
Sallie Mae's Free Online	www.salliemae.com
National Federation of Paralegal Associations	www.paralegals.org
Siemens Westinghouse Competition	www.siemens-foundation.org
Student Inventors	www.invent.org
The Harry S. Truman Scholarship	www.truman.gov
United States Institute of Peace	www.usip.org
William Randolph Hearst Endowed	www.apsanet.org

Scholarships for women:

AAUW	www.aauw.org
Zonta International	www.zonta.org

Scholarships for minorities:

Gates Millennium Scholarship	www.gmsp.org
GE and LuLac	www.lulac.org
Hispanic College Fund	www.hispanicfund.org
Hispanic Scholarship Fund	www.hsf.net
Hispanic Scholarship Guide	www.hispanicscholarship.com
Jackie Robinson Foundation	www.jackierobinson.org
Minority Health Program	www.ahcpr.gov
Ron Brown Scholarship	www.ronbrown.org
Thurgood Marshall Scholarship Fund	www.thurgoodmarshallfund.org
United Negro College Fund	www.uncf.org

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Scholarship for children of military personnel:

AFCEA International	www.afcea.org/awards/scholarships.htm
Air Force Aid Society	www.afas.org
American Legion	www.legion.org
Army Emergency Relief	www.aerhq.org
Fisher House	www.fisherhouse.org
Marine Corps Scholarships	www.mcsf.scholarshipapps.org/index.cfm
Military Page	www.military.com
Navy Marine Corps Relief	www.nmcrs.org
ROTC Scholarship	www.todaysmilitary.com