

## Scholarship Update For Fortuna High Seniors - 8/26/19

### Internet web sites with free scholarship searches:

[www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)  
[www.finaid.org](http://www.finaid.org)  
[www.humboldt.edu/~finaid](http://www.humboldt.edu/~finaid)  
[www.californiacolleges.edu](http://www.californiacolleges.edu)  
[www.maldef.org](http://www.maldef.org) (for students with no social security numbers)

Check out the web sites of schools that you are serious about attending. They often list available scholarships. For instance, HSU lists over 500 scholarships in a searchable database. The college you choose to attend is a great source for information on scholarships that you have a good chance of receiving.

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**Scholarship:** AXA Achievement Scholarship

**Sponsor:** AXA

**Award:** \$10,000 +

**Eligibility:** Open to US Citizens and legal residents. Must demonstrate ambition and drive, determination to reach goals, have respect for self, family & community. Only the first 10,000 applications will be considered for this national scholarship so apply early.

**For Information and Applications:** <https://us.axa.com/axa-foundation/about.html>

**Deadline:** Dec. 15, 2019

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**Scholarship:** Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE)

**Sponsor:** Western Interstate Commission for Higher Ed

**Award:** Tuition reduction to 150% of in-state tuition + fees

**Eligibility:** Plan to attend a participating WUE university or college. There are over 150 across the western US - use the link below to see which schools participate. Then apply directly to the school you want to attend.

**For Information and Applications:** <http://www.wiche.edu/wue>

**Deadline:** varies by school

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**Scholarship:** Native Sons of the Golden West

**Sponsor:** Native Sons of the Golden West - Grand Parlor

**Award:** \$1000 - \$2000 academic, \$1200 vocational

**Eligibility:** Minimum GPA 2.5, leadership, and personal development. **Must be a relative of a Native Son of the Golden West or a Native Son. To apply, call or write the Grand Secretary's Office at 414 Mason Street, San Francisco CA 94102, or [nsgwgp@pac-bell.net](mailto:nsgwgp@pac-bell.net), or 800-337-1875**

**For Information and Applications:** <http://nsgw.org/scholarship-program/>

**Deadline:** Oct. 10, 2019

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**Scholarship:** Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation National Scholarship

**Sponsor:** Coca - Cola

**Award:** \$10,000 - \$20,000

**Eligibility:** Excellence in academics and extracurricular activities. Looking for outstanding leadership, community involvement, character and commitment to ideals, persistence in overcoming obstacles, special talent and skills. GPA of 3.0. Must be US citizen or legal resident and not have a family member who is an employee of Coca Cola.

**For Information and Applications:** <https://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/apply/>

**Deadline:** Oct. 31, 2019

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**Scholarship: Horatio Alger National Scholarship**

**Sponsor: Horatio Alger Association**

**Award: \$25,000**

**Eligibility:** US Citizen, financial need, plan to earn a bachelor's degree, involved in school and community activities, display integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity, 2.0 GPA or higher.

**For Information and Applications:** <https://scholars.horatioalger.org/scholarships/>

**Deadline: October 25, 2019**

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**Scholarship: Sullivan Leadership Award Scholarship Award**

**Sponsor: Seattle University**

**Award: Full scholarship for 4 years**

**Eligibility:** Plan to attend Seattle University. Looking for leadership, good grades, SAT scores, extracurricular activities. Need GPA of 3.5 or better; essay required. The deadline below is for both the scholarship and your application to Seattle University.

**For Information and Applications:** [www.seattleu.edu/sullivan](http://www.seattleu.edu/sullivan)

**Deadline: Nov. 15, 2019**

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**Scholarship: Questbridge Scholars Program**

**Sponsor: Questbridge - National College Match Program**

**Award: Full cost of tuition (up to \$40,000 per year) Full cost of room and board (up to \$15,000)**

**Eligibility:** High achieving, low income students who plan to attend a 4 year university somewhere in the United States. Questbridge matches students with prestigious colleges and offers scholarships to the students. College partners include, but not limited to: Princeton, Yale, Columbia, U Penn, Oberlin, Amherst, U of Chicago, MIT, Stanford, Parsons School of Design.

**For Information and Applications:** [www.questbridge.org](http://www.questbridge.org)

**Deadline: Sept 26, 2019**

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**Scholarship: Stokes Educational Scholarship**

**Sponsor: NSA**

**Award: Tuition/fees up to \$30,000/year AND salary and benefits. Summer Internship placement with**

**Eligibility:** Must major in computer science or computer/electrical engineering. Must be a U.S. citizen, pass a security clearance, min. SAT score of 1200 or ACT of 25, demonstrate leadership, prefer GPA of 3.0 or higher. You must work for the NSA for 6 years after graduating or you must reimburse them for your tuition.

**For Information and Applications:** <https://www.intelligencecareers.gov/icstudents.html>

**Deadline: Oct. 31 2019**

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**Scholarship: Prudential Spirit of Community Awards**

**Sponsor: National Assn of Secondary School Principals**

**Award: up to \$5,000**

**Eligibility:** You must be a legal resident of the U.S and have volunteered somewhere within the last year.

**For Information and Applications:** <https://spirit.prudential.com/>

**Deadline: November 5, 2019**

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**Scholarship:** U.S. Bank Scholarship Sweepstakes

**Sponsor:** U.S. Bank

**Award:** up to \$20,000

**Eligibility:** Fill out the online application and complete their 9 online financial education lessons. Winners are selected at random from everyone who completes lessons by Oct 25th.

**For Information and Applications:** [usbank.com/scholarship](http://usbank.com/scholarship)

**Deadline:** October 25, 2019

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**Scholarship:** Young Arts Scholarship Program

**Sponsor:** National Young Arts Foundation

**Award:** awards up to \$10,000

**Eligibility:** Looking for talented artists in the fields of cinematic arts, dance, design arts, music, photography, theater, visual arts, voice and writing to apply for a \$10,000 scholarship and opportunities to study with renowned artists in your field. You may also be nominated as a Presidential Scholar in the Arts. Must be a US citizen or permanent resident.

**For Information and Applications:** [youngarts.org/apply](http://youngarts.org/apply)

**Deadline:** Oct. 11, 2019

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**Scholarship:** Illustrators of the Future Scholarship

**Sponsor:** L. Ron Hubbard's Writers of the Future

**Award:** \$500 & \$5000

**Eligibility:**

- Open to all students. Citizenship, age, and GPA are NOT considered.
- Submit 3 original illustrations with a sci-fi or fantasy theme.
- 3 winners chosen each quarter for \$500 and an invitation to compete for the \$5000 yearly grand prize.
- Grand prize requires drawing an original illustration for a story they provide.

**For Information and Applications:** <https://www.writersofthefuture.com/enter-the-illustrator-contest/>

**Deadline:** quarterly - next one is Sept. 30

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**Scholarship:** Writers of the Future

**Sponsor:** L. Ron Hubbard Writers of the Future

**Award:** \$500, \$750, \$1000, & \$5000

**Eligibility:**

- Open to all students. Citizenship, age, and GPA are NOT considered.
- Submit 1 prose manuscript up to 17,000 words with a sci-fi or fantasy theme.
- 3 winners chosen each quarter for \$500 - \$1000 awards, and winners from the whole year compete for the \$5000 grand prize.
- Applicants maintain all publication rights of their work.

**For Information and Applications:** <https://www.writersofthefuture.com/enter-writer-contest/>

**Deadline:** quarterly - next one is Sept 30th

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**Scholarship: Horatio Alger State Scholarship**

**Sponsor: Horatio Alger Association**

**Award: \$10,000**

**Eligibility:** High school senior planning to complete a bachelor's degree in college. Open to students starting at 4-year schools and those starting at 2-year schools with plans to transfer. Demonstrated financial need, involved in community service and extracurricular activities, 2.0 GPA, US Citizen.

**For Information and Applications:** <https://scholars.horatioalger.org/about-our-scholarship-programs/state-scholarships/>

**Deadline: October 25, 2019**

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**Scholarship: DAR Scholarships**

**Sponsor: Daughters of the American Revolution**

**Award: up to \$5000**

**Eligibility:** Us Citizen, plan to attend college, academic excellence, commitment to field of study, financial need. DAR has several scholarships - some are general, some are specific to certain majors or ethnic backgrounds. The application will filter your information and tell you which of them you can apply to. Deadline is the same for all of them.

**For Information and Applications:** <https://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships>

**Deadline: Feb 15, 2020**

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