

## SCHOLARSHIP BULLETIN #1, 2019-2020 –FROM THE SPHS GUIDANCE OFFICE

### SCHOLARSHIP FOR ALL GRADE LEVELS, 9-12:

#### MISSION DOCTORS ASSOCIATION 2020 POPE FRANCIS SCHOLARSHIP

The Mission Doctors Association is offering a special scholarship for all students, grades 9-12 in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Participating students will submit an original essay, video, poster or artwork on one of three topics having to do with poverty. This is only open to Los Angeles Catholic High School students!

See details at this link: <https://www.missiondoctors.org/pope-francis-scholarship/>

<https://www.missiondoctors.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/2020-Pope-Francis-Scholarship-Flyer.pdf>. or visit the Guidance Office for a flyer and application.

The deadline is January 15, 2020.

### SCHOLARSHIPS FOR SENIOR STUDENTS ONLY:

#### APIA SCHOLARSHIP

The APIA Scholarship is open to Asian and Pacific Islander American students who'll be enrolling in a U.S. accredited college or university as a degree-seeking undergraduate student in the fall of 2020. This year's application opened on September 4, 2019, and closes on January 22, 2020. To learn more about the application process and minimum eligibility criteria, go to this link:

<https://apiascholars.org>

#### HOME THEORYS SCHOLARSHIP

HomeTheorys Scholarship offers a \$ 2,000 Scholarship for senior students who are interested in studying Art and/or interior design-- especially interior design students who'll be enrolling in a U.S. accredited college or university as a degree-seeking undergraduate student in the fall of 2020. The areas of interest considered are: 1) Interior Decorating 2) DIYs 3) Home design 4) Interior Design. The deadline is October 30, 2019, and requires an essay describing the student's creative ideas regarding artwork and design. For more information, go to this link, or visit the Guidance Office: <https://hometheorys.com/scholarship/>

#### STAY IN SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP

The LA Clippers Foundation is offering six \$4,000 "Stay in School" Scholarships to seniors planning to attend a four-year university in the Fall of 2020. These scholarships are only made available to students living in the greater Los Angeles area. Applicants will be reviewed using the following criteria: academic achievement, extracurricular activities, a letter of recommendation and the content of a student essay on the topic, "Why College is Important to Me."

Applications will be available online only starting in October 2019. Students who are interested in applying for this scholarship should pick up a request form in the Guidance Office. The form must be completed -->>

by the student and then scanned to [communityrelations@clippers.com](mailto:communityrelations@clippers.com). The organization will contact them by email with the application link.

### ELKS FOUNDATION, "MOST VALUABLE STUDENT" SCHOLARSHIP

The Elks Foundation "most Valuable Student" Scholarship is open to any graduating high School senior who is a U.S. citizen. The Elks National Foundation will award 500 four-year scholarships to the highest-rated applicants in the 2020 competition. Applications are judged on the basis of scholarship, leadership, and financial need. Applicants need not be related to a member of the Elks. The application is online and must be received by November 15, 2019. Click on this link to forward to the application website: <https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/MVS.cfm>

### BEVERAGE INDUSTRY SCHOLARSHIP

The Christermon Foundation is offering several scholarships ranging from \$3,000 to \$6,000 to graduating seniors who have a parent or grandparent employed with a company holding a valid California beverage alcohol license. This includes restaurants, retail and wholesale grocery establishments, convenience stores, airlines, etc. Students must plan to attend a four-year university. See the scholarship link at: [www.christermon.com](http://www.christermon.com). Flyer is also available in the Guidance Office.

### THE MILKEN SCHOLARS PROGRAM/SCHOLARSHIPS

The Milken Scholars Program offers qualifying students monetary scholarships throughout four years of college, ongoing academic and career counseling, and assistance with career-related experiences through internships. In order to qualify, a senior must meet the following criteria:

- Minimum unweighted academic GPA of 3.6
- Minimum composite SAT score of 1350 or ACT 29+
- Active participation in community service
- A record of leadership
- Financial or other obstacles
- US Citizenship, Permanent Residency, or Student Visa
- Admission to a four-year college or university prior to final selection

Any SPHS senior who meets the above criteria and wishes to be nominated for the scholarship should see Mrs. Dickan by Friday, November 8, 2019 More info on the Milken Scholars Program and the selection process can be found at [www.milkenscholars.org](http://www.milkenscholars.org).

### FACEBOOK ALERT!--PARENTS AND STUDENTS OF ALL HIGH SCHOOL LEVELS:

Check out and "Like" this Facebook page for scholarship opportunities sent directly to your Facebook account: <https://www.facebook.com/myscholarships/> You will be amazed at the scholarships available!

