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# SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID

## COMMUNITY COLLEGE – FOUR YEAR COLLEGES – TRADE & TECHNICAL SCHOOLS

The Career Center staff helps students pursue scholarships and distributes applications for financial aid. Scholarships are funded by various donors, businesses, and organizations. Awards range from \$100 to \$10,000 or more. Although there are some scholarship opportunities available to freshmen, sophomores and juniors, the majority of the applications apply only to seniors. To plan ahead, students of all grade levels need to be aware of these scholarship facts:

1. **Scholarships are not granted automatically; the student must work, search, and apply for them.**
  - One of the best local sources is the “Scholarship Weekly” published by the Career Center every week throughout the school year and distributed to all teachers and counselors. This same information can be found on the RHS web page under Career Center and Scholarships.
  - Another source is the Financial Aid Sort available via Career Information System on computers in the Career Center.
  - The Internet is another fast growing source of scholarship information. See page 3 for a list of helpful websites.
2. **A student-athlete** entering college must meet specific NCAA academic requirements to be eligible for financial aid awarded by a Division I or II college to practice and compete on an intercollegiate Division I or II team during the first year of attendance. Go to [www.eligibilitycenter.org](http://www.eligibilitycenter.org) for more information
3. **An appointment to a military academy** such as the U.S. Air Force Academy is considered to be a \$250,000+ scholarship. Further information is available at College Night, the Fall College Fair, through the Career Center and military recruiting offices. These are the academy admission deadlines:

### **Sophomore or Junior Year**

- Contact an academy representative. An early contact with the academy representative may help in developing plans to meet all the requirements.

### **Junior Year**

- Apply for a nomination through your Congressman.
- Take the SAT Reasoning Test and/or ACT examination in June.

### **Senior Year (Fall)**

- Take medical and physical aptitude tests as directed.

### **June**

- Graduate from high school

### **July**

- Enter academy

4. **The Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC)** offers competitive scholarships including complete tuition, fees, books, and a subsistence allowance. The value may exceed \$100,000 at some private colleges. Many public and private colleges throughout the country provide ROTC programs including OSU, U of O, University of Portland, Stanford, Harvard, the UC system and the California State system.
5. **Juniors** scoring in the top ½ percent of the PSAT (Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test) in October will automatically be placed in competition for **National Merit Scholarships**. Juniors must register for the PSAT in the Career Center as soon as school opens in the fall. The test is only offered once a year.
6. Grants and/or low interest loans may be used to meet the costs of many trade and technical schools as well as the cost of community colleges and four-year colleges when there is a financial need. The lower the family income (as reported by IRS) and the higher the cost of the education, the greater the financial need.

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7. The first step in financial aid is the application during senior year for state and federal grants. Even if an academic or athletic scholarship is a possibility, colleges expect qualified students to make application for these grants during **January** of the senior year. The **FAFSA** (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) and worksheets to help families complete the FAFSA are available at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov).
8. Some colleges can do a need analysis during the **fall semester** of senior year by having families complete the **PROFILE** form. These are available in September in the Career Center.
9. The following chart shows a simplified version of how financial aid packages are determined.

Cost of Attendance – EFC = Financial Need

	School A	School B	School C
Cost of Attendance	\$25,000	\$13,000	\$5,000
Expected Family Contribution (EFC)	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
<b>Financial Need</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>	<b>\$8,000</b>	<b>\$0</b>

Institutions will offer financial aid packages made up of possible grants, work/study, and loans based on financial need indicated above.

10. College financial aid offices deal with private scholarships differently. *Ex:* If you receive a \$500 Booster Club Scholarship, some schools will deduct this amount from the **loan** portion of your package, others will deduct it from a **grant**. Ask your prospective schools before you make your final college choice.
11. The two most common factors considered in granting scholarships are academic ability (GPA, SAT/ACT scores, class rank, and coursework), and character (activities, personality, and recommendations). Another factor may be financial need. Students do **NOT** necessarily need to have an “A” grade point average to apply. Many scholarships go to students with “B” averages.
12. Earning a bachelors degree in three years instead of the traditional four years may reduce college costs. Students may earn college credits in high school by dual enrollment at Roseburg High School and Umpqua Community College. Another option is to receive credit by taking Advanced Placement (AP) courses and achieving a certain score on the exams given in May of each high school year. Some schools also offer three-year degree programs that may include summer classes.
13. Beware of scholarship scams. You may receive letters indicating that you have been “selected” for a “free” consultation/meeting for scholarship or financial aid assistance. They may schedule this meeting at an out-of-town location. Any further information you may need after the initial “free” meeting will cost you financially. **There is no need to pay for scholarship/financial aid help when there is excellent FREE help available elsewhere. WHEN IN DOUBT, CALL THE CAREER CENTER!!**

# USEFUL WEB SITES

To supplement the information you may receive from your counselor, the Career Center or from college representatives directly, the Internet has a wealth of information to assist students and parents with college selection and the financial aid process.

## [www.roseburg.k12.or.us/rhs](http://www.roseburg.k12.or.us/rhs)

This is the Roseburg High School Home Page. You can find frequently updated information on current scholarships available and dates of planned visits to the Roseburg High School campus by college representatives. Available part-time jobs will be posted here as well as a list of important dates of college/scholarship/financial aid related events. Click on the **Career Center** link.

## [www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org)

A tremendous “one stop shop” for a variety of helpful information: online SAT registration, test dates, CSS Profile form, a college search program, AP exam preparation, SAT practice questions, estimating what a family’s EFC (Expected Family Contribution) might be, apply online to colleges.

## [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)

The FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) can be filed online plus helpful instructions for filling out the form.

## [www.finaid.org](http://www.finaid.org)

Lots of information on scholarships and financial aid. Do a sample “need analysis” to find what your EFC (Expected Family Contribution) might be.

## [www.oregonstudentaid.gov](http://www.oregonstudentaid.gov)

Fill out and submit the the Oregon Student Access Commission scholarship application (includes the Ford Scholar Program), and link with several other free sources of scholarship information.

## [www.act.org](http://www.act.org)

Another “one stop shop” for a variety of helpful information: online ACT registration, test dates, applying to colleges online, a college search program, financial need estimator, link to virtual college tours, ACT test taking tips and practice test questions.

## [www.gocollege.com](http://www.gocollege.com)

Another “one stop shopping” site. Do a college search. Link to scholarship search sites. Free SAT practice.

## [www.number2.com](http://www.number2.com)

A great site for free practice for the SAT/PSAT as well as vocabulary expanding exercises. Free practice for the GRE (Graduate School Exam).

## [www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)

Do a free scholarship search. Do a free college search. Get tips on careers, financial aid and the college application process. Download applications for more than 700 colleges.

## [www.wiredscholar.com](http://www.wiredscholar.com)

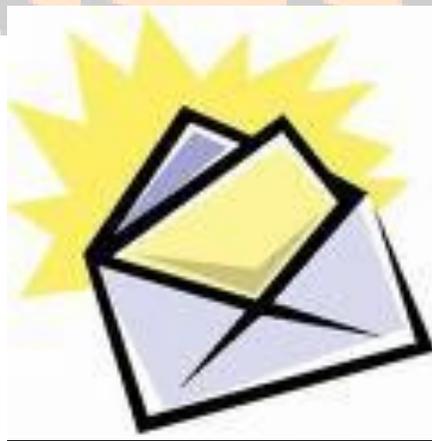
This comprehensive site reveals tips and strategies to effectively apply and get accepted to college.

## [www.princetonreview.com](http://www.princetonreview.com)

The Princeton Review site has a fun feature called Counselor-O-Matic which rates your chances of getting into a specific school.

# LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

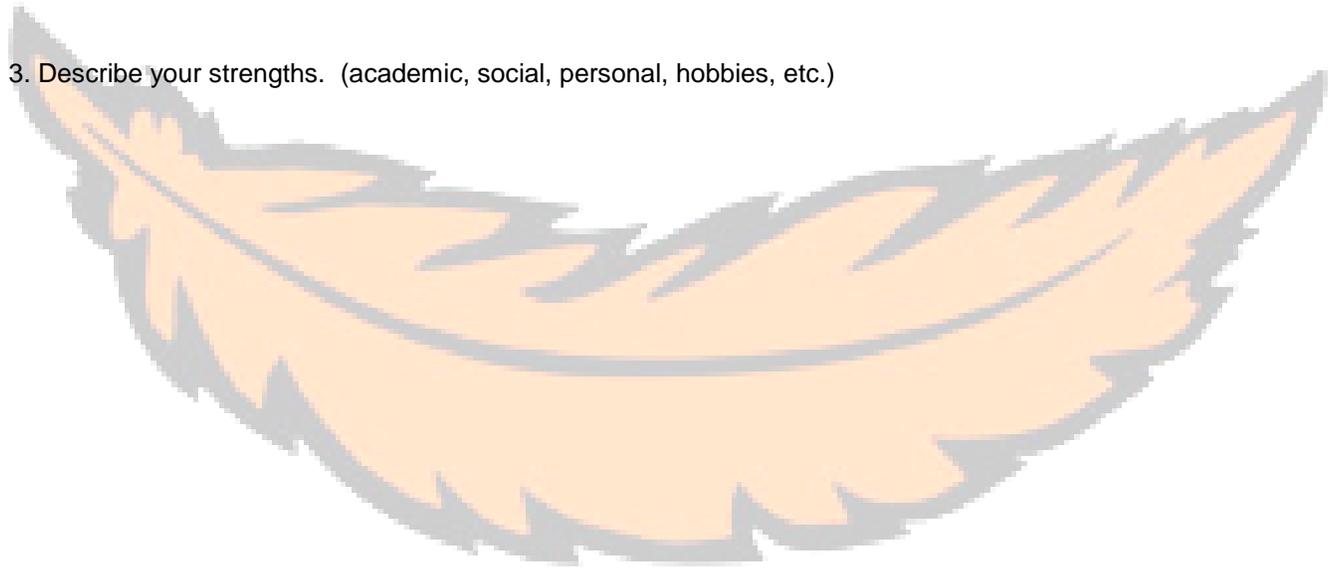
- Letters of recommendation are absolutely crucial in the college admission, scholarship application process. Some employers also request them.
- Colleges already know the student's GPA and test scores from transcripts submitted. They are looking for personal insights about the student, the special characteristics that set the applicant apart from others, qualities that a transcript does not reflect. Teachers, counselors, coaches or club advisors who know the student VERY WELL are the best sources of effective letters.
- Request letters from a variety of teachers and coaches. This will better demonstrate a balance of interests and your strengths in several areas, not just one subject. The most selective colleges will want to see letters written by teachers of your college prep classes (foreign language, AP/CC classes, etc.) who have witnessed your academic strengths. Do not include letters written by family members or peers.
- Request letters ***at least two weeks in advance of the date needed***. **Not only is this a courtesy** to the very busy people often asked, but it avoids the stress of rushing at the last minute or not being able to write it at all. Remember, the most successful letters are ones where the writer is able to take the time to make the letter unique as opposed to the "cookie cutter" letter that sounds like all the others.
- **If the letter is to be mailed**, be sure to give the writer an addressed, stamped envelope.
- To help the people you will ask to write the best possible letter of recommendation for you, supply them with the following documents: ***Request for Recommendation, Parent Brag Sheet, and a Self Evaluation*** found on the following three pages. These forms are on the next three pages. You may also pick-up copies of these forms in the Career Center.





2. List the two or three extra-curricular activities which you have found to be the most meaningful. Explain why each has been important to you.

3. Describe your strengths. (academic, social, personal, hobbies, etc.)



4. Explain a future goal. (educational, career, personal)

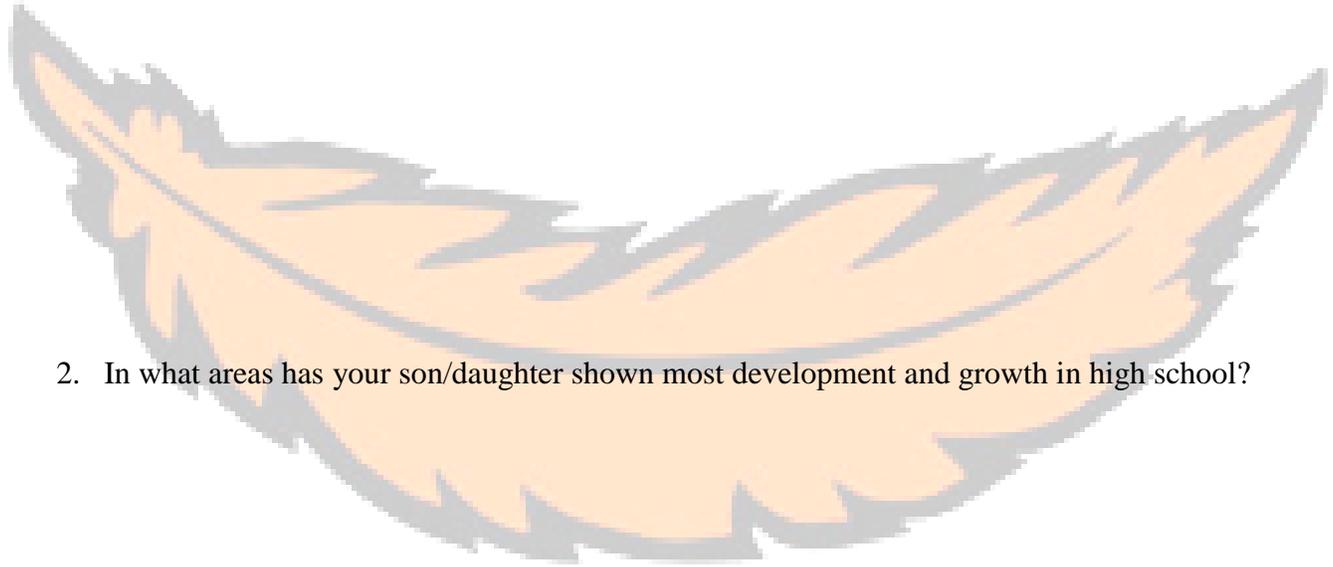
## ROSEBURG HIGH SCHOOL PARENT “BRAG” SHEET

Letters of recommendations can be an instrumental part of college admissions and scholarship selection processes. To help a teacher or counselor write the best possible letter for your son or daughter, please answer the following questions without input from your son or daughter. Please be as thorough as you can. If the space provided is not sufficient feel free to attach additional sheets.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Person completing this form: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1. What do you consider the outstanding accomplishment(s) of your son/daughter since his/her freshmen year of high school? What makes this/these accomplishments important in your mind?

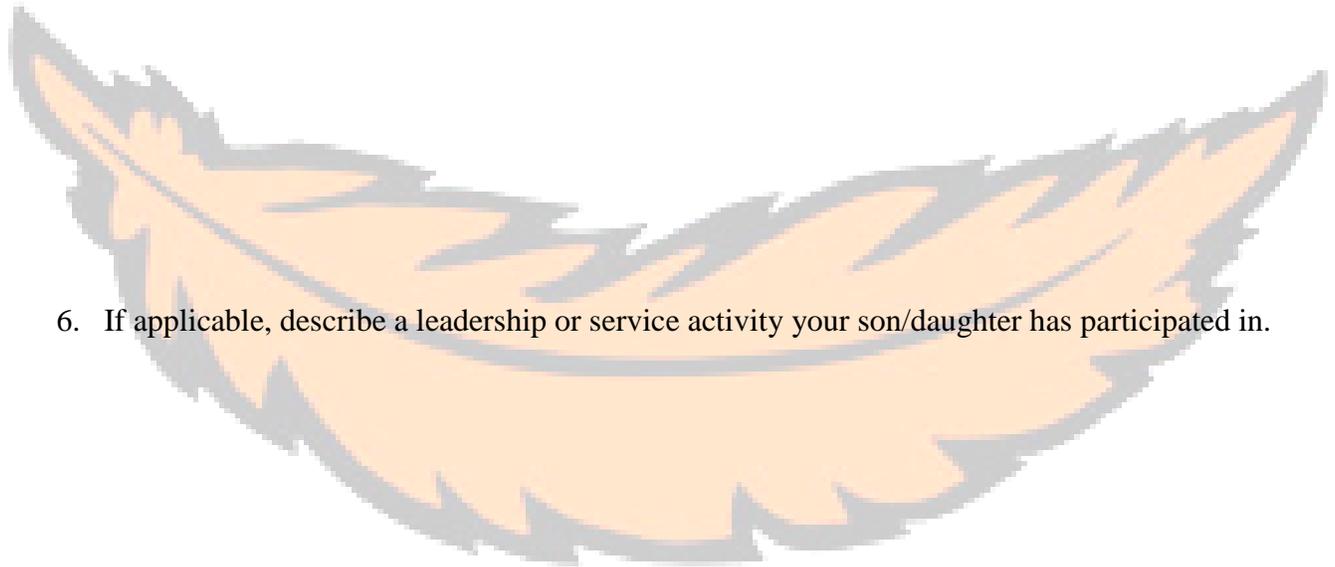


2. In what areas has your son/daughter shown most development and growth in high school?

3. In what ways has your child surprised you? Does he/she excel at something you never thought possible? Does he/she possess an extraordinary talent in something that they have been pursuing for many years? Are there “off the beaten path” interests in something academic or extracurricular? Are they collectors of anything? Give examples.

4. If you had to describe your son/daughter in three or four adjectives, what would they be? Give examples of why you choose those adjectives.

5. What do you feel is the most important thing an admissions or scholarship selection committee needs to know about your child?



6. If applicable, describe a leadership or service activity your son/daughter has participated in.

7. Has there been any meaningful school project(s) your child has completed? If yes, please describe.

Please return this sheet to the person writing the letter **two weeks** before the letter is needed.

## Self-Evaluation

The information you provide in this questionnaire can be of assistance to people you ask to write a letter of recommendation. Read the statements below carefully and rate yourself accordingly. Be honest and realistic! Include this document along with the "Request For Recommendation" and a "Parent Brag Sheet."

<b>Ratings</b>	Below Average	Average	Good	Excellent	Outstanding
Ability to organize and use time					
Self-confidence					
Desire to learn new things					
Willingness to take risks					
Ability to get along with others					
Willingness to work hard					
Imagination/creativity					
Ability to express self					
Sense of humor					
Concern for others					
Emotional maturity					
Reaction to setbacks					
Ability to understand new concepts					
Self-discipline					
Growth potential					
Leadership					
Energy					
Motivation					
Warmth of personality					
Personal initiative					

# **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION TIPS**

In many cases scholarship selection committees will only know what you tell them on an application. You want to give the committee the best impression. The tips below should help you do that.

1. Plan ahead!
2. Complete the application at least a day before the due date.
3. Do a rough draft.
4. **PROOF READ!** If you bring your application to the Career Center several days before the due date, we can read it over and make suggestions.
5. **DOUBLE CHECK** that you have **EVERYTHING** that is requested i.e. transcripts, letters of recommendations etc.
6. **WORD PROCESS FINAL COPY!!!** Most scholarship selection committees give preference to typed applications.
7. Make a title page.
8. Assemble, staple or paperclip or put in a folder, as directed..
9. Produce an application that looks as professional as possible.
10. If you receive a scholarship, a “Thank You” note is appropriate.

## **WRITING ESSAYS FOR SCHLARSHIPS**

### Before You Start

The way you choose to write reflects your power of persuasion and organization, style, and mastery of written English. Writing a good essay is critical to a successful scholarship application. Consider the following:

- Follow directions.
- Do not use decorative or colored paper.
- Neatness counts. Word process as much as possible.
- Do not use acronyms until you have used the entire title once, with the acronym in parentheses.

### Brainstorming Ideas

You want to stand out with your essay in a positive way. The following questions may help you search out personal qualities and experiences that can be used in essay topics:

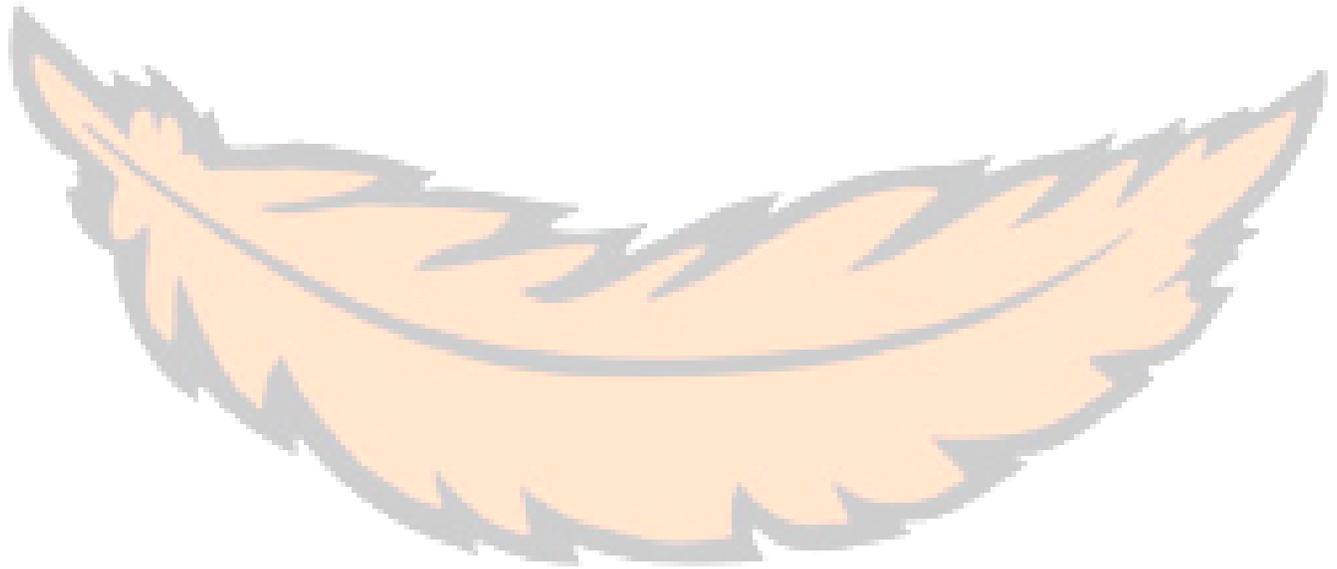
- In what ways are you unique?
- What are your leadership qualities?
- Do you take initiative?
- Are you a volunteer or helper?
- Have you received special recognition?
- What are your major accomplishments?
- Does any attribute, quality, skill distinguish you from everyone else?
- What was the most difficult time in your life and why? How did your perspective on life change as a result?
- Have you ever struggled for something and succeeded? What made you successful?
- How have your favorite books, movies, works of art etc. influenced your life?
- What are some of the words that people who know you in various capacities use to describe you?

# SCHOLARSHIP TIPS CON'T

## Writing The Essay

After you have brainstormed, begin writing with the following in mind:

- Can you keep the reader's interest from the first word? The essay must be interesting.
- Use an active voice.
- Use imagery and clear, vivid prose.
- Always remember – essays must have beginnings, middles, and endings – that is, an introductory sentence, some development of that concept, and a concluding sentence.
- REVISE, REVISE, REVISE
- Check and double-check grammar and spelling. Have someone proofread for you. Don't just depend on the spellchecker.



# Student Passwords

In the college process it is likely you will need to keep track of several different logins. It is highly recommended that you keep track of these so as to save time and frustration. Keep this information in a safe location where you will remember.

**ACT** – [www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org)

Username: \_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_

**Career Information System** – CIS - <https://oregoncis.uoregon.edu/Portal.aspx>

Username: \_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_

**Collegeboard** – SAT/PSAT – [www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org)

Username: \_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_

**Free Application For Federal Student Aid – FAFSA** - <https://fafsa.ed.gov/>

FSA ID - <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa/filling-out/fsaid>

Student FSA ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent FSA ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_

**Office of Student Access and Completion** – OSAC - <https://app.oregonstudentaid.gov/>

Username: \_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_

**Umpqua Community College** - <http://www.umpqua.edu/>

800# \_\_\_\_\_

Student Self Service – User ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Pin: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Email – [Your800#@student.umpqua.edu](mailto:Your800#@student.umpqua.edu) Password: \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarship Login – Username: \_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_

UCC Scholars Login – Username: \_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_

**Other:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Username: \_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_

## **SPECIAL NOTE**

*The following pages list scholarships that have been available annually through the Roseburg High School Career Center.*

*The availability and due dates indicated on these scholarships are approximate and may change.*

*This list will not reflect any new scholarships that may become available.*

*Please check the “Scholarship Weekly” flyer regularly posted in many classrooms and in the Career Center. Additionally, parents and students can check a current list of current scholarships posted on the RHS website, [www.roseburg.k12.or.us/rhs/careercenter.html](http://www.roseburg.k12.or.us/rhs/careercenter.html)*

*Note: Information on this page subject to change*

**Al Forthan Recovery Scholarship**

One \$4,000 scholarship and several awards of varying amounts to graduating Oregon high school seniors from addicted families. Selection criteria based on essays on submitted on drug and alcohol addiction, community service, and income barriers to your education.

Application Available: March

Due: April

**ACLU Youth Activist Scholarship**

15 high school seniors will receive a \$7,000 scholarship. Must have a passion for civil liberties demonstrated through participating in or leading activities that demonstrate this passion. Must be planning to enroll full-time at an accredited college or university.

Application available: October

Due: November

**Aid Association for Lutherans Scholarship**

1000 awards ranging from \$1,000 to \$8,000. Applicants must be AAL members, current seniors, take SAT or ACT by December, and enroll in either a vocational/technical school or any accredited college in the U.S.

Application available: September

Due: November

**Air Force ROTC**

Tuition and educational expenses covered for college years, plus a monthly allowance. Upon graduation from college, serve as an officer.

Application available: April of junior year

Due: December of senior year

**Al Forthan Recovery Scholarship**

One \$2,500 renewable scholarship and several awards of varying amounts to graduating Oregon high school seniors from addicted families. Selection criteria based on essays on submitted on drug and alcohol addiction, community service, and income barriers to your education. Go to

<http://forthanpdx.tumblr.com/scholarship>

Application available: December

Due: February

**Altrusa Scholarship**

One graduating senior in Douglas County will be awarded a \$2,500 scholarship to be used at the college of the recipient's choice. Selection will be based on neatness and completeness of application, GPA, SAT/ACT scores, goals, financial need, work experience, school and community involvement, personal statement and interview. Go to: <http://altrusa.org/Oregon/roseburg.html>.

Application available: October

Due: early January

**American Cancer Society Scholarship**

Up to \$2,500 renewable scholarship to students who are cancer survivors. Must plan on attending an accredited university, community college, or vocational technical school. Must have a 2.5 GPA. Pick-up application in the Career Center.

Application available: January

Due: February

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**American Indian Scholarships**

Scholarships for graduating high school students who are enrolled or a member of a federally recognized American Indian tribe or Alaska Native group. Must have a 3.25 GPA or higher. Selection based on leadership school and community activities. Application is online at [www.aigcs.org](http://www.aigcs.org)

Application available: March

Due: April

**American Legion– Department of Oregon Scholarship**

\$1,000 award for senior to attend any accredited post-high school institution. Must be a son or daughter of a veteran.

Application available: December

Due: March

**American Legion – National President’s Scholarship**

Awards ranging from \$1,000 to \$2,500 for seniors who are sons or daughters of veterans. Awards may be used at college of choice. Applicants must have completed at least 50 hours of volunteer service to be eligible.

Application available: December

Due: April

**American Legion – Nurses Training Scholarship**

Awards of \$1,500 for seniors who are sons or daughters of disabled veterans, and plan to pursue nurses training after graduation.

Application available: December

Due: June

**American Legion High School Oratorical Contest**

Earn up to \$18,000 for the college of your choice by making a speech presentation on an aspect of the United States Constitution. Competition begins at the local level during December. Application to compete must be completed and turned in by December 1. Applicants will then be notified as to when the competition will be held. Open to all students in grades 9-12. For more information go to: [www.legion.org](http://www.legion.org)

Application available: October

Due: December

**American Society of Safety Engineers Scholarship**

Scholarship will be awarded to graduating high school seniors who plan to pursue studies leading to a major in occupational safety, occupational health, environmental studies, fire science, public safety or human resource management. Go to: [www.asse.org](http://www.asse.org)

Application available: September

Due: December

**Ann C. Thornton Memorial Fund Scholarship**

Four \$1,000 awards for American Indian/Alaska Native students who plan to enroll in a college or university. Must be able to provide evidence of proof of ethnicity. Selection criteria will be based on GPA, financial need, extracurricular activities, community involvement, and motivation. Pick-up an application in the Career Center.

Application available: March

Due: May

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**Anne Wimberly – PEO Scholarship**

Award of \$1,800 to a graduating Roseburg High School senior girl. The award may be used at the school of the recipient's choice. Selection based on scholarship, character, seriousness of purpose, and financial need

Application available: January

Due: April

**ANTHEM Essay Contest**

250 cash awards of up to \$2,000. Open to 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> graders. Must write an essay on Ayn Rand's "Anthem." For more information go to: [www.aynrand.org/contests/](http://www.aynrand.org/contests/)

Application available: October

Due: March

**Army ROTC**

Tuition and educational expenses covered from college years, plus a monthly allowance. Upon graduation from college, serve as an officer.

Application available: April of junior year

Due: December of senior year

**The Art Institutes Passion for Fashion Scholarship**

For high school seniors that plan to attend an Art Institute and major in the Fashion Design or Fashion Marketing & Merchandising programs. Must submit an 800 word essay, submit a finished eveningwear garment, and a process book that shows how the eveningwear garment from original idea to finished product. Go to: [www.artinstitute.edu/passionforfashion](http://www.artinstitute.edu/passionforfashion)

Application Available: October

Due: November

**ASE – Apprenticeship in Science and Engineering**

Open to current freshmen, sophomores, and juniors only. Opportunity to work full-time for 8 weeks during the summer in a science or engineering position under the guidance of a mentor. Gain valuable experience, enhance your college and scholarship applications, learn about scientific careers and receive a \$1,000 stipend. Apprenticeships are available in archaeology, chemistry, physics, mathematics & statistics, computer science, engineering, behavioral science, biology, environmental science, earth science, biomedical sciences and genetics. For more information go to: [www.saturdayacademy.org](http://www.saturdayacademy.org)

Application available: December

Due: January

**Asian American Foundation Scholarships**

Four awards of \$500 each to Oregon high school seniors or Oregon college students who are U.S. citizens. Must write essay and show involvement in Asian community and cultural events. For an application go to: [www.aaforegon.com](http://www.aaforegon.com)

Application available: February

Due: April

**Asian American Journalists Association**

Awards of \$1,000 - \$3000 each. Applicants must be committed to the field of journalism, show sensitivity to Asian American Issues, have journalistic ability, scholastic ability and financial need. For more information go to: [www.aaja.org](http://www.aaja.org)

Application available: February

Due: March

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**Associated Oregon Loggers Scholarship**

Award of \$1,500 (and renewable each year for maximum of \$6,000) for high school senior who will enroll in an accredited four-year college program in a forest resource production field of study. Examples of qualifying fields of study include Forest Management, Forest Engineering, or Forest Products.

Application available: March

Due: April

**Association for Computer Professionals in Education Scholarship**

Two scholarships of \$1,000 each will be awarded to graduating Oregon high school seniors who have been actively involved in the use of technology during their high school careers and are planning to pursue studies in a technology related field. More information at: [www.acpenw.org](http://www.acpenw.org)

Application available: February

Due: March

**AXA Achievement Scholarship**

This scholarship offers 52 college scholarships of \$10,000 and \$25,000 to high school seniors who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in their activities in school, community and workplace.

Application available: September

Due: December

**Balanced Man/Sigma Phi Epsilon Scholarship**

Two \$1,000 and four \$500 scholarships will be given to incoming freshmen men at Oregon State University. Selection will be based on scholarship, leadership, athletics, and community service. There is no obligation to become a member of the sponsoring fraternity. Go to: [www.osu-spe.com](http://www.osu-spe.com)

Application available: February

Due: June

**The Barbara Weaver-Godsey Scholarship**

A \$650 scholarship to a graduating Douglas County senior who plans to pursue a career in education. Selection criteria include scholarship, personal statement, and letters of recommendation. Pick-up an application in the Career Center.

Application available: November

Due: March

**Beat the Odds Scholarship**

Three \$2,500 renewable scholarships awarded to senior students in Oregon. Must have a 3.0 GPA and succeeded in spite of hardships such as poverty, disability, homelessness or personal tragedy. Must have participated in activities that are helpful to others and have demonstrated financial need. For more information go to: [www.standleadershipcenter.org](http://www.standleadershipcenter.org)

Application available: June of junior year

Due: September

**Best Buy Scholarship**

Three graduating seniors of each Congressional District will receive \$1,500 awards. Recipients will be selected based on community service and academic achievement and must be entering an accredited U.S. university, college, or technical school in the fall following graduation. Go to: [www.bbycommunications.com/cmew/scholarships.asp](http://www.bbycommunications.com/cmew/scholarships.asp)

Application available: December

Due: February

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**Better Business Bureau Students of Integrity**

This \$1000 award is designed to support students who recognize the importance of ethical and responsible marketplace practices. Students in grades 11 and 12 may apply. GPA of 2.5 or higher. Apply online at: [www.oregon.bbb.org/scholarship](http://www.oregon.bbb.org/scholarship)

Application available: November

Due: December

**Bob Manning Memorial Scholarship**

\$1,000 to graduating RHS softball participant with a 3.0 GPA. Selection based on academic achievement, financial need, and overall contribution to RHS softball team.

Application available: April

Due: May

**Boys State**

A week-long program designed to increase the knowledge and awareness of high school students concerning governmental process and procedures. A hands-on experience with role playing and active participation as the primary mode of learning. The program usually takes place in June. **Juniors Only**

Application available: February

Due: March

**Buick Achievers Scholarship Program**

100 renewable scholarships of up to \$25,000 per year. Selection criteria include academic achievement, leadership, and volunteer activities. Students must plan to major in a course of study that focuses on Engineering/Technology or select Design and Business related programs of study. Additionally applicants need to be interested in pursuing a career in the automotive or related industries. For more information go to: [www.buickachievers.com](http://www.buickachievers.com)

Application Available: January

Due: February

**Burger King Scholars**

Roseburg High School may nominate one person to compete for one of over 1,500 scholarships of \$1,000. Graduating seniors with between a GPA of 2.5 and 3.5 who work an average of 15 hours per week year around. Other selection criteria include financial need, participation in community service and/or co-curricular activities and a letter of recommendation from employer. Go to: [www.bk.com/companyinfo/community/scholarships](http://www.bk.com/companyinfo/community/scholarships)

Application available: October

Due: February

**Camp Royal Leadership Camp**

Week long leadership camp held in June at McKenzie Conference Center near Blue River for current juniors. Rotary International sponsors the camp. The Roseburg Rotary Club will pay the cost of attending for successful applicants.

Applications available: February

Due: March

**Cascade Community Credit Union – Irene Murphy Scholarship**

One scholarship of \$5,000 will be awarded to a graduating senior or person who graduated no more than 5 years ago and who is a member of Cascade Community Credit Union. Selection will be based on academic record, school/community involvement, personal statement of career goals and recommendations. Go to: [www.cascadecu.org](http://www.cascadecu.org)

Application available: January

Due: March

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**Central Oregon Community College Foundation Scholarships**

The COCC Foundation Scholarship Program offers scholarships from more than 100 different donors. Go to <http://www.cocc.edu/Financial-Aid/Scholarships/> for an application and detailed information about the awards.

Application available: February

Due: Varies

**Chicano Organizing and Research in Education (CORE) Scholarship**

Scholarships between \$500 and \$1,000 for students who do not have the legal documentation to be that is required to attend college in the United States. Eligibility include being of Chicano descent, will enroll in in a U.S. college or university in 2010-11, demonstrate academic potential and promise. For more information go to: <http://ca-core.org/>

Application available: January

Due: February

**Chaffee Education & Training Grant**

Students who are currently or formerly in foster care. Awards up to \$4000. For more information go to: [www.osac.state.or.us/chafeeetv.html](http://www.osac.state.or.us/chafeeetv.html)

Application available: September

Due: May

**Chinese American Citizens Alliance Annual Essay Contest**

Awards of \$100 to \$800 for Oregon high school students (grades 9-12) who are of Chinese descent. Must participate in the an essay contest.

Application available: February

Due: February

**The Christian Connector**

The Christian Connector offers a \$2,500 scholarship drawing for students who log onto their website to request information from one of the 100 Christian Colleges they represent. Go to: [www.christianconnector.com](http://www.christianconnector.com)

Application available: October

Due: May

**Class of '53 Foundation Scholarship**

One \$1,000 award to a graduating Roseburg High School Senior who plans to attend a university or community college in Oregon. Must have 3.0 GPA.

Application available: April

Due: April

**Coca-Cola Scholars**

50 graduating seniors in the US will be awarded \$20,000 scholarships and an additional 200 will be awarded \$10,000 scholarships. Students must be EXTENSIVELY involved in school and community activities and have an exceptional academic record. Applications must be submitted online at [www.coca-colascholars.org](http://www.coca-colascholars.org)

Application available: September

Due: October

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**COFLT Scholarships for Language Students**

Awards of \$1000 each to high school seniors who have excelled in their high school foreign language class, be in their 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> year of a foreign language, have at least a GPA of 3.5 in foreign language grades, planning on attending college in Oregon, and be in the top one-third of the graduating class. Selection will be based on second language GPA, letters of recommendation, language-related activities, personal interests, motivation and goals. Application available at: [www.cofltoregon.com](http://www.cofltoregon.com)

Application available: January

Due: March

**College of Business Scholarships – Oregon State University**

Awards of \$1,500 (Glenn L. Jackson Scholarship) and \$1,000 (Dean’s Scholarship) to entering freshmen at OSU who plan to major in Business. Selection criteria include GPA, SAT/ACT scores, community involvement and leadership activities. Must complete OSU general scholarship application.

Due: February

**Commitment to Agriculture Scholarship Program**

100 awards of \$1,500 each to high school seniors. Applicants must be a member of a family actively engaged in production agriculture and must be planning to major in an agricultural related field. Go to: [www.monsanto.com/responsibility/youth/scholarship.asp](http://www.monsanto.com/responsibility/youth/scholarship.asp)

Application available: January

Due: February

**Congress-Bundestag Exchange Scholarship**

Spend a year in Germany with a host family and attend a German school. Open to current sophomores, juniors, and seniors with a 3.0 GPA. The scholarship includes round trip international airfare, pre-departure orientation in Washington DC, 3-week language course upon arrival in Germany, trips to Berlin and Bonn while in Germany, basic health insurance and support services overseas. Go to: [www.nacelopendoor.org](http://www.nacelopendoor.org)

Application available: October

Due: December

**Congress-Bundestag Vocational Youth Program Exchange Scholarship**

This program allows graduating high school seniors to spend a year in Germany living with a host family, participating in a training or school program, and getting hands-on work experience through a German company. Participants have been placed in fields as diverse as the arts, auto mechanics, carpentry, child care, computers, education, health care, hotel management, and numerous others. The scholarship covers round trip airfare from Washington D.C. to Germany, and other program expenses. Participants provide their own spending money.

Application available: December

Due: February

**The COSA Youth Scholarship**

12 awards of \$1,000 each for seniors who plan to enroll in any 2-year or 4-year public or private school in Oregon. Applicants should be active in community and school activities and have a 3.5 GPA. Go to: [www.cosa.k12.or.us](http://www.cosa.k12.or.us)

Application available: December

Due: February

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**Cornish College of the Arts**

Scholarships covering full tuition for 4-years at Cornish College of Arts. Go to [www.cornish.edu/admission/scholarships/](http://www.cornish.edu/admission/scholarships/)

Application available: January

Due: February

**Cow Creek Sponsored UCC Scholarship**

One scholarship of \$1,500 will be awarded to a graduating Roseburg High School senior who plans to attend Umpqua Community College during the 2012-13 school year. Their intent is to reward the student who tries the hardest and displays outstanding citizenship. Pick-up an application in the Career Center.

Application available: March

Due: April

**Cream of the Crop Scholarship**

\$5,000 tuition scholarship to the Culinary Institute of America. Must be in the top 5% of the graduating class and planning to enroll at the Culinary Institute of America. Go to: [www.ciachef.edu](http://www.ciachef.edu)

Application available: October

Due: October

**Credit Union Association of Oregon's Financial Literacy Essay Contest**

Open to all high school seniors. A \$500 scholarship will be awarded to the applicant who submits the winning essay on the current year's assigned topic. Go to [www.cuao.org](http://www.cuao.org)

Application available: January

Due: May

**Crop & Soil Science Freshmen Scholarship – Oregon State University**

Awards of \$1,000 to incoming freshmen majoring in Crop & Soil Science at OSU. Applicants must have shown good academic success in high school. Financial need may be considered. Must complete OSU general scholarship application.

Application available: November

Due: February

**Daphanie Morman Sturtz Scholarship**

One \$500 scholarship for a graduating Roseburg High School Senior. Selection criteria include 3.0 GPA or above, involvement in school and community activities with some additional consideration given to those participating in Forensics. Pick up an application in the Career Center.

Application available: January

Due: March

**DECA Corporate Sponsor Scholarships**

DECA's Scholarship Program provides over \$300,000 in scholarships at the International Career Development Conference each year. More than 50 corporations provide scholarships through the DECA Scholarship Program. DECA Inc. administers the program based on guidelines set by the donor. DECA scholarships are strictly merit based. Go to: [www.deca.org/schol.html](http://www.deca.org/schol.html)

Application available: December

Due: Varies by scholarship

**Delta Kappa Gamma Teaching Scholarship**

\$500 award to a female graduating senior who intends to pursue a career in education.

Application available: March

Due: May

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**Douglas County 4-H Scholarship**

One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded to a graduating Douglas County senior who has been active in the county 4-H program. Applicants must have at least 3 years of 4-H experience and plan to attend community college, vocational-technical school or four-year college/university that will lead to a college degree or license.

Application available: January

Due: March

**Douglas County Farm Bureau Scholarship**

Six awards of \$1,000 graduating seniors in Douglas County who plan to further their education at any accredited institution in or out of Oregon. Applicants must be pursuing a field of study in agriculture or forestry. Emphasis for selection will be placed on academic standing, financial need, and initiative.

Application available: January

Due: April 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Douglas County Pomona Grange**

\$500 scholarship to a graduating Douglas County Graduate. Selection based on GPA, community involvement, letters of recommendation, need, and 100 word essay.

Application available: April

Due: May

**Douglas Small Woodlands Association Scholarship**

One \$500 scholarship to a Douglas County high school senior. Must have a demonstrated interest in forestry. Interest can be demonstrated through courses taken, 4-H or FFA activities, involvement in a family farm, employment or community activities related to forestry. Minimum GPA of 2.5. Pick-up an application in the Career Center.

Application available: February

Due: April

**Douglas Timber Operators' Scholarship**

Three awards of \$1,000 each. Applicants must be residents of Coos, Douglas, or Lane County, and be graduating high school seniors or current college students who have the intention to major in a natural resource related field. This may include Chemistry, Animal Science, Geology, Biology, and Engineering. Selection will be based on academic achievement, participation in school and community service activities, personal statement, financial need and recommendations.

Application available: January

Due: March

**Duck Tape "Stuck at Prom" Contest**

Open to students 14 years old or older who are attending a high school prom in Spring of 2011. You must enter as a couple and attend a high school prom wearing complete attire and/or accessories made from duct tape. Awards range from \$500 to \$5,000. For more information go to

[www.duckbrand.com/promotions/stuck-at-prom.aspx](http://www.duckbrand.com/promotions/stuck-at-prom.aspx)

Application available: March

Due: June

**Eastern Oregon University Scholarships**

Awards ranging from \$500 to full tuition are available to incoming freshmen and transfer students to EOU. Selection criteria vary. Go to [www.eou.edu/fao](http://www.eou.edu/fao)

Application available: October

Due: February

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**Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation**

150 awards nationally of \$1,000 to \$6,000 each to graduating seniors to be used at any accredited post-secondary institution in the United States. Primary selection criteria: GPA and SAT/ACT scores. Secondary criteria: Activities and financial need.

Application available: October

Due: May

**Elks “Most Valuable Student” Scholarship Program**

One graduating senior boy and girl in Douglas County will receive \$1,000 and have the opportunity to advance to District, State, and National competition. Selection based on leadership (35%), scholarship (45%), and financial need (20%). Must rank in top 10% of the graduating class and be planning to attend a four year college or university.

Application available: November

Due: January

**Elks Vocational Grant Program**

Awards of \$1,000 each for graduating seniors who plan to pursue training in a vocational program of two years or less with the goal of obtaining a vocational or technical certificate.

Application available: February

Due: April

**E.R. Jackman Agricultural Honors Scholarship**

Awards of \$1,000 to \$2,000 for entering freshmen at Oregon State University or Eastern Oregon University who are interested in an array of fields within the agriculture industry such as business, economics, fisheries, and wildlife, horticulture, animal science (pre-veterinarian) education and natural resources. Must complete OSU general scholarship application.

Application available: December

Due: February

**ESA Foundation Scholarship**

Awards of \$500 to \$1,000 to high school seniors pursuing various majors at school of recipient's choice. Selection will be based on character, scholastic ability, leadership skills, and financial need. Must be in top 25% of graduating class.

Application available: October

Due: February

**Excellence in Journalism Award**

Up to a \$3,000 scholarship for a graduating Roseburg High School senior. Applicants must be involved in Orange R and Journalism program at RHS and plan to pursue journalism as a major in college. Selection based on GPA, test scores, journalistic accomplishment and intention, and letters of recommendation.

Application available: February

Due: April

**E Waste Scholarship**

A \$1,000 scholarship for a graduating high school senior who submits a 500-1000 word essay on why it is important to be concerned about E waste. For more information visit:

<http://www.digitalresponsibility.org/ewaste-scholarship>

Application Available: March

Due: April

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**Foundation for Individual Rights in Education (FIRE)**

A \$5,000, a \$2,500 and five \$1,000 scholarships for graduating seniors. Write an essay of 700 – 1,200 words on the topic of “Freedom in Academia.” FIRE defends the civil liberties of students and faculty on college campuses. Enter online at: [www.thefire.org/contests](http://www.thefire.org/contests)

Application available: September

Due: October

**FOUNTAINHEAD Essay Contest**

250 cash awards of up to \$10,000. Open to current 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders. Must write an essay on Ayn Rand’s “The Fountainhead.”

Application available: October

Due: April

**Fred G. Lee Memorial Scholarship**

One award of \$1,000 (\$1,000 per year x 4) and two awards of \$1,000 to graduating Oregon seniors who have at least one parent who is full-blooded Chinese. Must have a 3.5 GPA and be active in school and community activities. Go to [www.cacaportland.org/scholarship.html](http://www.cacaportland.org/scholarship.html)

Application available: March

Due: April

**Friends of NRA Scholarship**

Ten to 15 \$1,000 scholarships for graduating seniors who have a 3.0 GPA or higher. Selection criteria include participation in extracurricular, volunteer, and shooting sports activities. Stop by the Career Center and pick-up an application.

Application available: February

Due: April

**Fruit Company Scholarships**

One \$4,000 scholarship for a student pursuing a scholarship in business or agriculture and one \$1,000 general scholarship. For an application and further information on these scholarships go to [www.thefruitcompany.com/page/scholarship](http://www.thefruitcompany.com/page/scholarship)

Application available: March

Due: April

**Fullerton IV Scholarship**

A \$500 scholarship for a RHS graduating senior that attended Fullerton IV as a 5<sup>th</sup> grade student. The award will be made to the candidate that best exemplifies Fullerton IV Elementary values of educational commitment and community involvement. Must have a 3.0 GPA.

Application available: February

Due: April

**Gates Millennium Scholars**

Four-year tuition scholarships are available for minority students who have outstanding academic and leadership qualities as well as significant financial need. Nomination forms and applications are available at: [www.gmsp.org](http://www.gmsp.org)

Application available: November

Due: January

**Gen and Kelly Tanabe Scholarship**

A \$1,000 merit based scholarship available to students in the 9<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Monies can be used for tuition, room and board, required fees, or any other educational expense. Selection based on personal essay submitted. For more information, go to <http://www.gkscholarship.com/>

Application available: April

Due: July

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### **GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program**

Twenty \$10,000 awards for college-bound seniors who demonstrate exemplary leadership, drive, integrity and citizenship. Must have a 3.0 or higher GPA. For more information and an application go to [www.reaganfoundation.org/scholarships](http://www.reaganfoundation.org/scholarships)

Application available: December

Due: February

### **General Motors Scholarships**

General Motors contributes funding to various organizations that provide scholarship support. Each organization has specified contact information and details for each scholarship. The following is a list of those programs: American Indian Science and Engineering Society, General Motors Minority Engineering and Science Scholarship, Hispanic Scholarship Fund, Society of Women Engineers, GM Key Institution Scholarships. Go to [www.gm.com](http://www.gm.com) for more information

Application available: varies

Due: Varies

### **George Fox University Performing and Fine Arts Scholarship Auditions**

Scholarships of various amounts to incoming freshmen at George Fox University in the Performing and Fine Arts areas. Audition dates are usually in February or March.

Application available: January

Due: February

### **George Fox University Scholarship Day**

For current high school seniors who intend to enroll at George Fox University in the Fall. A competition in the areas of Science, Forensics, Music, Theatre, Art and Community Service/Student Government. Dates are usually in February.

Application available: January

Due: February

### **German American Society**

A \$2,000 award for the winning student who submits a written essay and participate in an in-person oral interview. Competition is held in February in the Portland area. For more information go to [www.germanamerican.org](http://www.germanamerican.org)

Application available: January

Due: January

### **Girls State**

A week-long program designed to increase the knowledge and awareness of high school students concerning governmental processes and procedures. A hands-on experience with role playing and active participation as the primary mode of learning. The program usually takes place in June.

**Juniors only.**

Application available: March

Due: April

### **Greenfield Peace Writing Contest**

\$1,000 cash prize for winner and other monetary amounts for other placers. High school 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders submit an essay to an essay prompt. Go to [www.oregonpsr.org](http://www.oregonpsr.org) additional information and entrance requirements.

Application available: January

Due: February

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**Hanna Family Scholarship**

A \$1,000 scholarship for a Roseburg High School graduating senior. Monies may be used at a college or trade school and be for tuition or books only. Must have a 2.75 GPA to apply. Pick-up an application in the Career Center.

Application Available: April

Due: May

**Hasson/Newman Memorial Scholarship**

\$3,000, \$2,000, and \$1,000 scholarships awarded to graduating Oregon high school seniors who plan to enroll in a public, private college or university or trade school. Entrants must submit a 1,000 to 1,500 word essay on “Credit in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.” More information and application details at:

[www.orcascholarshipfund.com](http://www.orcascholarshipfund.com)

Application available: January

Due: March

**Hispanic Metropolitan Chamber Scholarship Program**

\$1,000 scholarships to Hispanic students residing in Oregon. Must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 and enroll in an accredited Community College or University by fall after high school graduation. Go to: <http://www.hmccoregon.com/scholarships/apply/> for an application.

Application available: December

Due: January

**Horatio Alger Association Scholarships**

More than \$4 million in college scholarships will be awarded to assist graduating seniors who have demonstrated integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity. Students must have a 2.0 GPA and financial need. Go to: [www.horatioalger.org](http://www.horatioalger.org)

Due: October

Application available: August

**Hyster – Lift Truck Service Technician Scholarship**

\$1,000 awarded each year for two years to seniors who will enroll at Lane Community College in the Lift Truck Service Technician Option of the Diesel Technology program. The scholarship also includes the use of a full set of Craftsman tools for both years of the program.

Application available: January

Due: March

**Incight Scholarships**

Scholarships for students with a documented disability that plan to enroll full time at a trade school, college or university. Awards range from \$500 to \$2,500. For more information go to

[www.incight.org](http://www.incight.org)

Application available: January

Due: March

**International Air and Hospitality Academy**

Twenty \$500 scholarships for graduating high school seniors to attend the International Air Academy in Vancouver Washington. For more information go to: [www.aha.edu/hsscholarships.php](http://www.aha.edu/hsscholarships.php)

Application available: October

Due: April

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**Iranian-Professional Society of Oregon**

Seven different scholarships ranging from \$250 to \$1,500 for students of Iranian heritage. Awards based on scholastic achievement, extracurricular and community activities, and achievements or awards. Applications available at: [www.IAPSOregon.org](http://www.IAPSOregon.org)

Application available: March

Due: April

**James & Sharon Gregory Memorial**

Graduating Roseburg High School seniors with a GPA of 3.5 or higher. Selection will be based on academic achievement, overall contribution to school and community, future goals, and financial need.

Application available: January

Due: March

**JEMS – Junior Engineering, Mathematics and Science Workshops Scholarship**

For Juniors only!!! Scholarships are available to cover the \$650 cost of participation in a summer engineering program at the University of Idaho in July. JEMS provides an introduction to engineering through study of engineering problems within technical and social contexts, lectures, lab exercises, field trips, guest speakers, film, computer exercises and more. Students live on campus for two weeks and receive two college credits. Go to [www.jets.org](http://www.jets.org)

Application available: December

Due: March

**Jim and Char Loomis Memorial Scholarship**

One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded to a graduating senior from Roseburg High School. The award may be used at the college or university of the recipient's choice. Selection will be based on academic achievement; support and participation in activities in school, work and community; and leadership, loyalty and dedication throughout individual and organization opportunities.

Application available: January

Due: March

**KFC Colonel's Scholars**

A \$5,000 a year renewable scholarship. High school seniors with a cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher that will be enrolling in an Oregon public university or community college with the intent to pursue a bachelor's degree. Students will also need to complete the FAFSA to be eligible. Go to:

[www.kfcscholars.org](http://www.kfcscholars.org)

Application available: December

Due: February

**Key Club – Kiwanis Club Scholarship**

Awards of \$1,000 each for graduating seniors of Roseburg or Douglas High Schools who are members of KEY club. Selection will be based on an essay telling about your goals and aspirations and why you think you are deserving of the award. The award may be used for any post-high school education, public or private college, university, community college or technical school in or out of state.

Application available: March

Due: April

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**Lance Michael Emmons Scholarship**

A minimum scholarship of \$500 to a graduating Douglas County senior who plans to pursue music degree. Selection based on a personal statement, community involvement, and a minimum GPA of 3.0. Pick-up an application in the Career Center.

Application available: March

Due: April

**Lewis & Clark College – Merit-Based Scholarships**

These are awarded to incoming freshmen admitted to Lewis & Clark College. Selection is based on academic record (GPA, course selection, summer enrichment activities) as well as strong SAT/ACT scores.

10 Neely Scholarships – full tuition and fees

15 Trustee Scholarships – one half tuition fees

100+ Deans Scholarships - \$4,000 and up per year

Leadership and Service Awards - \$5,000 per year

National Merit Scholarships - \$750 - \$2,000

Music and Forensics Scholarships - \$2,000 - \$6,000

**Lillian Palmer Sutherland Memorial Scholarship**

Award of \$4,000 to Roseburg High School senior. Selection based on academics, school/community involvement and financial need. Award may be used at the college of the recipient's choice.

Application available: March

Due: April

**Linfield College Academic Scholarship Competition**

Each department may award three scholarships. Competition is by invitation only. To qualify for an invitation, a preliminary application must be received by the Linfield admissions office by application deadline. Must have a 3.4 GPA and 1000 SAT or 3.0 GPA and 1200 SAT to be considered. The competition is usually held on a weekend in February.

Application available: October

Due: December

**Lions Club “Young Ambassadors Contest”**

Open to all students ages 15-19. Scholarships ranging from \$200 to \$1,250 are available to deserving students who will be judged in the areas of academics, community involvement, interviewing and public speaking. Go to [www.orlions.org](http://www.orlions.org)

Application available: November

Due: January

**Lowe’s Scholarship**

The Lowe’s Scholarship is open to all high school seniors who plan to attend any accredited 2-year or 4-year college or university within the United States. Winners are selected based on leadership qualities, community involvement and academic performance. Go to: [www.lowes.com/scholarship](http://www.lowes.com/scholarship)

Application available: January

Due: February

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**Mark A Forester Scholarship Scholarship**

A \$1,000 for a student who will be enrolled in an accredited American university in the Fall. To enter, the student must write a 300-500 word essay explaining how they go about honoring America's military heroes. More information and details may be found at:

<http://www.rockymountainmattress.com/company/mark-a-forester-scholarship.php>

Application available in April

Due: June

**Mensa Education & Research Foundation Scholarship**

Graduating seniors may apply for scholarship awards ranging from \$300 - \$1,000. Selection is based solely on a written essay of no more than 550 words that describes the applicant's career, vocational, or academic goals. Grade point average and financial need are NOT considered. Go to

[www.mensafoundation.org](http://www.mensafoundation.org)

Application available: September

Due: January

**Monsanto Scholarship**

\$1,500 awards to 100 high school seniors who plan to pursue a career in an agricultural-related field.

Applications are available at: [www.monsanto.com](http://www.monsanto.com)

Applications available: January

Due: February

**Morgan Wieferich Scholarship**

\$1,000 award to a graduating senior who has been a member of the Roseburg High School varsity football team. Must have a 2.5 GPA. Scholarship may be used at school of recipient's choice.

Application available: October

Due: November

**Multiple Sclerosis Society of Oregon**

Awards ranging from \$1,000 to \$3,000 is for students in Oregon and Clark County, Washington. this valuable financial assistance program is available to families living with multiple sclerosis. Criteria include Student must have multiple sclerosis (MS), or have a parent living with MS, plan to attend an accredited post secondary school for the first time, be a U.S. citizen or legal resident. For more information go to

<http://www.nationalmssociety.org/chapters/orc/programs--services/financial-assistance/scholarship-program/index.aspx>

Application available: October

Due: January

**NALS of Oregon Scholarship**

\$1,000 scholarships for students wishing to pursue a career in a legal support position (non-attorney).

Areas of study include legal secretary, paralegal, legal assistant, law office administrative support staff, court personnel, or other positions traditionally associated with providing services and office support to attorneys. Criteria for selection will be based on 40% need, 35% merit, and 25% ability.

Application available: February

Due: April

**National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences Trustee Scholarship**

Open to current seniors who plan to major in television, telecommunications, or similar communications-related field at a four-year college or university. The awards are \$1,000 and \$7,500 yearly. Go to <http://www.emmyonline.org/emmy/scholarship.html>

Application available: November

Due: December

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### **National Association for Education of Homeless Youth**

Two \$1,500 scholarships for students who are homeless or have been homeless during their school attendance. Selection criteria include average or above average academic achievement. For more information and an application go to: <http://www.naehcy.org/letendre-scholarship-fund/scholarship-application>

Application available: March

Due: June

### **National FFA Organization Scholarship**

More than \$1,000,000 in scholarship money available for seniors who are FFA members and wish to pursue post-secondary education at any accredited vocational/technical school, college or university. Go to <http://www.ffa.org/>

Application available: January

Due: February

### **NFIB Young Entrepreneur Award**

One scholarship for \$10,000, four scholarships for \$5,000, and multiple awards for \$1,000 for high school seniors planning to pursue their studies at an accredited two- or four-year college or university who own an established business. Additional selection criteria include extracurricular activities, leadership activities, and evidence of entrepreneurial spirit. For more information and an application visit [www.nfib.com/yea](http://www.nfib.com/yea)

Application available: November

Due: December

### **National Federation of the Blind Scholarship**

Thirty scholarships ranging from \$3,000 to \$12,000 for graduating seniors who are legally blind that plan to enroll as a full-time college student in the fall of 2012. Selection criteria include proof of legal blindness, academic achievement, service to community, and financial need. For more information go to: [www.nfb.org/scholarships](http://www.nfb.org/scholarships)

Application available: February

Due: March

### **National Honor Society – Chapter Award**

Awards of \$250 available for graduating seniors who are members of National Honor Society. Selection will be based on financial need, NHS involvement and overall merits.

Application available: April

Due: May

### **National Honor Society – National Award**

Roseburg High School will select two graduating seniors who are members of National Honor Society to compete for one of fifty \$1,000 scholarships to be awarded. Selection criteria include academic record, NHS involvement as well as participation in school and community activities and employment.

Application available: November

Due: January

### **National Security Language Initiative- (NSLI)**

550 full scholarships for students to study abroad and learn a foreign language. Study in countries like China, Egypt, India, Korea, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkey, and other countries around the world. Previous language study is not required. Must be a U.S. Citizen, have a 2.5 GPA, and 15-18 years old. For more information go to [www.nsliforyouth.org](http://www.nsliforyouth.org)

Application available: September

Due: November

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**Navy ROTC**

Tuition and educational expenses covered for college years, plus a monthly allowance. Upon graduation from college, serve as an officer

Application available: April of junior year                      Due: November

**Shell Oil Company Technical Scholarship**

20 one-year awards of \$2,500 for selected graduating high school seniors enrolling in engineering or geosciences at universities identified by Shell. The Shell Oil Company Technical Scholarship and Shell Incentive Fund Scholarship have been created to provide financial and career assistance to graduating high school seniors who have expressed an interest in the energy industry and demonstrated an aptitude in mathematics and science. Go to [www. http://www.shell.us/careers/students-and-graduates/scholarships/scholarship-opportunities-for-high-school-seniors.html](http://www.shell.us/careers/students-and-graduates/scholarships/scholarship-opportunities-for-high-school-seniors.html)

Application available: January    Due: March

**NISEI Student Relocation Commemorative Fund**

A minimum of \$5,000 in scholarship money will be awarded to graduating seniors from Oregon and Washington, who are of Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, Mien, or Vietnamese descent. Applicants must be planning to be a full-time student at a college, university or vocational/technical program. Must have a 2.75 GPA and have financial need. Go to: [www. www.nsrfund.org/](http://www.nsrfund.org/)

Application available: January    Due: March

**Northwest Community Credit Union**

Twenty \$1,000 scholarships for graduating seniors who have demonstrated a dedication to creating a positive impact on their community. Must be or become a member of the credit union, be a high school graduate, attend college full time, and attend college in Oregon. For more information and an application go to: [https:// nwcu.com/scholarships.](https://nwcu.com/scholarships)

Application available: March    Due: April

**OAEYC – Early Childhood Education Grant**

Awards of \$400 each to high school seniors who will be attending an Oregon college or university, majoring in Early Childhood Care or a closely related field serving children from birth to 8 years old.

Application available: January    Due: March

**OHSU School of Medicine Student Senate Scholarship**

Two awards of \$350 each to graduating Oregon high school seniors who will be attending a 4-year college or university in the fall with the intention of becoming a physician. The scholarship is awarded on the basis of academic merit, involvement in extracurricular activities and personal statement. Go to [www. ohsu.edu](http://www.ohsu.edu)

Application available: March    Due: April

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**Oregon Agricultural Education Foundation Memorial Scholarship**

One scholarship will be awarded to any person preparing to continue his/her education through a community college, or a four-year college within the state of Oregon, with plans to study in an agricultural related major. This might include, but is not limited to the following areas: Production Agriculture, Agri-Business Management, Agriculture Education, General Agriculture, Ag Engineering or BioResource Engineering, Horticulture and Animal Sciences. Go to [www.oregonfb.org](http://www.oregonfb.org)

Application available: February

Due: April 1

**Oregon Army National Guard Tuition Assistance**

Pays your tuition. Must commit to one weekend per month and two weeks a year for 6 years in the Oregon Army National Guard

Application available: Any time after applicant turns 18

**Oregon Association of Secondary School Administrator Scholarship**

\$1,000 scholarships to children whose parents are public school administrators and members of OASSA. Applicants should have significant school and community activities. Application available at: [www.cosa.k12.or.us](http://www.cosa.k12.or.us)

Application available: January

Due: March

**Oregon Association of Broadcasters Scholarships**

Awards of \$1,000 each to graduating Oregon High School seniors who have been accepted for enrollment in a two or four-year public or private college or university in Oregon. Applicants must have a 3.0 GPA and plan to enroll in a full-time course of study in Broadcast Journalism, Production, Management or other broadcast-related major at an eligible institution. Go to [www.theoab.org](http://www.theoab.org)

Application available: January

Due: May

**Oregon Association of School Business Officials**

The Promising Futures Scholarship Program was created to help Oregon students interested in majors compatible with school business finance professions obtain a post-secondary education. The scholarship is open to public high school seniors who have been accepted and college freshman enrolled full time at an accredited Oregon community college, college or university. For more information and application requirements go to: [http://www.oasbo.com/scholarship\\_program.html](http://www.oasbo.com/scholarship_program.html).

Application available: April

Due: June

**Oregon Association of Educational Office Professionals Scholarship**

One award of \$750. Applicants must be graduating seniors or current college students pursuing a degree in business. Selection will be based on financial need, academic standing, recommendations and essay. The award may be used at the college of the recipient's choice.

Application available: December

Due: January

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**Oregon Association of Nurseries**

Scholarships ranging from \$500 to a \$1,500 for students who plan to pursue career opportunities in horticulture through university or community college studies. For explanations of each scholarship and an application go to: <http://scholarship.oan.org>

Application available: March

Due: April

**Oregon Association of Public Accountants Scholarship Foundation**

Awards of \$1,500 to \$2,000 for students who plan to enroll in any accredited college in the State of Oregon and plan to study accounting. Recipients will be selected based on financial need, scholastic achievement, personal qualifications, and professional promise. Pick up an application in the Career Center or download an application at: [www.oaia.net/scholarship.html](http://www.oaia.net/scholarship.html)

Application available: February

Due: April

**Oregon Chapter of American Backflow Prevention Association (ABPA)**

A \$1,000 scholarship competition for students aged 13-19 who write an essay on a designated topic. To find out more about this award and enter to: [www.abpa.org](http://www.abpa.org)

Application available: November

Due: January

**Oregon Cheerleading Coaches Association Scholarships**

Awards of \$1,000 for seniors who are currently cheerleaders and have a minimum 3.25 GPA. Go to: <http://www.occa.net/>

Application available: September

Due: November

**Oregon Collectors Association Hasson/Newman Scholarship**

\$3,000 first place, \$2,000 second place, \$1,500 third place scholarships for Oregon High School seniors planning to attend public or private college or trade school. Applicants must submit a 1000-1500 word essay on "Credit In the 21<sup>st</sup> Century." For additional information go to: [www.orcascholarshipfund.com](http://www.orcascholarshipfund.com)

Application available: January

Due: March

**Oregon Community Quarterback Club (award not based on athletics)**

Four \$2,500 renewable college scholarship for Oregon high school seniors who are emerging leaders. This is a need-based scholarship with a focus on involvement in community not necessarily academic or athletics. Pick-up an application in the Career Center or go to: <http://harringtonfamilyfoundation.org>

Application available: March

Due: April

**Oregon Elks Association Vocational Training Scholarship**

Awards of \$1,000 per year for two years for current high school seniors who plan to further their education in a vocational trade or technical field.

Application available: March

Due: April

**Oregon Essay Contest**

Contest open to Oregon students in grades 7 – 12. May have to write an essay on a designated topic. Prizes are \$100, \$200, and \$400 Savings Bond. Go to [www.oregonquarterly.com](http://www.oregonquarterly.com)

Application available: September

Due: October

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### **Oregon Farm Bureau Scholarship**

Awards of \$1,000 for graduating Oregon seniors who plan to pursue their education in either a two-year or four-year college. Students must be planning to study in an agriculture or forestry related field. Applications are available at: [http://www.oregonfb.org/programs/oaef\\_mem\\_schol.shtml](http://www.oregonfb.org/programs/oaef_mem_schol.shtml)

Application available: February

Due: April

### **Oregon Federation of Women's Club**

The Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs (OFWC) will be offering four scholarships in the amounts of \$400 - \$500 for graduating high school seniors. Students will complete an application and compete in the following areas: Instrumental Music, Vocal Music, Fine Arts, and Essay.

Application available: February

Due: March

### **Oregon Fraternal Order of Eagles**

Awards of \$1,000 each are available to graduating seniors in Oregon. The awards may be used at any accredited college, university, or school of higher learning within Oregon. Applicants will be judged equally on academic record, financial need and extracurricular activities.

Application available: January

Due: March

### **Oregon Music Hall of Fame**

The Oregon Music Hall of Fame offers four \$1,000 scholarships to Oregon high school seniors who are planning to continue their musical studies in college. Applicants must show how the scholarship will benefit their musical studies. Download an application at: [www.omhof.org](http://www.omhof.org)

Application available: February

Due: March

### **Oregon Health Forum Scholarships**

Five awards of \$750 each will be awarded to graduating Oregon High School seniors who have been involved in health awareness activities in the community. For more information go to: [www.healthforum.org/competitions/scholarships.html](http://www.healthforum.org/competitions/scholarships.html)

Application available: January

Due: March

### **Oregon Institute of Technology – Dean's Academic Scholarships**

Graduating seniors who have applied to enter OIT in the fall must meet 2 out of the 3 qualifications in the Gold, Silver, and Bronze levels. These awards are renewable.

Gold level - \$2,000 – 3.9 GPA, 1300 SAT, top 5% of class

Silver level - \$1,500 – 3.6 GPA, 1200 SAT, top 10% of class

Bronze level - \$1,000 – 3.3 GPA, 1100 SAT, top 20% of class

Go to [www.oit.edu/prospective-students](http://www.oit.edu/prospective-students)

Application available: October

Due: February

### **Oregon Institute of Technology – Leadership and Diversity Scholarships**

Awards ranging from \$500 to \$3,500 to incoming students at OIT. Selection criteria include whether the applicants brings a diverse perspective to the OIT community, the applicant's history of involvement ad leadership, whether the applicant is a "first generation" college student, GPA, and financial need. Go to [www.oit.edu](http://www.oit.edu)

Application available: February

Due: March

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### **Oregon Jaycee Foundation**

One scholarship to a graduating Oregon high school senior in an amount between \$250 to \$500. Selection criteria include personal accomplishments, leadership qualities, and community service.

Application available: January

Due: March

### **Oregon NALS**

Award to a graduating high school senior or college student pursuing a career as legal support staff. Must have a 3.0 GPA and be in need of financial assistance. Other factors for consideration will be activities, leadership record, initiative, high school transcript, rank in class, and letters of recommendation. Go to: [www.nalsor.org/scholarship%20fund.htm](http://www.nalsor.org/scholarship%20fund.htm)

Application available: January

Due: March

### **Oregon New Lawyers Division Essay Contest**

Essay contest open to all Oregon high school students and three winners will be chosen to receive \$500, \$350, and \$250 respectively for first, second, and third place. Participants must submit a 500 to 750 word essay using only the information found in the application.

Application available: April

Due: May

### **Oregon Nurserymen's Association Scholarship**

15 awards ranging from \$500 to \$1,000 per year for seniors who intend to pursue career opportunities in horticulture through university or community college. Horticulture career opportunities are available in such areas as production, operations and propagation management, research, landscape design, landscape contracting, retail, sales and marketing, plant science, and many others. Go to: [www.oan.org/displaycommon.cfm?an=1&subarticlenbr=89](http://www.oan.org/displaycommon.cfm?an=1&subarticlenbr=89)

Application available: November

Due: April

### **Oregon Pacific Banking Scholarship**

One scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded to a graduating Roseburg High School senior. The award may be used at the college of the recipient's choice. Selection will be based on completeness of the application, academic achievement, and contributions to school and community. Go to: [www.opbc.com/aboutscholarship.php](http://www.opbc.com/aboutscholarship.php)

Application available: March

Due: April

### **Oregon PTA Teacher Education Scholarship**

Awards of \$500 to residents of Oregon who are studying for a teaching degree at an Oregon public university. Oregon community colleges that transfer credit to an Oregon four-year public institution also qualify. Go to: [www.oregonpta.org](http://www.oregonpta.org)

Application available: February

Due: March

### **Oregon School Facilities Management Association (OSFMA)**

Roseburg School District is a member of this organization that offers 4 scholarships of \$500. Must have a 2.75 GPA, plan on pursuing a degree in Facilities Mngmnt, Maintenance or support operations, Engineering or Technology, and demonstrate two or more of the following qualities: leadership, achievements, volunteering, school or civic club membership, or work experience. For an application and more information go to: [www.osfma.org](http://www.osfma.org)

Application available: December

Due: January

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**OSEA – Guy Davis and Past Presidents’ Scholarship**

Awards of \$500 and \$1,250 to graduating Oregon seniors with at least one parent, grandparent, or legal guardian who is a member in good standing of the OSEA (Union for classified employees: secretarial, custodial, support staff, etc.). Go to: [http://osea.org/pages/Scholarships/OSEA\\_Scholarships.html](http://osea.org/pages/Scholarships/OSEA_Scholarships.html)

Application available: November

Due: March

**Oregon School Facilities Management Association (OSFMA)**

Roseburg School District is a member of this organization that offers 5 scholarships of \$1,000. Must have a 2.75 GPA, plan on pursuing a degree in Facilities Management, Maintenance or support operations, Engineering or Technology, and demonstrate two or more of the following qualities: leadership, achievements, volunteering, school or civic club membership, or work experience. For an application and more information go to: [www.osfma.org](http://www.osfma.org)

Application Available: December

Due: March

**The Oregon Scottish Rite Education Scholarship**

Ten to fifteen \$1,000 scholarships available to graduating high school seniors. Selection based on student need, exceptional qualities, and leadership.

Application available: February

Due: May

**Oregon Society of Certified Public Accountants**

Open to current seniors who plan to major in accounting. Scholarships of \$1,000 for 4-year colleges in Oregon or \$500 for Oregon community colleges are awarded for freshmen year. Must have 3.5 GPA. Go to [www.orcpa.org](http://www.orcpa.org)

Application available: November

Due: February

**Oregon Sports Hall of Fame Scholarship**

Six \$3,000 scholarships to Oregon high school seniors graduating in the year 2012. Recipients are chosen on the basis of financial need, athletic accomplishment, academic achievement and community involvement. Minimum academic requirements: GPA of 3.3, SAT of 1350 or ACT of 21. Scholarship funds must be used at an institution of higher education within Oregon. Go to [www.oregonsportshall.org](http://www.oregonsportshall.org) for an application.

Application available: February

Due: April

**Oregon State Bar Essay Contest**

Awards of \$200, \$300, and \$500. Open to all students in grades 9-12. Must write an essay on a designated topic.

Application available: December

Due: February

**Oregon State University Balanced Man Scholarship**

Two \$1,000 scholarships and four \$500 scholarships to incoming outstanding freshmen males. Selection criteria include extracurricular activities including sports, community involvement and work, as well as leadership. Pick-up an application in the Career Center.

Application available: April

Due: June

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**Oregon State University – Bernard Malamud Scholarship**

\$500 award for entering freshmen at OSU who plans to major in English. Must complete OSU general scholarship application.

Application available: October

Due: February

**Oregon State University – Presidential and Laurels**

Awards of approximately \$3,500. Must have minimum 3.75 GPA and SAT of 1100 (Critical Reading and Math) or ACT of 24. Applicants must also have shown exemplary citizenship or leadership potential as demonstrated by participation in extracurricular activities, work experience or community service. Must complete OSU general scholarship application.

Application available: October

Due: February

**Oregon State University Forestry Scholarship**

Awards to incoming freshmen or transfer students who are pursuing a degree in one of the following areas at OSU: Forest Engineering, Forest Products, Forest Management, Forest Engineering/Civil Engineering, Forest Recreation Resources or Natural Resources. Must complete OSU general scholarship application.

Application available: October

Due: February

**Oregon State University Music Scholarship Auditions**

Auditions are in February, March, and April.

Application available: February

Due: February

**OSAC = OFFICE OF STUDENT ACCESS AND COMPLETION**

\*Largest single private scholarship organization in the State of Oregon.

\*Over 400 scholarships available.

\*To apply for these awards you MUST file the FAFSA by February 1<sup>st</sup>.

\*Go to: [www.getcollegefunds.org](http://www.getcollegefunds.org) for scholarship descriptions and applications

\*The awards listed below are only **SOME** of the scholarships offered through OSAC.

**OSAC – AFS-CIO**

Graduating seniors from Oregon high schools. Additional essay required.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Ahmad**

Graduating Seniors from Oregon high schools with a 3.50+ GPA who intend to major in English. Preference given to female applicants.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Benjamin Franklin/Green**

Graduating seniors from Oregon high schools who will attend an Oregon 4-year public university.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Blacktail Deer**

For students who major in forestry, biology, wildlife science or related fields indicating a serious commitment to careers in wildlife management.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

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**OSAC – Bob Hasson Memorial Scholarship**

Awards of \$1,500, \$2,500 and \$3,000 to graduating seniors. May be used at any accredited Oregon public or private college, university or trade school. Must write an essay on “The Proper Use of Credit in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.”

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Casey Diemert Memorial**

Scholarship for graduates of Roseburg High School. Must have a 2.75 GPA. To be used at non-profit colleges and universities in Oregon or North Dakota only.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Class of '49 Scholarship**

One \$500 scholarship sponsored by RHS class of 1949 graduates. Selection will be based on GPA, SAT/ACT scores, school involvement, essays and interview.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Class of '55 Scholarship**

One \$500 award to a graduating Roseburg High School senior. The award may be used at the college of the recipient's choice. Selection will be based on academic record (GPA/ACT scores), school involvement, essays and interviews.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Class of '57 Scholarship**

One \$1,000 award to a graduating Roseburg High School senior. The award may be used at the college of the recipient's choice. Selection will be based on academic record (GPA/ACT scores), school involvement, essays and interviews.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Dorothy Campbell Memorial**

For female high school graduates with a 2.75 + GPA with strong interest in golf. For Oregon colleges or universities only.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC - Douglas County Community**

For graduates of Douglas County high schools who will be attending college in OR, WA, CA, or ID.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Ford Sons & Daughters of Employees of Roseburg Forest Products**

Applicants must be legal dependents of eligible employees of Roseburg Forest Products Company. Selection based on GPA, SAT scores, extra curricular activities, work experience, and evidence the applicant is a contributing citizen. Parents must be employees for at least 18 months prior to March 1 deadline. Must enroll full time. May attend any eligible technical, 2- or 4-year school or college.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

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**OSAC – The Ford Scholars Program**

Students are selected each year on basis of financial need, academic promise, demonstrated leadership, community service and work experience. For college or university in Oregon only. This scholarship is renewable annually, will pay 90% or the unmet need based on FAFSA calculations.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Jackson-Journalism**

For graduating seniors of Oregon high schools who intend to enroll at an Oregon college and major in journalism.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Jackson – ODOT**

For graduating seniors who are dependents of employees or retirees of Oregon Department of Transportation or Parks and Recreation Department. Additional essay required.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Jackson – White**

For Oregon residents with a minimum of 3.75 high school GPA who served, or whose parents serve or have served, in the U.S. Armed Forces and resided in Oregon at time of the enlistment. This scholarship award must be used for colleges in Oregon only.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Luther Ellison**

Roseburg High School graduates with a 3.5+ GPA.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – OEA**

Graduating high school seniors from Oregon who plan to become teachers.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Oregon Scholarship Fund Community College Student Award**

For Oregon residents planning to enroll in community college programs.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Peter Connacher Memorial Scholarship**

For graduating seniors who are descendants of former prisoners of war. The award may be used at any college or university within the U.S.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – The Robert Byrd Honors Scholarship**

Graduating Oregon seniors selected each year on the basis of merit only, 15 from each congressional district. Applicants do not need to file the FAFSA, but must have at least a 3.85 GPA and combined SAT scores of at least 1300 or an ACT composite score of at least 29. Awards are for a maximum of \$1,500 per year and are renewable. The can be used at any 2- or 4-year U.S. college or university.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

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**OSAC – Seely**

For graduates of Douglas County high schools who plan to major in medical, nursing, or other health-related fields while attending college within Oregon.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**OSAC – Struble**

Must have a 2.75 GPA and plan to major in Arts, Engineering or Business Management.

Application available: December

Due: March 1<sup>st</sup>

**Outstanding Students of America Scholarship**

\$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to graduating high school seniors to pursue further education beyond high school. Selection based on school/community activities and service and essay. Go to:

[www.outstandingstudentsofamerica.com/](http://www.outstandingstudentsofamerica.com/)

Application available: September

Due: October

**Pacific University Merit Scholarship**

All Pacific University applicants who have a 3.0 GPA and 1000 SAT are guaranteed a \$6,000 per year scholarship. Other merit awards of up to \$8,000 per year are available to applicants whose GPA and SAT scores qualify.

Application available: October

Due: February

**PEO Star Scholarship**

A \$2,500 scholarship for a senior high school girl. Selection criteria include participation and leadership in school and community activities with an emphasis on service-orientated projects.

Application available: October

Due: October

**PGE Foundation Scholarship**

Awards of \$9,000 over 4 years (\$2,250 per year) for graduating seniors who will attend one of the following private colleges in Oregon: Concordia, George Fox, Lewis & Clark, Linfield, Marylhurst, Pacific University, Reed University of Portland, Warner Pacific, or Willamette. Selection based on high school academic record, school and community involvement and personal statement. Go to:

[www.pgefoundation.org/scholarship.html](http://www.pgefoundation.org/scholarship.html)

Application available: January

Due: March

**Phi Delta Kappa**

30 to 40 awards from \$1,000 to \$5,000 for graduating seniors who will be pursuing a career in teaching. Selection based on interest in teaching career, academic achievement, letters of recommendation, written expression and school and community activities. Go to: [www.pdkintl.org/](http://www.pdkintl.org/)

Application available: December

Due: January

**Phi Delta Theta – James Douglas McKay Scholarship for Oregon State University**

Awards of \$1,000 and \$500 are available to incoming freshmen males at OSU. Selection is based on academic as well as personal qualities.

Application available: April

Due: June

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### **Phi Gamma Delta Oregon State University Scholarship**

\$500 cash award to incoming freshman male at OSU. Selection is based on academic performance, general scholastic and community involvement, and response to application questions.

Application available: March

Due: April

### **Portland State University**

Portland State University offers scholarships for students based on merit, financial need, and being a member of an under-represented group. The following programs also offer scholarships: Maseeh College of Engineering and Computer Science, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, College of Urban & Public Affairs, Educational Equity Programs & Services, School of Social Work, The PSU Foundation, School of Business Administration, School of Fine & Performing Arts, PSU Alumni Association. For information on these scholarships go to: [www.sa.pdx.edu/scholarships/](http://www.sa.pdx.edu/scholarships/)

Application available: December

Due: Varies

### **Pride Foundation**

Pride Foundation has over 50 different types of scholarships available. Most scholarships are available for straight ally or questioning students as well as student of LGBT parents. All promote leadership and diversity in the LGBT community.. Go to [www.PrideFoundationScholar.org](http://www.PrideFoundationScholar.org) for more information.

Application available: October

Due: January

### **Principals Leadership Award (PLA)**

Scholarships ranging from \$1,000 to \$12,000. Selection is based on leadership skills, participation in service and organizations and clubs, achievements in the arts and sciences, employment experience, and academic record. Roseburg High School can nominate one senior. Go to: [www.applyists.net](http://www.applyists.net) to apply. The access key is PLA.

Application available: September

Due: November

### **Providian Medical Scholarship**

A \$500 scholarship for graduating high school seniors with a GPA of 3.0 or higher. To apply students must submit a 1,500 word essay on how medical technology has changed the face of a college course and curriculum. For more information go to: <http://www.providianmedical.com/providian-medical-scholarship/>

Application available: October

Due: January

### **Prudential Spirit of Community Awards**

Awards of \$1,000 - \$5,000 plus an all expenses paid trip to Washington, D.C. Available to all students in middle school or high school, ages 11-18 who have participated in a volunteer activity that has occurred at least in part after September 1<sup>st</sup> of current school year. Roseburg High School may select two applicants to be forwarded to the state level of competition.

Go to: [www.principals.org/prudential](http://www.principals.org/prudential)

Application available: September

Due: October

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**Questbridge – College Prep Scholarship**

Questbridge seeks to help 11<sup>th</sup> grade students from a low economic with strong academic backgrounds that are seeking potential enrollment into some of the most elite colleges in the country. 10 selected students will have full tuition, room and board, and travel covered to a summer program at Harvard, Notre Dame, Stanford or Yale. Apply on-line at: [www.questbridge.org](http://www.questbridge.org) or come the Career Center for more information.

Application available: February

Due: March

**Raymond E Dicks Memorial Scholarship**

A \$1,500 scholarship for a graduating Roseburg High School senior. Student must have a minimum of a 2.75 GPA and plan on attending an accredited community college or 4-year college or university. Successful applicants will have a demonstrated interest in math and potential for future success.

Application available: March

Due: April

**Rogue Credit Union Douglas County Scholarship**

A \$1,500 scholarship to a graduating Douglas County graduating senior. Must be attending an accredited college or university in the United States. Must have a 3.0 GPA to apply. Selection based on academics, school activities, and community involvement. For an application go to:

<https://www.roguecu.org/content/scholarship-application>

Application available: February

Due: March

**Ralph “Dunk” Ohman Memorial Band Scholarship**

One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded to a graduating senior from Roseburg High School who has been active in the RHS band program throughout their high school years. Selection will be based on academic achievement, financial need, overall contribution to school and community, and future goals. The award may be used at the school of the recipient’s choice.

Application available: January

Due: April

**RHS Class of 1953 Scholarship**

One scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 to a student who will be attending college in the state of Oregon. Must have a 3.0 GPA. School and/or community activities are factors in the selection as well as a 500 word essay. Pick-up an application in the Career Center.

Application available: February

Due: April

**RHS Class of ’64 Scholarship**

One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded to a graduating senior from Roseburg High School who will be attending Umpqua Community College.

Application available: January

Due: March

**RHS Class of ’65 Scholarship**

One scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded to a graduating senior from Roseburg High School. Selection will be based on academic achievement, school involvement, community involvement, extracurricular activities, financial need and clear career goals. The award may be used at the school of the recipient’s choice.

Application available: January

Due: April

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**Rose Elementary School – Lions Club Scholarship**

Any graduating senior who attended Rose Elementary School in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade will share a portion of an established fund.

Application available: March

Due: June

**Roseburg Breakfast Lions/Leos Club Scholarship**

Awards of \$500 each to graduating high school seniors who have been active members participants in Leos Club. The award may be used at the school of the recipient's choice. Selection is based on academic achievement, recommendations and Leos Club participation.

Application available: March

Due: April

**Roseburg Chamber of Commerce – Future First Citizen Scholarship**

Five seniors from RHS will be selected to receive a scholarship to recognize their outstanding efforts in both leadership and academics. Must have a minimum of 3.0 GPA. First place will receive a \$10,000 scholarship. The four runners-up will each receive \$2,000.

Application available: September

Due: December

**Roseburg Education Association**

Award of \$1000 to graduating high school senior whose parent or step-parent is a current member of the Roseburg Education Association or fair-share employee. Award may be used at accredited school or college of recipient's choice.

Application available: January

Due: March

**Roseburg Emblem Club Scholarship**

Financial assistance for tuition and fees at college of choice. Applicants must be son or daughter, stepchild or grandchild of current Emblem Club member.

Application available: March

Due: March

**Roseburg Indian Booster Club Scholarship**

Graduating senior with a 3.5 GPA at Roseburg High School. Involvement in school and community activities are also criteria for selection.

Application available: January

Due: March

**Roseburg Indian Booster Club - Bob Feldkamp Memorial**

Graduating Roseburg High School senior with a 3.5 GPA or higher. Intent to major in a business area in college.

Application available: January

Due: March

**Roseburg Indians Booster Club - Al Hoffman Memorial**

Graduating Roseburg High School seniors with a 3.5 GPA or higher. Involvement in RHS athletics a requirement for this award. One male and one female recipient.

Application available: January

Due: March

**Roseburg Masonic – Harmon-Usher Scholarship for Masonic Youth**

Applicants must be members of the International Order of Job's Daughters, DeMolay International or the International Order of the Rainbow.

Application available: February

Due: March

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**Rosburg Masonic – Manford L. Rathburn Memorial Scholarships**

\*\$1,200 scholarships will be awarded for study at a 4-year university for any field of study.

\*\$400 scholarships will be awarded for technical training.

Application available: February

Due: March

**Roseburg Optimist Club Scholarship**

Two awards of \$500 each to a graduating boy and girl in Douglas County who are outstanding in the areas of scholarship, athletics and community service. Applicants must be in the top 25% of graduating class, demonstrate reliability, initiative, optimism and financial need.

Application available: April

Due: May

**Roseburg Optimist Club Essay Contest**

Roseburg Optimist Club is sponsoring an essay contest for Central Douglas County students. \$200, \$100, and \$75 awards will be given to winning essays. The winning essay will be forwarded to the district level where the winner will have an opportunity for a \$2,500 award. Pick-up an application in the Career Center.

Application available: November

Due: January

**Roseburg Rotary Club Scholarship**

Six awards of \$1,500 for graduating seniors. Three are for UCC and three are for any accredited 4-year college or university in the U.S. Selection based on academic achievement, school and community activities and financial need.

Application available: February

Due: March

**The Russell Award**

\$500 award to a graduating RHS senior who is an active participant in baseball. The award may be used at the school of recipient's choice. It is not a requirement that the applicant participate in collegiate baseball. Selection based on the applicant's attitude, loyalty, dedication to the sport, academic achievement and future goals.

Application available: April

Due: April

**Saddle Butte Mobile Manor Scholarship**

Awards of \$1,000 to graduating seniors who wish to pursue education after high school. Must have a 3.0 GPA and reside at the Saddle Butte Mobile Manor.

Application available: March

Due: April

**S A E Engineering Scholarship**

100+ awards ranging from \$400 to full tuition for seniors planning to pursue a degree in Engineering. Applicants must have received SAT or ACT score by the December deadline. Some of the scholarships may be used at the university of the recipient's choice, others are for specific universities.

Go to: <http://students.sae.org/awdscholar/scholarships/engscholar/>

Application available: September

Due: December

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**SAMMY Scholarship**

Awards of \$7,500 each to outstanding scholars athletes. Applicants will be judged on academic performance (35%), athletic excellence (35%), leadership (15%), and community service (15%). Go to: [www.sammyapplication.com/](http://www.sammyapplication.com/)

Application available: January

Due: March

**Sam Walton Community Scholarship – (Wal-Mart)**

\$1,000 award to senior in the community who wishes to pursue education beyond high school at any accredited college or university. Selection based on academic achievement, extracurricular involvement and financial need. RHS may submit 5 names for consideration. Go to: <http://walmartstores.com/CommunityGiving/236.aspx>

Application available: November

Due: January

**Scholarship for the Congressional Seminar – National Essay Contest**

\$695 to attend a Congressional Seminar Workshop in Washington, D.C. in June. Open to all current sophomores, juniors and seniors. Must write an essay. The topic will pertain to U.S. History. Go to [www.nscda.org](http://www.nscda.org)

Application available: October

Due: January

**Shell Oil Company Technical Scholarship**

20 one-year awards of \$2,500 for selected graduating high school seniors enrolling in engineering or geosciences at universities identified by Shell. The Shell Oil Company Technical Scholarship and Shell Incentive Fund Scholarship have been created to provide financial and career assistance to graduating high school seniors who have expressed an interest in the energy industry and demonstrated an aptitude in mathematics and science. Go to [www. http://www.shell.us/careers/students-and-graduates/scholarships/scholarship-opportunities-for-high-school-seniors.html](http://www.shell.us/careers/students-and-graduates/scholarships/scholarship-opportunities-for-high-school-seniors.html)

Application available: January

Due: March

**Society of Women Engineers Scholarship**

\$1,000 award to senior female who intends to study engineering at an accredited 4-year college or university. Selection primarily based on scholastic achievement, community involvement and work experience. Go to: <http://societyofwomenengineers.swe.org/>

Application available: December

Due: January

**Soroptimist Foundation Youth Citizenship Awards**

Cash awards to graduating juniors and seniors. This award is NOT made for scholastic achievement, but rather for the applicant's demonstrated commitment to improving the quality of life for others.

Application available: November

Due: December

**Southern Oregon University – Diversity Scholarship**

Awards vary in amount but not exceeding full tuition each year, renewable for up to five years. Important considerations include ethnic and cultural background and financial need. Others factors are first generation college and academic ability.

Application available: December

Due: February

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**Southern Oregon University – Music Scholarship Auditions**

Auditions will be held in February for high school seniors who plan to attend SOU, majoring in Music.

Application available: November

Due: January

**Southern Oregon University – Presidential and Laurels Scholarships**

Presidential - \$2,000 per year. Minimum 3.75 GPA and 1180 SAT

Laurels - \$1,500 per year. Minimum 3.5 GPA and 1100 SAT

Application available: November

Due: February

**SEMI Scholarship**

Three \$2,000 scholarships to graduating seniors. Must have a cumulative 3.0 GPA and plan on pursuing a major such as Math, Engineering, Computer Science, or Education with a focus on teaching math or science. Preference given to applicants who have a work history, financial need, and volunteered and shown leadership experience in civic or professional associations. Additional information available in Career Center or visit: [www.semi.org/pnwscholarship](http://www.semi.org/pnwscholarship)

Application available: January

Due: February

**Stewart Robertson Memorial Scholarship**

One award of \$600 to a graduating senior from Roseburg High School who has been a participant in RHS Athletic Program at any level, including manager, statistician, etc. Selection based on scholastic, extracurricular activities and financial need. Award may be used at college of choice within Oregon.

Application available February

Due: March

**STOP Hunger Scholarships**

\$3,000 award for students from Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. The STOP Hunger Scholarships recognize and reward students who have made a significant impact in the fight against hunger and its root causes in the United States. Open to students from Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Go to: <http://www.helpstophunger.org/scholarships/index.asp>

Application available: January

Due: February

**TARGET Scholarship Program**

8 awards of \$5,000 each and 2,100 awards of \$1,000 each to graduating seniors who wish to pursue education after graduation from high school. Selection will be based primarily on the number of community service hours the applicants have contributed. Must have a 2.0 GPA.

Go to: [www.target.com/community](http://www.target.com/community)

Application available: October

Due: November

**Tom Hobbs Memorial Athletic Scholarship**

One award of \$500 for senior from Roseburg High School who has been an active participant in the athletic program throughout his or her high school years. May be used at any college or university within Oregon.

Application available: March

Due: April

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**Tom Weiss Memorial Scholarship**

A \$500 scholarship to a Roseburg High School graduating senior who has been accepted to accredited college or university. Selection will be based on essay response, activities chart, letters or recommendation, and transcript review. Pick-up an application in the Career Center.

Application available: March

Due: March

**Toyota Community Scholars Program**

100 awards of \$2,500 or \$5,000 per year for seniors who plan to enroll in any 4-year college in the United States. Applicants should have a minimum 3.0 GPA and rank in the top 10% of the graduating class. Must be actively involved in a service organization or project that has a positive impact on the school and/or community. Roseburg High School may nominate one person to compete nationally.

Application available: September

Due: December

**UCC – District Scholarship**

8 scholarships that pay 50% of tuition, up to 16 credits per term. These scholarships will be granted to Roseburg High School students who will be attending UCC in the fall. Recipients must attend full time and have a minimum GPA of 2.0.

Application available: April

Due: May

**Umpqua Community College Foundation Scholarships**

Scholarships funded by local individuals and businesses for students planning on attending UCC. Amounts of awards and criteria vary. Apply online at [www.uccfoundation.us/apply](http://www.uccfoundation.us/apply)

Application Available: January

Due: March

**Umpqua Community College Honors Scholarships**

Full tuition for graduating Douglas county seniors who have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 and higher and test into Math 95 and Writing 115.

Application available: January

Due: March

**UCC – Outside Scholarships -**

**Clair Shirey/Gladys Strong Memorial Scholarship**

\$500 scholarship to students pursuing a music major or have a real interest in music.

Applicants must include a statement explaining your interest in music. No minimum GPA required. Applicants must be from Oregon, Washington, Alaska, or Idaho.

Go to <http://www.umpqua.edu/outside-agency-scholarships> for more info.

Application available: February

Due: May

**Mabel Wassom Scholarship**

\$295 awards for students majoring in music performance. Applicants must be Douglas County residents and have a minimum 3.0 GPA.

Go to <http://www.umpqua.edu/outside-agency-scholarships> for more info.

Application available: February

Due: May

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**UCC – Lynn McDonald Memorial Scholarship**

\$900 awards for students pursuing a course of study in music. Applicants must be in good academic standing with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0.

Go to <http://www.umpqua.edu/outside-agency-scholarships> for more info.

Application available: February

Due: May

**U-Lane-O Scholarship Program**

Twenty-five scholarships of \$4,000 per year renewable, for 4 years to University of Oregon incoming freshmen. Selection will be based on financial need, academic merit, and community involvement. (Applicants must complete U of O General Scholarship application form).

Application available: January

Due: February

**Umpqua District Garden Club OSFGC Scholarship**

One award of \$300 will be given to a graduating Douglas County high school senior who plans to attend a college or university within Oregon. Applicants must have a 3.0 GPA and an interest in horticulture, agriculture, natural resources such as forestry, marine sciences and related fields.

Application available: January

Due: March

**University of Oregon Alumni Association Scholarships**

Awards of varied amounts to graduating seniors in the top 10% of their class who plan to attend the U of O. Submit the U of O General Scholarship Application.

Application available: October

Due: January

**University of Oregon Diversity Building Scholarship**

Awards ranging from partial to full tuition to attend the University of Oregon. These scholarships are available to students who enhance the educational experience of all students by sharing diverse cultural experiences.

Application available: October

Due: February

**University of Oregon Scholarships for Scientists**

The SOS program provides scholarships of up to \$10,000 to incoming freshmen and transfer students majoring in chemistry, biochemistry, or physics at the U of O. Twelve to fifteen scholarships are awarded to incoming students each year. Scholarships are based on both merit and financial need, as determined by the student's FAFSA. Scholarships are renewable for a second year for eligible students. Apply at: <http://sciencescholars.uoregon.edu/>

Application available: January

Due: February

**University of Portland Scholarship**

Awards from \$7,500 to \$14,000 per year based on a combination of merit (classes taken, GPA, SAT/ACT score) and financial need.

Application available: November

Due: March

**U.S. Bank Scholarships**

Twenty-five \$1,000 scholarships will be offered by U.S. Bank to seniors planning to attend an accredited 4-year college full-time in the Fall. Go to: [www.usbank.com](http://www.usbank.com)

Application available: October

Due: February

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**VFW –Voice of Democracy Competition**

High school students in grades 9-12 are eligible to compete for local, state and national awards. Students compete by writing and then recording a three-to-five minute audio essay expressing their views of each years patriotic theme Go to: [www.vfw.org](http://www.vfw.org) for more information.

Application available: September

Due: November

**W.A. “Pete” Brooks Scholarship**

Awards up to \$2,500 per year to students who will be enrolled in the School of Business at the University of Oregon and who plan to pursue an insurance-related career. Selection based on scholarship, leadership, school contribution and community contribution.

Application available: April

Due: May

**Washington Pulp and Paper Foundation – Paper Science Engineering Scholarship**

50 Scholarships to seniors who are interested in pursuing a degree in paper science and engineering at the University of Washington. Applicants must be in the top 25% of their class, have a 3.5 GPA, 500 SAT verbal score, 550 SAT math score and have an interest in process, chemical, computer or industrial engineering.

Application available: November

Due: February

**Washington State University Physics Scholarship**

Award equivalent to in-state tuition offered to entering freshman majoring in physics.

Application available: November

Due: April

**Western Culinary Institute High School Senior Scholarship**

\$500 award to senior who has applied to the Western Culinary Institute.

Application available: February

Due: May

**Western Oregon University Art Scholarship**

Scholarships are available to incoming freshmen Art majors at Western Oregon University. Applicants must participate in Portfolio Day, usually held in early February.

Application available: December

Due: January

**Western Oregon University – David S. Brody Memorial Scholarship**

Awards of \$8,500 each will be available to incoming students who are bilingual, show financial need, and can demonstrate a strong academic record. Go to: [www.wou.edu/scholarships](http://www.wou.edu/scholarships)

Application available: January

Due: February

**Western Oregon University – Diversity Commitment Scholarship**

Students from diverse backgrounds who have demonstrated sustained and significant effort and commitment to activities that have either increased the diversity of the applicant’s school or community or have fostered a stronger and more supportive school or community climate. Students who are traditionally underrepresented in higher education are encouraged to apply. Go to: [www.wou.edu/scholarships](http://www.wou.edu/scholarships)

Application available: January

Due: February

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**Western Oregon University – Presidential Scholarship**

\$1,000 renewable scholarship. Must have a minimum 3.4 GPA, 21 ACT or 1000 SAT in critical reading and math. Students who have a 3.8 GPA and 29 ACT or 1300 SAT in critical reading and math can qualify for \$3,500 renewable awards. Go to: [www.wou.edu/scholarships](http://www.wou.edu/scholarships)

Application available: January

Due: February

**Western Oregon University General Scholarships**

Awards of \$500 to \$2,000 are available to incoming Western Oregon students. Selection based on academic merit. Go to: [www.wou.edu/scholarships](http://www.wou.edu/scholarships)

Application available: November

Due: February

**Willamette University College of Law Writing Competition**

Must write an essay on the topic given. Open to all current high school seniors.

Application available: January

Due: February

**Willamette University Music Scholarship Auditions**

The first dates are in November. Additional dates are in February.

Application available: September

**Zonta International – Young Women in Public Affairs Award**

Open to all Douglas County high school girls aged 16 – 20. The local Douglas County winner will be given \$500 and entered into the district competition with the possibility of earning an additional \$500. On the national level, the winner will be eligible for an additional \$1,000. The purpose of the award is to recognize pre-university women students who are committed to the volunteer sector, who show evidence of volunteer leadership achievements and dedication to the advancement of status of women. Zonta encourages more women to pursue careers and leadership positions in public affairs, public policy and community organizations.

Application available: November

Due: February