



**Department of School Counseling Services**  
**SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**  
**March 4, 2022**

NAME	AMOUNT	GRADE	REQUIREMENTS	DEADLINE
<b>AMVETS Joseph L. Kee Jr. Service/Citizen Award Scholarship</b>	\$1000	12	<p>Criteria:            High school senior scheduled to graduate from high school during 2022 that has maintained a minimum 3.0 or higher school GPA, participate in high school sponsored extra-curricular activities, participate in community service, and son/daughter, grandchild and or great grandchild of a member of the Department of Florida AMVETS. This scholarship is reviewed and awarded by the AMVETS Department of Florida Service Foundation.</p> <p>Please check with your School Counseling Department for a copy of the application.</p>	<b>4/30/2022</b>
<b>AMVETS JROTC Scholarship</b>	\$1000	12	<p>Criteria: candidates must have at least 2-years of JROTC participation, maintain a minimum 3.0 or higher school GPA, participate in high school sponsored extra-curricular activities, participate in community service, and maintain a military appearance/demeanor while in the JROTC uniform.</p> <p>Please check with your School Counseling Department for a copy of the application.</p>	<b>4/30/2022</b>
<b>Belleair Garden Club</b>	\$1000	12	Student graduating from Pinellas County this year who plans to	<b>4/15/2022</b>

<b>Scholarship</b>			<p>pursue a career in Horticulture, Botany, Environmental Studies, Ecology or related field.</p> <p>For additional information and to apply, go to <a href="https://belleairgardenclub.com/scholarship-information">https://belleairgardenclub.com/scholarship-information</a> or request a copy from your school counseling department.</p>	
<b>BigFuture Build Your College List</b>	\$500-40,000	11	<p>Earn entries in monthly drawings for scholarships by completing steps to plan for college. The sooner you start and the more steps you complete, the more chances you'll have to win. This month's entries will continue to be included in upcoming monthly drawings.</p> <p>Explore colleges that interest you on College Search. Add 6 schools to your list to qualify. For additional information and to apply, go to <a href="https://pages.collegeboard.org/big-future-scholarships">https://pages.collegeboard.org/big-future-scholarships</a>.</p>	<b>Monthly Drawings through 6/30/2022</b>
<b>BigFuture Practice for the SAT</b>	\$500-40,000	11	<p>Earn entries in monthly drawings for scholarships by completing steps to plan for college. The sooner you start and the more steps you complete, the more chances you'll have to win. This month's entries will continue to be included in upcoming monthly drawings.</p> <p>Use Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy to get ready for test day. Start with 1 Timed Mini Section or 1 Diagnostic Quiz to earn your entry. For additional information and to apply, go to <a href="https://pages.collegeboard.org/big-future-scholarships">https://pages.collegeboard.org/big-future-scholarships</a>.</p>	<b>Monthly Drawings through 10/31/2022</b>
<b>College Fund of Pinellas County</b>	\$1200 per year	12+	<p>To be eligible to apply for one of our scholarships, students must meet the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be a resident of Pinellas County.</li> <li>• Be a citizen of the United States of America.</li> <li>• Be eligible to receive a Pell Grant for the upcoming school year.</li> <li>• Plan to attend a regionally accredited college or university in the upcoming school year.</li> <li>• Plan to receive a bachelor's degree.</li> </ul>	<b>6/17/2022</b>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have a high school GPA of 2.5 or better OR a college GPA of 2.0 or better.</li> </ul> <p>For additional information and to apply, go to <a href="https://www.collegefundpinellas.org/apply">https://www.collegefundpinellas.org/apply</a>.</p>	
<b>Eckerd College O'Brien/Off Scholarship for PCS Students</b>	Tuition & Fees, Room & Board	12	<p>Eligibility: Interested high school seniors from Pinellas County must be admitted to Eckerd College and have the results of their Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) sent to Eckerd by March 31, 2022, in order to be considered for this scholarship. FAFSA can be completed at <a href="http://studentaid.gov">studentaid.gov</a>; Eckerd's FAFSA code is 001487. Recipients will be determined based on their academic performance, extracurricular activities and demonstrated financial need.</p>	<b>FAFSA must be completed by 3/31/2022</b>
<b>Florida Bright Futures Scholarship</b>	Varies by Award	12	<p>Students must meet specific criteria for different award levels. Initial eligibility is based upon coursework, GPA, test scores and community service. Students must complete the Florida Financial Aid Application. To apply and for specific criteria, go to <a href="https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home">https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home</a>.</p>	<b>Complete the FFAA by 8/31/2022</b>
<b>Florida Farmworker Student Scholarship</b>	Tuition & Fees to Public Institution	12	<p>The student will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Be a Florida resident</li> <li>Earn a minimum weighted cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.5 for all high school courses creditable toward a diploma</li> <li>Complete a minimum of 30 service hours</li> <li>As documented on the student's transcript, the student must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have a minimum 90% attendance rate; and,</li> <li>Have no disciplinary action brought against him or her.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Be a farmworker or child of a farmworker. To apply, students must complete the Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) at <a href="https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home">https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home</a> as well as the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at <a href="http://www.fafsa.gov">www.fafsa.gov</a>.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Complete the FFAA by 4/1/2022</b></p> <p><b>And</b></p> <p><b>Complete the FAFSA by 5/15/2022</b></p>
<b>Game Development Scholarship Program</b>	\$5000	12+	<p>You can apply for this scholarship if you fulfill the below-mentioned eligibility criteria –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>You should be either a citizen or a permanent resident of</li> </ul>	<b>5/15/2022</b>

			<p>Australia, USA or Canada</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>You should be enrolled or planning to enroll with an accredited university/college for a full-time course in game development</li> <li>Minimum GPA achieved should be 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale)</li> <li>You should be currently pursuing an undergraduate or postgraduate degree in computer engineering, computer science which includes either one of them – B.Tech., M.Tech, M. Sc, or M.S. in IT.</li> </ul> <p>For more information and to apply, go to:  <a href="https://www.aistechnolabs.com/game-development-scholarship-program-usa-canada/">https://www.aistechnolabs.com/game-development-scholarship-program-usa-canada/</a>.</p>	
<b>Innovation in Education Scholarship</b>	\$500	9-12+	<p>Criteria: Must currently be enrolled as a high school or college/university student within the United States or Canada. Must have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 (or the equivalent). Must be a citizen of, permanent resident of, or hold a valid student visa in the United States or Canada.</p> <p>Must have designed an innovative project that makes a difference in the lives of others (This could be a website, series of blogs, an app, fundraising event, etc.) For additional information and to apply, go to: <a href="https://www.latutors123.com/scholarship/">https://www.latutors123.com/scholarship/</a></p>	<b>Monthly Drawing- must be in by the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month</b>
<b>ITE Diversity Scholars Program</b>	\$4000 per year	12+	<p>The following criteria must be met by the high school or community college applicant and maintained by the undergraduate student:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>United States high school or community college student of African-American; Native American, Alaskan, and Hawaiian; or Hispanic/Latino heritage</li> <li>United States citizen or lawful permanent resident of the United States</li> <li>Intended or declared major in transportation engineering, planning, or a related field,</li> <li>Full-time enrollment or intended enrollment at an accredited college or university with an <a href="#">ITE student</a></li> </ul>	<b>3/15/2022</b>

			<p><a href="#">chapter</a>,</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good academic standing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Minimum high school grade point average of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale),</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Additional preferences: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ First generation college student (neither parent received a baccalaureate degree),</li> <li>○ Low household income - applicants that are eligible for Pell Grants will be given priority, but those not eligible for Pell Grants will still be considered</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>For additional information and to apply, go to <a href="https://www.ite.org/membership/diversity-scholars-program/">https://www.ite.org/membership/diversity-scholars-program/</a>.</p>	
<b>Jose' Marti' Scholarship Challenge</b>	\$2000	12	<p>The student will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Submit a completed, error-free (FFAA) by April 1, 2021 (available October 1, 2020). Applicants will be ranked by their application submission date, if necessary.</li> <li>• Be of Spanish culture, born in or having a natural parent who was born in either Mexico or a Hispanic country of the Caribbean, Central or South America, regardless of race. Students of the following countries are not considered for an evaluation of this scholarship: Brazil, Spain and Haiti.</li> <li>• Have earned a minimum unweighted cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0.</li> <li>○ A prospective undergraduate student must apply during senior year of high school and ensure that either the high school principal or designee certifies online the student's 7th semester unweighted cumulative GPA to the Office of Student Financial Assistance (OSFA) by a date established by the Florida Department of Education (FDOE).</li> <li>○ Demonstrate a minimum of \$2,000 in financial need by timely completing and submitting the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) in time to be processed error-free by the U.S. Department of Education on or before May 15. To apply, students must complete the Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) at <a href="https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home">https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home</a> as well as the Free Application for Federal Student Aid</li> </ul>	<p><b>Complete the FFAA by 4/1/2022</b></p> <p><b>And</b></p> <p><b>Complete the FAFSA by 5/15/2022</b></p>

			(FAFSA) at <a href="http://www.fafsa.gov">www.fafsa.gov</a> .	
<b>Jump Start Scholarship NEW!</b>	\$3100	12	<p><b>Eligibility:</b> Graduating seniors from Pinellas County Schools who demonstrate financial need. Must attend a Florida public college, university, or career &amp; technical college. Must complete the FAFSA, submit financial documentation, be a Florida resident enrolled in PCS and must remain drug &amp; crime free.</p> <p>For additional information, and to apply, go to <a href="http://www.pinellaseducation.org/scholarships">www.pinellaseducation.org/scholarships</a> .</p>	<b>4/30/2022</b>
<b>La Jolla Mom Communications Scholarship</b>	\$500	12	<p>To qualify for this scholarship, applicants must be enrolled in an undergraduate communications or related field degree program at an accredited college in the United States OR a graduating high school senior who has plans to study communications or related fields.</p> <p>The scholarship recipient must be a US citizen or a permanent legal resident and will also be required to provide proof of acceptance to his or her college or university, or a college transcript.</p> <p>For more info and to apply go to <a href="https://lajollamom.com/scholarships/">https://lajollamom.com/scholarships/</a>.</p>	<b>4/1/2022 for Spring Scholarship</b>
<b>LGBTQ STEM Scholarship NEW!</b>	\$500	12	<p>Selection will be based on academic history and extracurricular activities. Financial need will not be considered.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applicants should be pursuing an undergraduate degree in any field of study.</li> <li>• Must be a U.S. Citizen or Permanent U.S. Resident.</li> <li>• Must be an LGBTQ student enrolled (or accepted) in an accredited college or university to study STEM and planning on continuing the next year.</li> <li>• Graduating high school seniors who meet the above-mentioned criteria may apply.</li> </ul>	<b>5/1/2022</b>

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<b>Paul Toomey IT Scholarship</b>	\$3500	12	<p>Criteria for the scholarship includes above-average achievement and motivation towards advancing his/her education in a computer-related field, outstanding service to their school and/or the community, involvement in extracurricular events, and admirable leadership.</p> <p>Please check with your School Counseling Department for a copy of the application.</p>	<b>4/1/2022</b>
<b>Personal Injury Attorneys McQuaid &amp; Douglas Scholarship</b>	\$200-1200	12	<p>Qualifications: High school senior in Pinellas or Hillsborough County. To be considered for a scholarship, student need to complete an application including an essay.</p> <p>Students can find out more information and apply at <a href="https://www.727injury.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/scholarship.pdf">https://www.727injury.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/scholarship.pdf</a>.</p>	<b>4/1/2022</b>
<b>Pinellas County School District Teacher Scholarship</b> <b>NEW!</b>	\$8000	12	<p><b>Criteria:</b> Graduating senior from a Pinellas County School District high school; Florida resident; have a valid Social Security Number; interest in pursuing a degree in Education; attend a four-year university in Florida (must be accepted by 3/31/2022); demonstrate financial need via the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA); and minimum weighted GPA of 3.0.</p> <p>Please check with your School Counseling Department for a copy of the application.</p>	<b>4/1/2022</b>

<p><b>Positive Coaching Alliance, Triple-Impact Competitor</b></p>	<p>\$2000</p>	<p>11</p>	<p><b>Requirements:</b> Any high school junior (Class of 23) who plays a high school or club sport with a 2.5+ GPA and contributes to sport on 3 levels: better oneself, teammates and sport as a whole. Submit a completed online application form that includes 3 references.</p> <p>For more information about the Triple-Impact Competitor Scholarship, visit: <a href="http://www.positivecoach.org/awards-programs">www.positivecoach.org/awards-programs</a></p>	<p><b>4/30/2022</b></p>
<p><b>Randolph Bracy Ocoee Scholarship</b></p>	<p>Up to \$6100</p>	<p>12+</p>	<p>The Randolph Bracy Ocoee Scholarship Program was created to provide student financial assistance for a maximum of 50 eligible students who are either (1) a direct descendant of victims of the Ocoee Election Day Riots of November 1920, or (2) current African-American residents of Ocoee, Florida. Applicants must provide proof of ancestry or proof of residency to the Office of Student Financial Assistance (OSFA) for initial eligibility consideration. Eligible students must attend a state university, public state college, or public postsecondary technical center in Florida. To apply, students must complete the Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) at <a href="https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home">https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home</a> as well as the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at <a href="http://www.fafsa.gov">www.fafsa.gov</a>.</p>	<p><b>Complete the FFAA by 4/1/2022</b></p> <p><b>And</b></p> <p><b>Complete the FAFSA by 5/15/2022</b></p> <p><b>And provide documentation by 4/1/2022 if applying as a direct descendent</b></p>
<p><b>Rosewood Family Scholarship</b></p>	<p>Up to \$6100</p>	<p>12+</p>	<p>The Rosewood Family Scholarship Program was created to provide student financial assistance for a maximum of 50 eligible students who prove they are direct descendants of Rosewood families affected by the historical incidents of January 1923. Applicants are required to supply the descendant information on the Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) for verification. Eligible students must attend a state university, public state college, or public postsecondary technical center in Florida. To apply, students must</p>	<p><b>Complete the FFAA by 4/1/2022</b></p> <p><b>And</b></p> <p><b>Complete the FAFSA by</b></p>



			complete the Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) at <a href="https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home">https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home</a> as well as the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at <a href="http://www.fafsa.gov">www.fafsa.gov</a> .	<b>5/15/2022</b>
<b>Scholarships for Children and Spouses of Deceased or Disabled Veterans</b>	Up to 110 hours towards first Bachelor's or Certificate	12	General eligibility: The child will: • Be between the ages of 16 and 22. • Be initially eligible prior to his or her 23rd birthday. • Be a dependent child of a qualified veteran whose official military and residency status is certified by the Florida Department of Veterans Affairs. • Receive educational opportunity until such a time as the parent classified as prisoner of war or missing in action is returned alive or otherwise classified. To apply go to <a href="https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home">https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home</a> .	<b>Complete the FFAA by 4/1/2022</b>
<b>Study.com Scholarship for Women in Engineering <b>NEW!</b></b>	\$500	12	<p>Selection will be based on academic history and extracurricular activities. Financial need will not be considered.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be a U.S. Citizen or Permanent U.S. Resident</li> <li>• Must be an enrolled (or accepted) woman student in an accredited college or university who is planning on continuing the next year.</li> <li>• Graduating high school seniors who meet the above-mentioned criteria may apply.</li> <li>• Must have a minimum of 30 semester or 45 quarter hours still to be completed.</li> <li>• Must consent to provide a digital photograph of self and quote for display on Study.com if notified as the award winner by the selection committee</li> </ul> <p>Requirements</p> <p>Applicants should be pursuing a degree with an engineering emphasis, such as one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor's in Software Engineering</li> </ul>	<b>5/1/2022</b>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor's in Biomedical Engineering</li> <li>• Bachelor's in Engineering Management</li> <li>• Bachelor's in Electrical Engineering</li> </ul> <p>For additional information and to apply, go to <a href="https://study.com/resources/women-in-engineering-scholarship">https://study.com/resources/women-in-engineering-scholarship</a> .</p>	
<b>Study.com Scholarship for Women in Environmental Science NEW!</b>	\$500	12	<p>Selection will be based on academic history and extracurricular activities. Financial need will not be considered.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applicants should be pursuing an undergraduate degree in environmental science.</li> <li>• Must be a U.S. Citizen or Permanent U.S. Resident.</li> <li>• Must be an enrolled (or accepted) female student in an accredited college or university and planning on continuing the next year.</li> <li>• Graduating high school seniors who meet the above-mentioned criteria may apply.</li> <li>• Must have a minimum of 30 semester or 45 quarter hours still to be completed.</li> <li>• Must consent to provide a digital photograph of self and quote for display on Study.com if notified as the award winner by the selection committee.</li> </ul> <p>For additional information and to apply, go to <a href="https://study.com/resources/women-in-environmental-science-scholarship#0230">https://study.com/resources/women-in-environmental-science-scholarship#0230</a>.</p>	5/1/2022
<b>Study.com Scholarship for Women in Science NEW!</b>	\$500	12	<p>Selection will be based on academic history and extracurricular activities. Financial need will not be considered.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be a U.S. Citizen or Permanent U.S. Resident</li> <li>• Must be an enrolled (or accepted) woman student in an accredited college or university who is planning on continuing the next year.</li> </ul>	5/1/2022

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Graduating high school seniors who meet the above-mentioned criteria may apply.</li> <li>• Must have a minimum of 30 semester or 45 quarter hours still to be completed.</li> <li>• Must consent to provide a digital photograph of self and quote for display on Study.com if notified as the award</li> </ul> <p>Requirements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applicants should be pursuing a degree in a scientific field of study, such as biology, physical science, chemistry, or physics.</li> </ul> <p>For additional information and to apply, go to <a href="https://study.com/resources/women-in-science-scholarship#0230">https://study.com/resources/women-in-science-scholarship#0230</a>.</p>	
<b>Study.com Scholarship for Women in STEM</b> <b>NEW!</b>	\$500	12+	Award given to a woman student pursuing any associate's or bachelor's degree program emphasizing STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics). Areas of study that will be considered include science, technology, engineering, mathematics, engineering technology, and computer science, among others. For additional information and to apply, go to <a href="https://study.com/resources/women-in-stem-scholarship#0230">https://study.com/resources/women-in-stem-scholarship#0230</a> .	<b>5/1/2022</b>
<b>Varsity Tutors</b>	\$1000 monthly		Monthly scholarship where students must write an essay in response to a monthly prompt. For more information visit <a href="http://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship">http://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship</a>	<b>Monthly deadlines</b>
<b>Woodson Warriors Scholarship</b> <b>NEW!</b>	TBA	12	Qualifications: minimum GPA of 3.0; graduating senior; African American student; resident of St. Petersburg, FL. For additional information and to apply, go to <a href="https://bit.ly/34LU9K8">https://bit.ly/34LU9K8</a>	<b>4/15/2022</b>
<b>Women in Computer Science</b> <b>NEW!</b>	\$500	12	<p>Selection will be based on academic history and extracurricular activities. Financial need will not be considered.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applicants must be women pursuing a degree in a computer science field to qualify for this award.</li> <li>• Must be a U.S. Citizen or Permanent U.S. Resident.</li> </ul>	<b>5/1/2022</b>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be an enrolled (or accepted) female student in an accredited college or university and planning on continuing the next year.</li> <li>• Graduating high school seniors who meet the above-mentioned criteria may apply.</li> <li>• Must have a minimum of 30 semester or 45 quarter hours still to be completed.</li> <li>• Must consent to provide a digital photograph of self and quote for display on Study.com if notified as the award winner by the selection committee.</li> </ul> <p>For additional information and to apply, go to <a href="https://study.com/resources/women-in-computer-science-scholarship#0230">https://study.com/resources/women-in-computer-science-scholarship#0230</a>.</p>	
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**\*\*Please see your counseling department for scholarships specific to your school\*\***

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