

College/University, Financial Aid, Grants & Scholarship Websites

Success is not the key to happiness. Happiness is the key to success. If you love what you are doing, you will be successful. ~ Albert Schweitzer

These are helpful websites for juniors and seniors for College searches, Majors, College admission info, Scholarship searches, Financial aid etc!

Choosing a College

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/college-search>

Guide to finding colleges, exploring careers and majors, paying for college

www.petersons.com

Guide to finding colleges in which you may be interested; also includes test prep and scholarship searches

www.collegequest.com

Degree Program Matching Tool, Colleges & Trade Schools by State

www.commonapp.org

The path to applying to hundreds of different colleges/universities

www.princetonreview.com

Reviews of colleges

www.nacacnet.org

Info for College admission, rankings and college fairs

www.zinch.com

Info for College admissions

Choosing a Career

www.online.onetcenter.org

Take an interest survey and find out which careers match your interests

Applications/Writing Essays

www.collegeapps.about.com

Free sample essays and tips for choosing an essay topic

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/get-in/essays>

Tips for crafting your best college essays

www.quintcareers.com

8 free sample essays and tips for deciding on a topic

Financial Aid - Start your FAFSA any time after October 1, at:

<https://fafsa.ed.gov/>

The path to applying for financial aid, never pay for this application!

FSA ID – All students and one parent will need to apply for their own FSA ID in order to electronically sign their FAFSA. It takes 4 days to receive it in your email so apply for this early! <https://fsaid.ed.gov/>

- **Senior Class of 2021: Apply for colleges, schools, and scholarships on time! Deadlines matter! Don't start just before the deadline, start it as soon as you see or receive the scholarship application!**
- **Letters of Recommendation:** Please be respectful of people's time. Ask for recommendations **early!** Follow up with an email thanking the teacher / counselor and give them a date you would like it completed! Always allow at least 10 days for them to complete it. Give them a thank you card afterwards for writing the letter for you!

SCHOLARSHIPS

DO NOT PAY FOR SCHOLARSHIP SEARCHES! Free Scholarship Services on the Web:

www.fastweb.com/scholarships

www.needlift.org

www.federalstudentaid.ed.gov/scholarship

www.schoolsoup.com

www.students.gov

www.freescholarships.com

www.collegescholarships.com

www.scholarshipworkshop.com

Listed below are a number of scholarship *websites* to assist you with identifying scholarships to help pay for college.

Career One Stop <https://www.careeronestop.org/toolkit/training/find-scholarships.aspx>

Fast Web www.fastweb.com

Schlarships.com <https://www.scholarships.com/>

Big Future College Board <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search>

Unigo <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships>

Capex <https://www.cappex.com/>
Chegg <https://www.chegg.com/scholarships#>

Scholarship Monkey <http://www.scholarshipmonkey.com/>

Dreamers Roadmap <http://www.dreamersroadmap.com/scholarships/>

US Bank
<https://www.usbank.com/community/financial-education/scholarship-application-form.html>

African American Scholarships

<https://www.salliemae.com/college-planning/college-scholarships/types-of-scholarships/minority-scholarships/african-american-scholarships/>

<https://www.fastweb.com/college-scholarships/articles/scholarships-for-african-american-students>

<https://edubirdie.com/blog/african-american-scholarship>

Scholarships from Organizations and Businesses

Arizona grants & scholarships www.azfoundation.org

AZ Scholarships www.collegescholarships.org/state/arizona

AmeriCorps
<http://ww1.americorps.org/?subid1=1632adae-c8bd-11e7-9b54-00957a0019e9>

Army Emergency Relief * <https://www.aerhq.org/>

BBB Essay Scholarship <https://torchessay.bbbcommunity.org>

Careerfitter Scholarship * <https://www.careerfitter.com/scholarship>

Careers and Colleges <https://www.careersandcollege.com>

Exack Time Scholarship <https://www.exaktime.com/scholarship/>

Flinn Foundation <https://flinn.org/flinn-scholars>

GE-Reagan Foundation

<https://www.reaganfoundation.org/education/scholarship-programs/ge-reagan-foundation-scholarship-program/>
Up to \$40,000 per scholar due 01/4/2020

Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation * <https://www.mcsf.org/>

OnlineColleges.net (Scholarships for Minority Students)*
<http://www.onlinecolleges.net/for-students/financial-aid-minorities/>

Sallie Mae Scholarships *
<https://www.salliemae.com/college-planning/college-scholarships/>

Solar Action Alliance <https://solaractionalliance.org/scholarship/>

Study Abroad Scholarships <https://www.goabroad.com/scholarships-abroad>

Tobacco-Free Life Scholarship	https://tobaccofreelife.org/scholarship/
UniversityTutor.com	https://www.universitytutor.com/scholarship-contest
Varsity Tutors Scholarship	https://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship
WalMart Foundation Scholarship Programs	http://giving.walmart.com/?p=236