2024 SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION (UPDATED JAN-24)					
ALL YOUTH GROUPS					
NAME (CLICK NAME TO OPEN WEBSITE)	DEADLINE	DESCRIPTION			
Colorado Masonic Scholarship Programs	Various	The Masonic Fraternity has a long history of promoting Higher Education through it's communities within Colorado. They provide options to assist students seeking advancement through Universities, Colleges and Vocational Schools throughout the State.			
Order of The Eastern Star Scholarships	April	The Grand Chapter of Colorado scholarships; Click "What is Eastern Star", then Scholarship info			
National Sojourners	Jan 15th	The National Site for information concerning Youth Leadership Conferences, ROTC/JROTC Awards and Essay Contest			
Scottish Rite, SJ Scholarship	Various	To ensure that future deserving students receive our scholarship support, the Development Office—through the Scottish Rite Foundation, Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A., Inc.			
Scottish Rite, NMJ Scholarship	Various	The Abbott Scholarship Program provides financial support for the continuing undergraduate and graduate education of Scottish Rite Masons, young men and women from Scottish Rite families, and Masonic-related youth groups.			
		JOBS DAUGHTERS ONLY			
Jobs Daughters International Scholarship	April 30th	The JDI page for Scholarships and related information			
Colorado Jobs Daughters Scholarship Website	March 1st	The Colorado JDI page for Scholarships and related information			
	RAINBOW ONLY				
Rainbow Scholarship Website	April 1st	The Colorado Rainbow for Girls Site for Scholarship and other related information			
		DEMOLAY ONLY			
<u>DeMolay Foundation Scholarships</u>	April 1st	The DeMolay International Site for Scholarships and Internship Information.			
		GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION			
Colorado Department of Higher Education		Working with the Colorado Commission on Higher Education, we support students, advocate and develop policies and to maximize higher education opportunities for all.			
<u>College Invest</u>		At CollegeInvest our goal is to provide a variety of savings options that all meet the needs of Colorado families, regardless of saving and investment preferences. We provide expert information, simple financial planning tools, and tax advantaged 529 college savings plans to help Coloradans achieve their higher education goals.			
My Colorado Journey		My Colorado Journey connects job seekers and students to careers, education planning and support resources through a guided process that drives action and goal completion			
Federal Application for Student Aid (FAFSA)		The FASFA application is done in January of each year. This does not mean you have to get financial aid but sends information to the college of your choice that may enable you to qualify for grants.			
		SCHOLARSHIP SEARCH ENGINES			
<u>Bold</u>		Bold.org makes it easy for students to apply to countless scholarships with awards ranging from a few hundred dollars to thousands of dollars.			
<u>College Board</u>		The College Board is a mission-driven not-for-profit organization that connects students to college success and opportunity. Founded in 1900, the College Board was created to expand access to higher education. Today, the membership association is made up of over 6,000 of the world's leading educational institutions and is dedicated to promoting excellence and equity in education.			
<u>FAST Web</u>		Leading online resource in finding scholarships to help you pay for school			
<u>FinAid</u>		The Go-to Guide for College Financial Aid Information on financial aid for college and tips on how to help ease the burden of college expenses.			
Going Merry		GoingMerry is a scholarship platform that works with over 7,000 high schools and focuses on hyperlocal scholarships as well as third-party national scholarships.			

<u>Mosaiec</u>		MOSAIEC is a public service website dedicated to helping college students find the best ways to pay for their education and graduate with the lowest amount of student loan debt possible.					
<u>Sallie Mae</u>		Federal funding Site With products like private student loans, credit cards, and savings accounts—plus our financial tools, resources, and information					
<u>Scholarships.com</u>		Scholarships.com offers quick and easy access to over 2.7 million free college scholarships. Over the years, they've provided access to scholarships with a total value of over \$19 billion since its inception.					
	COLORADO SCHOLARSHIPS						
ACEC Colorado Scholarships	Jan	American Council of Engineering Companies (ACEC) of Colorado endows over \$30,000 in scholarships for bright, young engineers. Upper-division engineering majors entering their junior, senior, or fifth year could receive one of five funds, such as the Sandy Donnel Memorial Scholarship.					
Alexander Foundation	April	Applicants must be gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgendered, reside in Colorado and be accepted or enrolled in an accredited Colorado institution of higher education.					
Arapahoe Credit Union Scholarships	May 1st	Any graduating senior or returning student to an accredited institution with a membership at Arapahoe CU is eligible. \$5000 (2 scholarships of \$2,500 each) is available to our members.					
Belle M. Loustalet Memorial Nursing Scholarships	March	The North Colorado Medical Center Foundation offers three Belle M. Loustalet Memorial Nursing Scholarships annually for \$3,500 each. The scholarship is awarded annually to an individual who has been accepted into an accredited nursing program with plans to complete a bachelor's or associate's degree in nursing.					
Boettcher Scholarship	Nov 1st	Rank in the top five percent of their graduating class or the top two students in classes under 40 students. Score 1200 or higher on the SAT reading and math sections combine or 27 or higher on the ACT Scholarship amount ranges from \$50,000 - \$160,000.					
Bradley D. Gendron Memorial Scholarship	April	The Bradley D. Gendron Memorial Scholarship is awarded by the Diabetes Scholars Foundation annually. High school seniors who've successfully managed living with diabetes could use funding at any accredited four-year university or technical school.					
CCHS/CR Voluenteerism/Community Service Scholarship	Jan 28th	\$1250 dollars to eligible high school graduates who will be attending an undergraduate program at an in-state college or university. Fourteen scholarships are awarded annually, and emphasis is placed on community service.					
Celebrate the West Art Competition	April 30th	The Western Governors' Foundation is proud to host the 2022 Celebrate the West regional art competition, which challenges high school students to create original works inspired by their state.					
College Access Challenge Grant	June 30th	The purpose of the College Access Challenge Grant Program (CACGP) is to foster partnerships among federal, state, and local governments and philanthropic organizations through matching challenge grants that are aimed at increasing the number of low-income students who are prepared to enter and succeed in postsecondary education.					
Colorado Educational Services and Development Assoication	April	CESDA will be awarding seven \$1000 (contingent on the availability of funds) awards. Each scholarship is a one time, non-renewable award. Each scholarship is a one time, non-renewable award. Please note that the CESDA Diversity Scholarship Application requires several written components and documents that need to be uploaded to the application.					
Credit Union of Colorado Foundation Scholarships	Opens in March	Credit Union of Colorado Foundation sponsors 10 annual scholarships for \$5,000 apiece. An additional three \$1,500 scholarships are presented for students enrolling in the 13-site Colorado Community College System. CUOFCO members residing in Colorado could earn these renewable awards to fulfill financial aid gaps each May.					
<u>Daniels Fund</u>	November 30th	The Daniels Fund Scholarship Program consists of the Daniels Scholarship, for graduating high school seniors, and the Daniels Opportunity Scholarship, for nontraditional students.					
<u>Denver Foundation</u>	Ongoing	The Denver Foundation offers a number of scholarship programs for which students and teachers can apply.					
Denver Scholarship Foundation	April 1st	The Denver Scholarship Foundation inspires and empowers Denver Public Schools' students to enroll in and graduate from post-secondary institutions of higher education, by providing the tools, knowledge, and financial resources essential for success.					
<u>Greenhouse Scholars</u>	January 1st	To be considered eligible for our program, you must be a graduating high school senior planning to attend a four-year accredited academic institution, minimum 3.5 GPA, must demonstrate strong commitment to the community, ability to persevere through difficult circumstances, possess excellent leadership skills and financial need. Student must also demonstrate financial need.					
MCA Failure Fair Scholarships	Feb/Mar	The Museum of Contemporary Art (MCA) Denver grants its Failure Fair Scholarships to young Coloradoans who submit an innovative, risk-taking creative project.					

MGMA Western Section Scholarship	March	The ACMPE Scholarship Fund Inc. (SFI) is a program that supports individuals who, by virtue of experience, current position and future career plans, demonstrate potential to contribute to MGMA's mission of transforming healthcare.
Pinnacol Foundation Scholarship	Nov-Feb	The Foundation awards over \$380,000 yearly to scholarship recipients who're the natural or adopted children of employees killed or permanently disabled in compensable workplace accidents. Before their 25th birthday and the April 15th deadline, candidates should submit their parent's General Admission of Liability.
Sachs Foundation	Jan 1st and March 1st	Applicants must be a member of the Black/African-American race and must be a full time Colorado resident for a minimum of five years. Applications are only accepted from current high school seniors. Average undergraduate grant is normally \$5,000 a year.
Simon Youth Foundation	Feb 16th	Simon Youth Foundation works to help students achieve their goals, and cost alone should not prevent a student from furthering their education. Each year, SYF awards, on average, \$1 million, based on available funding, in scholarships to help students with the cost of post-secondary education.
Stephen T. Marchello Scholarship	March 15th	The Stephen T. Marchello Scholarship Foundation was created in 1999 by two grieving parents who lost their hockey fanatic son to Ewing's sarcoma. Scholarships award \$1,000 to college-bound seniors who've overcome a cancer diagnosis.
Warrick Dunn Charities	Jun-Jul	Warrick Dunn Charities' Hearts for Community Service scholarships help to offset the financial burden of attending a post-secondary institution and support student's goals to better themselves academically by creating access to higher paying jobs, economic stability, and a better quality of life for themselves and generations to come.

UNUSUAL SCHOLARSHIPS			
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American Association of Candy Technologists	Apr 30th	Have an interest in confectionery technology College sophomores, juniors or seniors who have a demonstrated interest in confectionery technology can receive a scholarship.	
American Fire Sprinkler Association	Aug	The American Fire Sprinkler Association created the college scholarship program to help with the educational and training pursuits of students. The AFSA wants to educate the public-at-large about the life-saving properties of automatic fire sprinklers.	
Asparagus Club Scholarship	April	With up to ten scholarships available per year, the Asparagus Club offers funding to any student interested in pursuing an education in a field related to the grocery industry.	
Collegiate Inventors Competition	May	For nearly 30 years, the Collegiate Inventors Competition (CIC) has been providing funding for young inventors from more than 180 different countries. Have a great, innovative idea? Build and submit your invention and you could be one of the next students to be rewarded for their imagination and ingenuity.	
Create-A-Greeting-Card Scholarship Contest	March	This contest is designed to give high school and collegiate-level students the opportunity to flex their creativity and design an original greeting card. All artwork must be original and can include photography and graphic design. Non-winning greeting cards may still be selected for publishing, in which case the artist will be compensated.	
<u>David Letterman Scholarship</u>		David Letterman started a scholarship in 1985 for Ball State students with a telecommunications major or minor. A self-described average student, Letterman based his scholarship primarily on creativity, not grades. Applying students must submit a creative project, such as writing, research, interactive media, computer graphics, or websites.	
<u>Debt.com Scholarship For Aggressive Scholarship Applicants</u>		Debt.com will give you \$500 simply for applying for other scholarships.	
<u>Foreclosure.com Scholarship</u>	Mid- Dec	The debate regarding home ownership differences between the Boomer and Millennial generations has been a hot point for discussion recently. This scholarship allows students to express their opinions on their controversial matter by discussing the pros and cons of renting versus buying a home. Essays are required to be a minimum of 800 words.	
Gamers Helping Gamers Scholarship	Mar 31st	The Gamers Helping Gamers program disperses up to two non-renewable scholarships annually for students who enjoy playing Magic: The Gathering. Applicants will be required to submit a written statement discussing their favorite and least favorite Magic cards, as well as the reasons they feel Magic: The Gathering can teach lessons that are applicable to the real world.	
Google - Doodle for Google	Varies	Doodle for Google is an annual art contest open to students in grades K-12. Students are invited to create their own Google Doodle for the chance to have it featured on Google.com, as well as win some great scholarships and tech packages for their schools.	
Google Scholarships & Internships	Various	The website for Scholarship and Internships with Google.	

M3 Challenge	Feb 19th	MathWorks Math Modeling (M3) Challenge is a contest for high school juniors and seniors in the U.S. and sixth form students in England and Wales. Through participation, students experience what it's like to work as a team to tackle a real-world problem under time and resource constraints, akin to those faced by professional mathematicians working in industry. Extra credits awards are available for teams who choose to write or employ outstanding code as part of their solution. The Challenge awards \$100,000.
Make Me Laugh Scholarship	Aug 31st	This stress-free scholarship only requires one thing from applicants: submission of a story (250 words or less) detailing a funny or embarrassing incident you have experienced in your life. If you can make the folks at Unigo laugh, you may just walk away with a bit more money in your wallet.
Music Forward Foundation	Varies	Music Forward, in partnership with Live Nation, Inherit the Music, and Governors Ball, is proud to be able to provide financial support to undergraduate students with a declared major pursuing a career in music & live entertainment.
National Potato Council Scholarship Program	June	Interested in conducting research that applies to everyone's favorite starch? The National Potato Council provides annual funding to graduate research students who exhibit both leadership qualities and overall academic prowess. Awards are typically dispersed in August of each year and is applicable to both fall and spring semesters.
Parapsychology Foundation	July	A scholarship of \$3,000 to assist a student who wishes to pursue academic study of the science of parapsychology. The site hosts several grants and scholarships related to the field and pursuit of Parapsychology.
Society of Vacuum Coaters Foundation	Various	The SVC Foundation is dedicated to developing future leaders in vacuum coating technology. We support the education and scientific activities of both students and those working in this field. There are three scholarship-related opportunities: College Scholarships, Industry Scholarships, and Student Travel Sponsorship.
<u>Taco Bell Foundation</u>	Nov 17th	Taco Bell Foundation is awarding \$1 million in scholarships to young adults. We are looking for innovators, creators and dreamers who have the passion to pursue their unique dreams.
Tall Clubs International	Mar 1st	If you're under 21 and about to start college in the fall and meet TCI height requirement minimums 5'10" for women and 6'2" for men you can win a scholarship for up to \$1,000.
The Francis Ouimet Scholarship Fund	Dec	Named in honor of the "father of amateur golf", the Francis Ouimet Scholarship fund disperses need-based financial assistance packages annually to students working in the golf industry. Applicants must have at least two years' experience working as caddies, course attendants, or pro shop employees. This scholarship is renewable up to four years.
Writers of the Future	Mar 31st	This site has two contests one for Illustrations and the other for Writing, both in the Science Fiction Genre
Zombie Apocalypse Scholarship	Oct 31st	Our Zombie Apocalypse Scholarship committee wants to know your plan to avoid the zombies, where you'd hide, and the top-five things you'd bring to stay alive. We're giving one successful survivor \$2,000 towards his or her college education.