

*** Scholarship Bulletin ***

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SENIOR UPDATES:

•Come to the *Kecoughtan Parent Financial Aid Night* December 12th at 6:00.

A college financial aid director will present a program and answer questions on the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) form and on financial awards. This is the start of the biggest source of financial aid, and necessary for other sources of aid, even for non-need aid.

SCHOLARSHIPS:

Micron Science & Technology Scholars Program

Amount: \$25,000 (6)

Availability: Up to 13, five states including Virginia

Based On: Minimum SAT 1350, unweighted GPA 3.5; a major in engineering, physics, chemistry, or material science. You must have demonstrated leadership in school, work, or extra-curricular activities.

Note: Applications on line @ www.micron.scholarshipamerica.org

Deadline: Jan. 19

Toyota Community Scholars

Amount: \$10,000-\$20,000

Availability: 100, National (KHS will nominate 1 student)

Requires: Outstanding academic record, effective leader, well documented record of service inside and outside the school setting, minimum GPA 3.0.

KHS Deadline: Application due to Mrs. Thompson by Dec. 14

National MS Society Scholarship

Amount: \$1000 - \$3000

Requires: Student or parent with Multiple Sclerosis

Based on: Financial need, academic record, leadership, essay on impact of MS on their life.

NOTE: Applications online: www.nationalmssociety.org/scholarship

Deadline: January 15

Society of the Cincinnati History Essay Contest

Amount: \$3000

Availability: 4 - Virginia

Based On: The essay, 1500 words max., is to address The Declaration of Independence.

Note: Application, guidelines in guidance.

Deadline: Feb. 22

Lillard, John R., Virginia Airport Operators Council Scholarship

Amount: \$3,000

Availability: 1, VA

Requires: 3.75 GPA, planning a career in any aviation field, accepted into an aviation related program at an accredited college.

Based on: Academics, essay, accomplishments, financial need.

Deadline: February 20 (to be received by this date)

Plentl, Willard G., Aviation Scholarship

Amount: \$1000

Availability: 1, VA

Requires: 3.5 GPA, accepted into a non-engineering aviation career education program.

Based on: Academics, essay, financial need

Deadline: February 20 (to be received by this date)

Vice Admiral Samuel Gravely Scholarship

Amount: \$2500 (1), \$1500 (2)
Availability: 3 – Tidewater
Requires: 3.0, attend four year college in the fall, essay.
Deadline: April 4

Young Native Writers Essay Contest

Amount: \$1000 - \$5000
Availability: 5 – National
Requires: Native American
Note: Visit www.indian.hklaw.com for complete details and requirements.
Deadline: April 15

US JCI Senate Foundation

Amount: \$1000
Availability: Undetermined, less than 100, nationally
Based On: Financial need, scholarship, leadership and participation, essay, and personal statement.
Note: Go on line to www.usjcisenate.org for application.
Deadline: Dec. 31

Pamplin Leader/Scholar Award: Virginia Tech

Amount: \$1000, and the opportunity to apply for full scholarship for the sophomore year.
Availability: 1, **KHS only**
Requires: Minimum GPA 3.75 or rank in top 10% of class; accepted and plan to attend Virginia Tech. (priority consideration); max. two page essay on Leadership for the 21st Century.
KHS Deadline: To be turned in to Mrs. Thompson by Jan. 11

Walton, Sam, Community Scholarship

Amount: \$1000
Availability: 3,000; 1 award per Wal-Mart store. You may apply to only one Wal-Mart.
Requires: Minimum GPA 2.5
Based On: Financial need, academic record, ACT/SAT scores.
Note: Go online to www.walmartfoundation.org for application.
Deadline: Jan. 14

Dozoretz Institute DNIMAS Scholarship, Norfolk State Univ

Amount: Full tuition, room, board, books, fees, internships
Requires: Minority (Black, Hispanic., etc.), Major in biology, chemistry, physics, computer science, or applied math, Minimum GPA 3.0, minimum SAT 1000.
Based On: Three letters of recommendation, 500 word essay, transcript, and SAT scores
Deadline: Jan. 31

Chums Memorial Scholarship

Amount: \$1000
Availability: 1, Peninsula
Requires: 2.5 GPA
Based on: Financial need, proven leadership ability, extra-curricular activities, interview.
Deadline: Dec 20 (must be received by this date)