



## SCHOLARSHIP MATRIX

### January 2019

*Division of Academic Support and  
Federal Programs*

NAME	AMOUNT	GRADE	REQUIREMENTS	DEADLINE
<b>Sunshine Opportunity Scholarships</b>	(10) \$5,000 (Renewable)	12	Applicants should be high achieving high school seniors in Hillsborough, Pasco or Pinellas counties only and who have overcome significant obstacles in life and who plan to attend a public university in Florida for their undergraduate studies. The scholarship may be used to attend ONLY an IN-STATE PUBLIC university in the state of Florida. Student must demonstrate a financial need through the FAFSA application. For more information and application, visit: <a href="http://www.tampabay.com/">http://www.tampabay.com/</a> and click on scholarships (bottom of page)	1/1/19
<b>Tampa Police Department Teen Excellence Scholarship</b>	(10) \$1,000	12	Must be a senior residing in Hillsborough County and enrolled in School District of Hillsborough County with at least 2.0 GPA (unweighted) or 3.5 (unweighted) GPA for the Academic Excellence Award. For application, go to <a href="https://www.tampagov.net/tpd-teen-scholarship">https://www.tampagov.net/tpd-teen-scholarship</a>	1/1/19
<b>Thelma Louise Stokes Craig Scholarship Fund</b>	TBD	12	Be an African American female high school senior, enrolled in an accredited public, parochial, charter, or private high school in Hillsborough County and plan to attend an accredited institution of higher learning at the beginning of the 2018-2019 academic year. See your College and Career Counselor for application.	1/4/19
<b>Spectrum Bay News 9 Project Weather Scholarship Contest</b>	(7) \$1,000	12	Submit a completed Application Form along with a written essay of 500 words or less explaining why you believe you should receive the prize, a letter of recommendation from one of your high school teachers, and a copy of your transcript for proof of GPA. For more information and to apply, visit: <a href="http://www.baynews9.com/fl/tampa/community/project-weather">http://www.baynews9.com/fl/tampa/community/project-weather</a>	1/7/18
<b>Mensa Education and Research Foundation Scholarships</b>	Varied Amounts	12	Members of American Mensa as well as non-members may apply to the scholarship program. Applicants are required to submit an essay to be considered. Grades, academic program and/or financial need are not included in the final determination of scholarship recipients. Find out more by visiting, <a href="http://mensafoundation.org">mensafoundation.org</a> or by calling 888-294-8035 ext. 5509.	1/15/19
<b>Florida P.E.O Scholarship</b>	Up to \$2,500	12	Applicant must be a Florida resident who is a citizen or permanent legal resident of the U.S. or Canada, accepted for admission for first year of full-time post-secondary (collegiate) study at an accredited Florida college or university (private or public). Applicant must be sponsored by a Florida chapter of the P.E.O. Sisterhood and meets requirements of scholarship, character, and financial need, and has high scholastic standing as measured by GPA, class rank and standardized test scores. Students with Florida Pre-Paid College Funds and Take Stock in Children Scholarships are NOT eligible. For more information visit: <a href="http://www.peointernational.org/">http://www.peointernational.org/</a>	1/15/19
<b>USF Institute of Black Life Scholarships/various</b>	Varied Amounts	12	Must plan to attend USF, Must be African American or Latino; need based, must file the FAFSA, apply online at <a href="http://ibl.usf.edu/scholarships">http://ibl.usf.edu/scholarships</a> <a href="#">Bank of America Scholarship</a> <a href="#">Bright House Networks Scholarship</a> <a href="#">Janet and Samuel Okogbaa Memorial Scholarship</a> <a href="#">Ruth and Jerry Bell Endowed Scholarship</a> <a href="#">Xerox Scholarship</a> -	1/15/19
<b>Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. Tampa Alumnae Chapter Scholarship</b>	\$250 - \$5,000	12	African American female student enrolled in an accredited high school in Hillsborough County; Minimum weighted 3.5 GPA; demonstrates accomplishments in any of the following areas: special talents, leadership, extracurricular, athletics, & community service. To apply visit: <a href="http://www.dstta.com/dstta-scholarships">http://www.dstta.com/dstta-scholarships</a>	1/25/19

<b>Hillsborough Association of School Administrators (HASA)/ HCC Scholarship</b>	(2) \$1,000	12	This scholarship is for a senior with a minimum 2.5 GPA, who plans to attend Hillsborough Community College. The recipient must be a dependent of an active or retired HASA (Hillsborough Association of School Administrators) member. <a href="https://educationfoundation.awardspring.com">https://educationfoundation.awardspring.com</a> .	<b>1/30/19</b>
<b>2017 Union Plus® Scholarship Program</b>	\$500 to \$4,000	12+	Dependent children of current & retired members of unions participating in any Union Plus program; must be accepted into a U.S accredited college, university, community college, technical or trade school; awards must be used for the 2017-18 school year. For more information and to apply visit: <a href="https://1unionplusscholars.communityforce.com/Funds/Search.aspx#4371597136646D517975544F5976596D4E73384E69673D3D">https://1unionplusscholars.communityforce.com/Funds/Search.aspx#4371597136646D517975544F5976596D4E73384E69673D3D</a>	<b>1/31/19</b>
<b>Hillsborough Education Foundation Scholarships</b>	Varies	6-12	Any student who attends a traditional public school in Hillsborough County and is currently in the 6th through 12th grade can apply for a scholarship. In order to apply for any of the Foundation scholarships, you only need to complete one online scholarship application. To start an application, go to <a href="http://www.educationfoundation.com/scholarships">http://www.educationfoundation.com/scholarships</a>	<b>1/31/19</b>
<b>Neg Kreyol Scholarship</b>	\$500	12	Must be a male of Haitian descent, attend 4-year university, and have at least 3.2 GPA. To apply visit: <a href="http://negkreyol.org/scholarships/index.html">http://negkreyol.org/scholarships/index.html</a>	<b>2/1/19</b>
<b>Daughters of the American Revolution Scholarships</b>	Varied Amounts	12	All applicants must be citizens of the United States and must attend or plan to attend an accredited college or university in the United States. DAR chapter sponsorship is not required; however, a chapter or state chairman may work with the applicant to put the information together to send to the DAR Scholarship Committee. Scholarships are awarded to students majoring in Political Science, History, Government/Politics, Economics, Medical/Nursing. For more details and application, visit: <a href="https://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships/general-info">https://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships/general-info</a>	<b>2/15/19</b>
<b>The Bailey Family Foundation</b>	\$5,000 Renewable up to 4 years	12	Graduating high school senior or current college student; financial need; minimum cumulative 2.5 GPA; legal U.S. resident; currently attending or plan to attend eligible schools listed on application. For more information and to apply visit: <a href="http://www.bailey-family.org">http://www.bailey-family.org</a>	<b>2/28/19</b>
<b>Tampa Metropolitan Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc</b>	(6) Varied Amounts	12	African American female student enrolled in selected high schools in Hillsborough County may apply for any of six different scholarships for: (1) high academic achievement, (2) interest in majoring in health sciences, business, or music, (3) intention to attend vocational school, or (4) intention to attend a two or four-year college. Please visit <a href="http://tampametrodst.org">tampametrodst.org</a> or email <a href="mailto:scholarship@tampametrodst.org">scholarship@tampametrodst.org</a> for more information.	<b>3/8/19</b>
<b>Community Action Board Scholarship</b>	\$5,000 (several)	12	Individuals between the ages of 17-24, who have obtained a high school diploma or GED equivalent (16-year-olds may apply if they are graduating seniors) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Resident of Hillsborough County</li> <li>• Received a minimum GPA of 2.5</li> <li>• Individuals whose household income is at or below 125 percent of the Federal Poverty Guidelines as required by Community Services Block Grant (CSBG)</li> </ul>	<b>3/29/19</b>
<b>Pasos al Futuro Scholarship</b>	\$250	12	Graduating senior of Hillsborough County Public Schools and attend at least one of the Pasos al Futuro events during the 2018-2019 school year. This event is in Spanish. You must write a 500+ word essay on one of three given topics. Instructions on how to apply will be given at the event. For more details you may visit: <a href="https://www.sdhc.k12.fl.us/doc/1027/pasos-al-futuro/about/about-62/?click=go">https://www.sdhc.k12.fl.us/doc/1027/pasos-al-futuro/about/about-62/?click=go</a>	<b>3/31/19</b>
<b>The Florida Society Colonial Dames XVII Century Scholarship</b>	\$300 and up to \$1,000	12	Florida high school senior attending a Florida four-year accredited college, university, or community college; minimum 3.0 GPA; financial need. See your College and Career Counselor for application	<b>4/01/19</b>
<b>St. Gerard Circle Scholarship</b>	\$1,500	12	Must be a registered parishioner of Nativity Catholic Church (family member or individual), a resident of the Greater Brandon area and currently attending a local high school with a B or C grade point average. See your College and Career Counselor for application.	<b>4/05/19</b>

<b>Z-BESTO Scholarship</b>	\$500	12	Resident of Hillsborough county and surrounding counties, graduating high school senior, pursuing an undergraduate Academic Degree in the Fall of 2019, cumulative GPA: 3.0/4.0 – 4.0/5.0. See you College and Career Counselor for application.	4/13/19
<b>Hillsborough Community College and The University of Tampa LEAP FAFSA Scholarship</b>	(8) \$1,000 (8) \$2,000	12	Student must plan to attend either Hillsborough Community College and/or The University of Tampa in the fall of 2019. Complete 2019-2020 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), show proof, complete entry form and submit to their College and Career Counselor.	4/15/19
<b>BHW Scholarship</b>	\$3,000	12+	Women who are pursuing an undergraduate or master's degree and are majoring in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics during the 2019 school year. Applications for Fall 2019 will open in January, 2019. If you want to get a head start on Fall 2019, you can write an essay on either of the following topics: 1. Tell us about your favorite app and what you like about it. 2. Tell us about a time an app played a significant role in improving your day. For more information and to apply, visit: <a href="https://thebhwwgroup.com/scholarship">https://thebhwwgroup.com/scholarship</a>	4/15/19
<b>University of South Florida Scholarships</b>	Varied amounts	12	Please visit <a href="http://www.usf.edu/ua/scholarships">www.usf.edu/ua/scholarships</a> to view scholarships in detail and download the application. Any questions can be directed to <a href="mailto:UA_Scholarships@usf.edu">UA_Scholarships@usf.edu</a>	Various
<b>University of South Florida Scholarships</b>	Varied Amounts	12	Please visit <a href="http://www.usf.edu/ua/scholarships">www.usf.edu/ua/scholarships</a> to view scholarships in detail and download the application. Any questions can be directed to <a href="mailto:UA_Scholarships@usf.edu">UA_Scholarships@usf.edu</a>	Varies
<b>Hillsborough Community College</b>	Varied Amounts	12	See link below for specific scholarships <a href="https://www.hccfl.edu/financial-aid/scholarships-grants-workstudy/scholarships.aspx">https://www.hccfl.edu/financial-aid/scholarships-grants-workstudy/scholarships.aspx</a>	Varies
<b>University of Tampa</b>	Varied Amounts	12	See link below for specific scholarships <a href="http://www.ut.edu/financialaid/scholarshipsandgrants/">http://www.ut.edu/financialaid/scholarshipsandgrants/</a>	Varies
<b>Raise.me Micro-Scholarships</b>	Varied Amounts	9-12	Discover colleges and earn scholarships for your academic and extracurricular achievements throughout high school. For more details visit: <a href="https://www.raise.me/">https://www.raise.me/</a>	On going
<b>College Board Opportunity Scholarship</b>	\$500-\$40,000	9-12	The class of 2020 and attending high school in the United States, Puerto Rico, and other U.S. territories, can complete the first step now. Build your college list for a chance to earn a \$500 scholarship, and you'll be eligible to win once you sign up for the program when it opens. <a href="#">Log in to your College Board account on BigFuture</a> . Explore colleges and start adding the ones you're interested in to your list. You'll need to add six or more colleges to be eligible for the scholarship.	On going
<b>Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)</b>	Varied Amounts	12	Get help paying for college! Apply by clicking on the link below. See your CCC to assist you with this process. <a href="https://fafsa.ed.gov/">https://fafsa.ed.gov/</a>	Application opens October 1st
<b>Florida Bright Futures</b>	Varied Amounts	12	For specific requirements and application visit: <a href="http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org">http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org</a>	8/31/19

**\*\*Please see your College and Career Counselor for scholarships specific to your school\*\***

**Other scholarship opportunities:**

Governor Rick Scott's Hispanic Heritage Month Essay Contest [www.floridahispanicheritage.com](http://www.floridahispanicheritage.com)  
LULAC National Educational Service Centers (LNEC) [www.lnesc.org](http://www.lnesc.org)  
Salvadoran American Leadership and Sallie Mae Fund [www.thesalliemae.org](http://www.thesalliemae.org)  
Scholarshipmentor (varies) <http://www.scholarshipmentor.com/content/current-scholarships>  
Wendy's Heisman High School Heisman <https://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com/>  
UNCF Scholarships, Programs, Internships and Fellowships <https://scholarships.gmsp.org/>  
ROTC Scholarship <https://www.goarmy.com/rotc/scholarships.html>

Scholarships for Hispanics [www.scholarshipsforhispanics.org](http://www.scholarshipsforhispanics.org)  
United Negro College Fund [www.uncf.org](http://www.uncf.org)  
Coca-Cola College Scholarships [www.coca-colascholars.org](http://www.coca-colascholars.org)  
Gates Millennium Scholarship Program [www.gmsp.org](http://www.gmsp.org)  
Florida Trend's Next <http://floridanext.com/>  
Sports Scholarships and Internships <https://www.ncaa.org>

**\*If you have a scholarship opportunity that you would like to add to our matrix, please contact [Ansberto.vallejo@sdhc.k12.fl.us](mailto:Ansberto.vallejo@sdhc.k12.fl.us)**