

BIG SANDY SCHOLARSHIP LIST

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The following is a list of scholarships Big Sandy seniors traditionally apply for. This list is updated as new scholarships come into the counselor's office. This list is in no way intended to be all the scholarship opportunities available to students; therefore, students should continue to explore additional scholarship opportunities on their own time. Please keep in mind that each institution also offers their own scholarships. Although every effort has been made to provide accurate information, please check the application for specific requirements and deadlines.

SCHOLARSHIP	QUALIFICATIONS	AMOUNT	DEADLINE
21st Century Equipment Tuition Assistance Program	Must attend the John Deere Ag Tech Program at Southeast Community College in Milford, NE or Garden City Community College in Garden City, KS. Program assists with tuition, books, fees, room/board, etc. Applications for the tuition assistance program are available at www.21stCenturyEquipment.com under the CAREERS tab.	Varies	February
(The) Alan Lasater Outreach Scholarship for Young Adults	Must have attended Big Sandy High School at least two years; demonstrate financial need; and have a high GPA described as <u>G</u> race, <u>P</u> rogress, <u>A</u> rdor. (See application for discription of GPA)	Varies	No set deadline - Apply starting in April
Alert Magazine Scholarship (Multiple scholarships awarded)	Minimum GPA 2.5. Must write a 650-800 word essay about a personal encounter you or someone you know has had with drug and/or alcohol abuse. More information can be found at: https://thealertmagazine.com/scholarship/	\$500 each	Before Graduation
(The) Allegra Ford Thomas Scholarship	Must have an identified learning disability (LD) and attending a 2-year community college, a vocational/technical training program, or specialized program for students with LD. Must demonstrate financial need and participate in school activities. Apply online at: https://www.ncld.org/what-we-do/scholarships/allegra-ford-thomas-scholarship/	\$2,500	April
American Chemical Society Scholars Program (100)	Must be African American, Hispanic/Latino, or American Indian. U.S. Citizen, intending to major in chemistry, bio-chemistry, chemical engineering, or a chemically-related science and planning a career in the chemical sciences or chemical technology. Download application at: www.acs.org , select Funding & Awards, ACS Scholars under Scholarships.	Up to \$5,000/year, renewable	March
(The) Anne Ford Scholarship	Must have an identified learning disability (LD) and pursuing a full-time undergraduate degree. Must demonstrate financial need, have an overall GPA of 3.0. Apply online at: https://www.ncld.org/what-we-do/scholarships/anne-ford-scholarship	\$10,000 (\$2,500/year for 4 years)	April

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Association of Government Accountants (3) (Academic Scholarships and Community Service Scholarships)	Must be an AGA member or family member pursuing a full or part-time degree in a financial management discipline (accounting, auditing, budgeting, economics, finance, electronic data processing, information resources management, and public administration). Minimum 2.5 GPA and recommendation letter from counselor required. Download application at: https://www.agacgfm.org/About/Recognition/Scholarships.aspx	\$1,500-\$3,000	March
Automotive Hall of Fame Scholarships (18)	Must have a sincere interest in an automotive career; GPA 3.0 or higher. Download application at: https://www.automotivehalloffame.org/scholarship-application/	Varies	June
Better Business Bureau Foundation - Student of Integrity Scholarship	Must be a U.S. Citizen; 3.0 or better G.P.A.; demonstrate economic need, along with character, leadership and ethical values. Online application at: www.TomorrowsMarketplace.org	\$2,500 - \$15,000	January
Better Business Bureau Foundation - FORTRUST Health Scholar - A Student of Integrity Scholarship	Must demonstrate financial need and have a strong desire to pursue studies in the healthcare industries. Must demonstrate character, leadership and ethical values. Must be a U.S. Citizen and have a 3.0 or better G.P.A. Online application at: www.TomorrowsMarketplace.org	\$2,500 - \$5,000	January
Better Business Bureau Foundation - Littleton HVAC Scholar - A Student of Integrity Scholarship	Must demonstrate financial need and have a strong desire to pursue studies in the Heating, ventilating, air conditioning and refrigeration industry. Must demonstrate character, leadership and ethical values. Must be a U.S. Citizen and have a 3.0 or better G.P.A. Online application at: www.TomorrowsMarketplace.org	\$2,500 - \$10,000	January
Better Business Bureau Foundation - NEXUSTEK Tech Scholar/WIT Women in Technology Scholar - A Student of Integrity Scholarship	Must demonstrate financial need and have a strong desire to pursue studies in computer science or engineering. Must demonstrate character, leadership and ethical values. Must be a U.S. Citizen and have a 2.0 or better G.P.A. Online application at: www.TomorrowsMarketplace.org	\$2,500 - \$15,000	January

Big Sandy Alumni Scholarship (3)	Any senior accepted to a post-secondary institution.	\$1,500 each	May
Black Forest League Educational Scholarship (2)	Must have attended a Black Forest League School for at least one full year; minimum G.P.A. 3.0. Submit application to Counselor.	\$500	April
Boettcher Scholarship	Must be a graduating Colorado high school senior who has lived in Colorado for their junior and senior years of high school; must be a citizen or permanent resident of the U.S. OR hold legal status or be eligible for Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals and Colorado ASSET. Boettcherscholarships.org	Full Tuition and Fees and Living Stipend and Book Allowance	October
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Brayman Beach Scholarship (Offered through the Credit Union Foundation of Colorado)	Must be a member of a Colorado Credit Union affiliated with the Credit Union Association of Colorado-see list online. Interested in pursuing a degree in business. Download application at: https://mwcua.com/foundation/apply-for-grants/brayman-beach-scholarship/	\$5,000	May
Burg Simpson Scholarship Program (10) Co-sponsored with KOA radio and CHSAA.	Write an original essay of 1,500 words or less that describes: (1) How the civil jury system protects your rights as a citizen; (2) How the civil jury system in the United States is being threatened; and (3) The importance of preserving the civil jury system for future generations. Download application at: www.burgsimpson.com/scholarship	1) \$2,500 (9) \$1,000 each	February
Burger King Scholars Program Scholarship (700)	Min. 2.5 GPA (2.0 if Employee of BK or child of BK Employee); U.S. Citizen; actively involved in school and community activities. Apply online at: www.bkmcclamorefoundation.org	\$1,000 each	December
Cardiac Kids Scholarship (2)	Graduating senior who has received treatment for Congenital Heart Defects/Disease or Acquired Heart-Related Condition at Children's Hospital Colorado or other hospital or Graduating senior who is the sibling of someone who has received treatment for Congenital Heart Defects/Disease or Acquired Heart-Related Condition at Children's Hospital Colorado or other hospital. Minimum GPA 2.25.	\$1,000	March
Centennial Mental Health Center - Future Mental Health Professional Scholarship Program	US Citizen; must reside in Centennial's ten county catchment area (ex. Elbert County); intent to complete minimum of a bachelor degree in a behavioral health related field (psychology, sociology, counseling, etc.). Applications available online at: http://www.centennialmhc.org and search for scholarship click Get Involved	\$500-\$2,000/year. Amounts coordinate with full-time enrollment (12+ credit hours/semester.) Awards will be prorated based on student's actual enrollment.	March
Central Bible Church Scholarship	Must attend a Christian college or university. Be a member of any local church.	Varies (approx. \$1,000)	June
CESDA Diversity Scholarship (7) (Colorado Educational Services & Development Association)	Must meet one of the following requirements: identify as a student of color, be first generation to attend college (neither parent/s received a bachelor's degree), and/or be a student with financial need. Minimum 2.80 GPA. Apply online at: www.cesda.org/scholarships	\$1,000	January
Coca-Cola Scholarship	3.0 GPA; demonstrate leadership, academic achievement, motivation to serve others. Apply on-line at: www.coca-colascholarsofoundation.org/apply/	50 - \$20,000 (payable in installments) 200 - \$4,000 (payable in installments)	October
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CollegeDrive Scholarship Competition (1)	Tell about a moral dilemma you have faced in your life and how you handled it. For more information and complete competition rules, visit: CollegeDrive.com/scholarship	1,500	March
CollegInvest 529 Scholarship Program (70)	Must complete the FAFSA and substantiate an Expected Family Contribution (EFC) up to \$35,000; must not be receiving a Federal Pell Grant; must be a Colorado resident; must be the owner or beneficiary of an eligible CollegInvest 529 College Savings Account, have opened and maintained this account for at least two years, and have a minimum balance of \$2,000 the last day of the Application period. Apply on-line at: colleginvest.org	\$2,000/year up to 4 years (\$8,000 total)	Opens in January
Colorado 4-H Foundation Scholarships (various scholarships listed)	For more information and to download applications, please see the following website: http://colostate.edu/benefits/colorado-4-h-foundation-scholarships/	\$1,000-\$1,200	February

Colorado Aviation Business Association Scholarship	Must be a permanent resident of Colorado, must demonstrate the scholarship will be used for continued aviation training at an institution in Colorado, must have GPA of 3.0 or higher. Apply online at https://mycaba.wildapricot.org/scholarships/	Based on need - not to exceed \$3,000	May
Colorado Aviation Business Association Scholarship	Must be a permanent resident of Colorado, must demonstrate the scholarship will be used for continued aviation training at an institution in Colorado, must have GPA of 3.0 or higher. Apply online at mycaba.org/scholarships	Based on need - not to exceed \$3,000	May
(The) Colorado Burglar & Fire Alarm Association (CBFAA) Youth Scholarship Program	Offered to children of active duty law enforcement and fire service personnel in Colorado. This program rewards students who have excelled academically and are active in community service and extracurricular activities at their school. For information on the program and an application link visit: www.cbfaa.org/cbfaa-youth-scholarship.html	\$1,000	April
Colorado Cattlemen's Association - Grace & Oley Kohlman JCCA Scholarship (1)	Must be a member of JCCA; preferably planning to attend an institution of higher learning within the State of Colorado. Preference given if majoring or minoring in an agricultural-related field. Download application at: https://www.coloradocattle.org/	unknown	May
Colorado Chapter of the National Wild Turkey Federation	Applicants must support hunting, possess strong leadership skills, achieve high academic successes and pursue a career in the field of natural resources. Download application at: www.nwtf.org	Up to \$10,000	February

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Colorado Council on High School/College Relations - Volunteerism/Community Service Scholarship (16)	Applicant must be a U.S. citizen or a permanent resident and a resident of Colorado for his or her final two years of high school; must be enrolled as a full-time student at a Colorado Council Member Institution within six months of graduating from high school; must demonstrate significant experience in volunteerism/community service; must have a minimum 2.5 GPA. Download application at: www.coloradocouncil.org	\$1,500	January
Colorado Farm Show Carl Luther Memorial Vo-Tech Scholarships (2)	Must be planning to pursue a degree in an Agricultural Vo-Tech related field. Download application at: www.coloradofarmshow.com	\$1,500 each	November
Colorado Farm Show Chuck Urano Memorial Scholarship Award (6)	Must be a U.S. citizen and reside in Colorado. Planning on pursuing a degree in an Agricultural field of study at the College or University of their choice. Awarded to 4-H or FFA students that have been active in their respective programs, communities, and excel in the classroom. Download application at: www.coloradofarmshow.com	\$2,000 each	November
Colorado Farm Show Rolling Scholarships (2)	The Rolling Scholarship is a four-year renewable scholarship that will be offered to two graduating High School Seniors, planning on pursuing a degree in an agriculture field of study at a four-year College or University. Once awarded, applicants may re-apply yearly by July 1st and show a continued involvement and commitment to Agriculture along with academic success. Download application at: www.coloradofarmshow.com	Renewable, \$4,000 each	November
Colorado Garden Foundation	Planning on pursuing a Colorado public college university; must maintain a 2.5 GPA. Areas of study must be in Agriculture Business, Agriculture Education, Agronomy, Botany, Environmental Horticulture, Floriculture, Horticulture, Landscape Architecture, Plant Biology, Plant Pathology/Science, Nursery & Landscape Management. Application online at http://coloradogardenfoundation.org	Full-Ride for four years, includes tuition, fees, room & board, and all required books for the four years plus a laptop computer and printer.	March
Colorado Lions Foundation Educational Scholarship Endowment Fund (4)	Must be a Colorado High School graduating senior and accepted for enrollment at an accredited Institution of Higher Learning. Download application at: www.colionsfoundation.org	\$2,500	April
Colorado Masons' Benevolent Fund Scholarships	Must graduate from a Colorado Public High School; must attend a Colorado institution of higher education. Download application at: www.cmbfa.org	up to \$7,000/year, renewable for for up to 4 years	March

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Colorado Press Association Scholarship	Must have held at least one leadership position (e.g. editor, president, treasurer) in a student media organization like the high school newspaper, yearbook, or media club during your senior year. Must plan to attend an accredited 4-year college or university. Apply online at: https://denverfoundation.academicworks.com/opportunities/305v	\$1,500 each	March
Colorado School of Mines E-Days Scholarship (3)	Must be a Colorado resident high school senior graduating from a Colorado high school who plans to attend the Colorado School of Mines. Download application at: http://studentactivities.mines.edu/EDays-Scholarship	Full resident-tuition for four years (eight semesters)	February
(The) Colorado Society of Mayflower Descendants Scholarship (2)	Resident of Colorado and U.S. citizen; selection based on GPA, class rank, honors received, evidence of activities and an essay of assigned topic (see website for topic). Apply online at: www.coloradomayflowersociety.org	\$1,620	May
Colorado State University First Generation Scholarship	Colorado resident entering freshmen or undergraduate transfer students who demonstrate financial need, submit a complete application for admission by February 1st for fall and demonstrate potential for academic success. Student's parents must not have received a bachelor's degree. Apply online at: https://colostate.academicworks.com/opportunities/44992	16001 \$4,000/year renewable for 4 years.	April
Colorado State University Monfort Scholarship	Must be admitted to CSU by March 1st. Must rank in the upper score at least 30 on the ACT or 1300 on the SAT; show evidence of leadership, service to the community and school evidence of leadership, service to the community and school and outstanding character. Apply through the Colorado State University website, RAMweb.	Tuition and fees, room and board stipend, and a book allowance. Renewable for 6 additional semesters.	March
Conservative Breakfast Association of Elbert County Scholarship	Applicant and/or applicant's guardian must be a legal resident of Elbert County or attend an Elbert County school. Must be accepted to an accredited college or trade school. Download application at: elbertbreakfast.com then select Scholarship tab.	Unknown	June
County Sheriffs of Colorado (CSOC) (30) (Elbert County given in "ODD" years only, El Paso County given in "EVEN" years only)	Colorado resident participating in the Honorary Membership Program of the County Sheriffs of Colorado. Applications at www.csoc.org	\$500 each	February
CrossRoads Youth Works Scholarship	3.0 GPA; ACT minimum 18; must pursue an education at a christian college, university, or Bible Institute.	\$500	April
Dan Libera Athletic Training Scholarship	The intent of the Dan Libera Scholarship is to reward a high school student who intends to pursue AT education at a CAATE accredited program in the State of Colorado; student NATA membership, and have a minimum 3.2 G.P. A. Apply online at https://www.coloradoata.org/	\$1,000	April

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(The) Daniels Scholarship	Demonstrate financial need. Must be a citizen of the U.S or a permanent resident of the United States. Be a resident of Colorado; Earn a minimum SAT Math score of 490 and a minimum Evidence-Based Reading & Writing Score of 490 or a minimum ACT score of 18 in each category. Earn a minimum GPA of 3.0. Apply online at: https://www.danielsfund.org/Scholarships/Daniels-Scholarship-Program/apply	Varies; renewable	Phase 1: Oct. 15/Phase 2 (Semi-finalists only): Nov. 15
Daughters of American Revolution (Zeb. Pike Chpt.) American History Scholarship	American History major. Download application at: http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm	up to \$2,500	January
Daughters of American Revolution (Zeb. Pike Chpt.) "Virginia Leyda Roberts Nursing Scholarship"	Nursing major; be accepted at accredited college or university in Colorado offering a BSN degree. Download application at: http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm	\$1,000	January
Daughters of the American Revolution (National Soc.) "Enid Hall Griswold Memorial Scholarship"	Major in Political Science, History, Government, Economics. Download application at: http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm	\$1,000	March
Daughters of the American Revolution (National Soc.) "Dr. Aura-Lee A. Pittinger American History Scholarship"	Plan to have a concentrated study of a minimum of 24 credit hours in American History or American Government. Download application at: http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm	\$2,000 each year/4 years	February
Daughters of the American Revolution (National Soc.) "Lillian and Arthur Dunn Scholarship"	Must be a son or daughter of a member of NSDAR. Download application at: http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm	\$2,000 each year/4 years	February
Daughters of the American Revolution (National Soc.) "Madeline Picket Halbert Cogswell Nursing Scholarship"	Accepted to an accredited school of nursing, must be a member of NSDAR, descendant of member of NSDAR, or eligible to be a member of NSDAR. Download application at: http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm	\$1,000	February
Daughters of the American Revolution (National Soc.) "Margaret Howard Hamilton Scholarship"	Must be accepted into the Harvey and Bernice Jones Learning Center-University of the Ozarks in Clarksville, Arkansas. Download application at: http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm	\$1,000 each year/4 years	April
Daughters of the American Revolution (National Soc.) "Mildred Nutting Scholarship"	Planning to attend school of nursing and show financial need. Download application at: http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm	\$1,000	February
Daughters of the American Revolution (National Soc.) "Occupational/Physical Therapy Scholarship"	Accepted to accredited school of Occupational Therapy including art, music or physical therapy; show financial need. Download application at: http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm	\$1,000	February

(The) Denver Foundation Excelsior Scholarship	Must be a resident of Colorado; have a minimum 2.5 GPA; planning to attend an accredited vocational/technical school, community college, or college/university. https://denverfoundation.academicworks.com ; then select Excelsior Scholarship	Varies up to \$5,000	April
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(The) Denver Foundation Museum of Contemporary Art (MCA) Failure Awards Scholarship (6)	Must meet ALL of the following criteria: are a resident of and attend high school in Colorado; will graduate from high school in the spring of 2019; will attend an accredited four-year college or university in the fall of 2019; are able to attend the Failure Fair on April 13, 2019. Apply online at: https://denverfoundation.academicworks.com	(1) \$10,000 Top Prize (1) \$5,000 Second Prize (1) \$3,000 Third Prize (3) \$700 Near Miss Awards	February
Double E! Soil Conservation District Scholarship (1)	Must have a "home address" within the boundaries of the Double E! Soil Conservation District. Download application at: www.conservations4you.org	\$1,500 total = \$500 first year, \$1000 second year	April 1st
Douglas Elbert Bar Association Law Day Essay Contest	Must be a high school junior or senior currently enrolled in a Douglas or Elbert County high school and write a 500 word or fewer essay. Submit by mail: DEBA, c/o Ian Shea, Heckenbach Malara PC, 7400 East Orchard Road, Suite 3025N, Greenwood Village, Colorado 80111 or email ishea@familylawcolorado.com	\$5,000	April
Dr. Philip Sobash Scholarship for Future Medical Doctors (1)	Must be a current undergraduate student at a university or a high school student that will attend a university in the U. S. on the path to a medical degree. One winner will be selected based on an essay of 1,000 words or less. (See website for essay topic.) For more information go to: https://drphilipsobashscholarship.com/dr-philip-sobash-scholarship/	\$1,000	December
Elbert County Farm Bureau Federation Scholarship	Parent/Guardian must be a current Elbert County Farm Bureau federation member. Must be accepted to pursue an agricultural-related degree; have a minimum 2.5 GPA. May apply each year you are in school.	\$1,000	February
Elbert County Sheriff's Office Scholarship	Must be an Elbert County Resident furthering their education in a first responder career.	\$1,000	April
Epsilon Sigma Alpha (ESA) Foundation Scholarship (25)	3.0 GPA or 20 ACT or top 25% of class. Download application at: www.esaintl.com/esaf click on Scholarship Application, then current list of ESAF Scholarships by State	Varies	March
Farm Credit of Southern Colorado Scholarship (6)	Student can attend an accredited two-year or four-year college, university, vocational, or trade school; in-state or out-of-state; any major course of study. Apply online at https://aglending.com/scholarships/	(1) \$2,500 & (5) \$1,500	February
Farmers State Bank of Calhan/Falcon (FSB) (3)	Must have attended Big Sandy for a minimum of 1 year; minimum 3.0 GPA and 22 ACT score. Student or parents must have been a customer of FSB for a minimum of 6 months and must still be bank customers.	\$1,000 each	March
Football Scholarship	Must be Highschool senior football player, graduating in spring. Have overcome adversity. GPA 3.2 Financial need available. Demonstrates outstanding character, integrity, leadership and community service involvement.	\$10,000	Jan 1st- Jan 31st

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GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program (20)	This national program awards college scholarships to high school seniors who embody the characteristics of our nation's 40th President, Ronald Reagan. Must demonstrate at school, at the workplace, and within the community the attributes of leadership, drive, integrity and citizenship. Must be a US citizen and have a minimum GPA of 3.0. Apply online at: www.reaganfoundation.org/scholarships	\$10,000 each, renewable up to 4 years.	January
Gift of Life Foundation Scholarship (2)	Entering a course of study in the medical or health related fields.	\$1,000 each	April
Greenhouse Scholars Scholarship (40)	Be a graduating high school senior planning to attend a four-year accredited academic institution. Must be a U.S. Citizen; a resident of Colorado; minimum 3.5 G.P.A.; demonstrate financial need (annual household income no greater than \$70,000); a strong interest and commitment to the community; possess excellent leadership skills, an ability to persevere through difficult circumstances and a strong interest and commitment to the community. Eligibility requirements: http://greenhousescholars.org/our-scholars/become-a-scholar/ Apply online at: greenhousescholars.fluidreview.com	\$4,000 to \$20,000 over four years	December
Griswold Home Care Bi-Annual Scholarship	Must be pursuing a bachelor's, associates's, graduate, or professional degree at an accredited college or university. Apply online at: www.griswoldhomecare.com/scholarship/	\$1,000	November

Hagan Scholarship Foundation(Up to 350)	Must be a U.S. Citizen; 3.50 GPA or higher; score minimum 23 on ACT or minimum 1,200 on SAT; and enroll at a 4-year college or university. Additionally, must work 240 hours in the 12 months prior to the start of each academic year of college. Download application at www.hsfmo.org	Up to \$40,000 each	November
Heuser Law Scholarship (3)	Colorado High School juniors or seniors who will be attending college, trade school, or joining the military. Must submit a hard-copy essay, no longer than 1,000 words. Go to the following site for more information: https://heuserlaw.com/giving-back/heuser-law-scholarship/	(1)\$3,000; (1) \$2,000; (1) \$1000	February
Hispanic Annual Salute Scholarship	Must Have a 2.5 or higher GPA and reside in Colorado. In addition you must perform notable volunteer contribution in the Hispanic Community, specifically unpaid volunteer activity not related to fulfilling a requirement for a school activity. Download application at: www.hispanicannualsalute.org	Minimum \$2,000	April

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Horatio Alger Scholarships (9)	Have a strong commitment to pursue and complete a bachelor's degree; demonstrate financial need, preferably \$50,000 or lower adjusted gross income; involved in co-curricular and community service activities; minimum 2.0 GPA; resident of Colorado and US citizen. Submit online application at: www.horatioalger.org	\$5,000	October
IBC Community Bank Student Scholarship (5) (See website for a list of participating banks)	Senior or parents must have an account at an IBC bank for minimum of 6 months; 3.0 GPA; accepted to a Colorado college or university. Download application at: www.ibcbanks.org/scholarship	\$1,000	March
Imagine America Scholarship Program	Planning to attend a career college (see website for eligible colleges); minimum 2.5 G.P.A.; demonstrate financial need; must have demonstrated voluntary community service during senior year. Apply online at: www.imagine-america.org/highschoolscholarships/apply-now	\$1,000	Ongoing
Janice M. Scott Memorial Scholarship Fund (3-6)	Must plan to attend a 4-year college or university; must demonstrate leadership abilities through participating in community services or other extra curricular activities; minimum 3.0 GPA. Combined adjusted income of parents cannot exceed \$50,000. Apply online at https://jmscottmemorialfund.org	\$2,500	March
Jenny Kimble Memorial Scholarship	Attended all 4 H.S. years at Big Sandy; min. 2.5 GPA; accepted at an accredited institution; used fall after graduation.	\$1000 Total - Paid over 4 years	April
Jeremy Schulman Scholarship for First Generation Americans (5)	Any student who is currently enrolled in High School that plans to attend university. The scholarship is based upon an essay competition. One winner will be selected with the best creative essay of less than 1000 words which answers the following: "Describe an issue face by immigrants in the education system and how you would improve upon that issue."		
Kane Family Scholars Program for Pikes Peak Community College(PPCC) and University of Colorado - Colorado Springs (UCCS)	This scholarship is awarded to students who are eligible for in-state tuition and who make a commitment to complete their course of study and earn the targeted degree in no more than 4 semesters (for those pursuing an Associate's degree) at PPCC or 8 semesters (for those pursuing the Bachelor's degree) 4 semesters at PPCC/4 at UCCS. Must have a 3.00 GPA or higher. Apply online at: https://www.ppcc.edu/foundation/kane-scholarship	Pays for full tuition, mandatory fees and required books, and materials.	April
Kit Faragher Foundation (1)	Min. GPA 2.5; <u>strong</u> need of financial assistance; can attend a college, university or technical school. Must demonstrate positive attitudes, strong commitments, and drives towards accomplishment. Download a scholarship application at: www.KitFaragherFoundation.org	\$10,000 (distributed over the first two years of their college, university, or technical program.)	April

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Latin American Educational Foundation (LAEF) Scholarship	Colorado Resident; Hispanic heritage or actively involved in Hispanic Community; 3.0 GPA; high school seniors, college undergraduates or graduate students may apply. Download application at: www.laef.org	Varies	November
Law Offices of Dianne Sawaya Denver Safe Driver Scholarship	Must create a short video OR submit an essay telling about one of the following things: 1. Explain why you do not support or promote distracted driving OR 2. Explain how you prevent distracted driving and promote safe driving practices for yourself, friends, or family by providing specific examples. Apply online at: dlslawfirm.com/scholarship	\$1,000	April

LEAD Foundation Scholarship (1)	Must have a documented learning disability (Dyslexia, ADHD, perceptual or communicative disability, etc.); minimum 2.8 GPA. Apply online at: www.leadcolorado.org , then Parents, then select Scholarships & Awards	\$1,000	March
Lift Parts Express Scholarship	Must be between the ages of 16-21; be attending school in the fall; write an essay; be a U.S. or Canadian resident; have a 3.0 GPA or above Apply online at: www.forkliftpartsnewjersey.com	\$500	April
Lincoln County Farm Bureau Academic Scholarship	Parent must be a member of the Lincoln County Farm Bureau.	\$500	March
LM Scholarship	Must be currently enrolled or expects to be enrolled in a degree program (2 years of length or greater) by September; minimum GPA of 3.0; submit an answer to the essay question. Apply online at www.forkliftcertificationcalgary.com	\$500	May
Lydia P. Cole Memorial Scholarship	Must demonstrate a sincere desire to learn about and include food safety in your current or future career plans. Download application at: www.rmfoodsafety.org	\$1,500	May
Mary Casey Lasater Memorial Scholarship	Any senior who will pursue a career requiring a four-year college degree	\$10,000 per year - renewable for 4 years for a total of \$40,000	March
MERF College Scholarship Essay Contest	Must intend to enroll in an accredited educational institution for the 2019-2020 academic year and complete a 550 word essay. Need not be Mensa members. Apply online on www.mensafoundation.org/what-we-do/scholarships/	\$500-\$1000	January
Michael Yasick ADHD Scholarship (55)	The scholarship program is for legal residents of the U.S. diagnosed with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) who are accepted to or enrolled in a 2- or 4-year undergraduate program at an accredited college, university, trade school, technical school, or vocational school located in the U.S. Apply online at: www.ShireADHDScholarship.com	\$2,000	February
Mountain View Electric Association (10)	Applicant's parents must receive electric service from MVEA; minimum GPA of 3.0 and 22 ACT score. Winners are selected randomly by computer. Download application form at: www.mvea.com and click on the documents link.	\$1,000 each	January

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Mountain View Electric Association/E.A. "Mick" Geesen Memorial Scholarship	Applicant's parents must receive electric service from MVEA; minimum GPA 3.5; 22 ACT score. Download application form at: www.mvea.com and click on the documents link.	\$1,000	January
Mountain View Electric Association, Inc. /Vocational/Technical Scholarship	Applicant's parents must receive electric service from MVEA; minimum GPA of 2.0; must be attending accredited vocational/technical school, community or junior college. Download application form at: www.mvea.com and click on the documents link.	\$1,000	January
Museum of Contemporary Art (MCA) Denver Failure Award Scholarship	Must meet ALL of the following criteria to be eligible to apply: Are a resident of and attend high school in Colorado; will graduate from high school in the spring; will attend an accredited four-year college or university in the fall after graduation; and are able to attend the Failure Fair in April. Apply inline at: https://denverfoundation.academicworks.com/opportunities/476	(1) \$10,000 Top Prize 5,000 Second Prize \$3,000 Third Prize (3) \$700 Near Miss Awards	February
National Association of Women in Construction	Female or male student planning to attend a Colorado University, College, or Trade School, pursuing a degree in a construction-related field. Download application at: http://www.nawic.org/nawic/NFSFScholarships	\$1,000+	February
NFIB Young Entrepreneur Award	A graduating high school senior who is entering his or her freshman year at an accredited 2 or 4 year university, college, or vocational institute and who has an officially established business. Scholarships are merit-based, not based on financial need. Apply online at: www.NFIB.com/YEA	\$2,000-\$25,000 each	December
P. Buckley Moss Endowed Scholarship	Must prove financial need, a certified language-related learning difference, and artistic talent who plan a career in visual arts. Download application at www.mossfoundation.org then select Scholarships	Up to \$1,000, with the potential for renewal	March
PB & J Scholarship Fund	The PB&J Scholarship is for students who have experienced personal challenges that may not have allowed them to perform well academically, but who still have the drive to succeed. For more information go to: bit.ly/pbischolarship2021	\$500-\$1,000	May
Phi Delta Kappa (PDK) Scholarship	Planning to major in education. Other selection criteria are academic standing, a written essay, letters of recommendation, and leadership activities Download application at www.pdkintl.org/PDK-scholarship/ , Programs & Resources, then select Scholarships, Grants & Fellowships	\$500-\$5,000 over four years	February
Pinnacol Foundation	Must be child/step-child of fully dependent worker killed or permanently injured in work-related accident or compensable occupational disease while employed by a Colorado-based employer; must demonstrate financial need Apply online at www.pinnacol.com/foundation	Varies; \$85,000 in monies granted.	April

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Prairie Development Corporation (PDC) Scholarship Program (One recipient and one alternate selected from each county.)	Planning to attend a vocational, technical, or trade school (not attending a college or university). Areas of study include: Mechanic, Cosmetology, Plumbing, Electrical Technology, Carpentry, Nail Technician, Medical Assistant, Welding, Respiratory Therapy, etc. Must plan to return to one of the four Colorado counties (Kit Carson, Cheyenne, Elbert or Lincoln) after training to work. Must write an essay and provide two letters of recommendation from un-related persons.	Unknown	April
Raymond and Ruth Hope Memorial Scholarship (2)	Planning to attend and have been accepted to a post-secondary institution (including trade schools). Must complete scholarship application form.	2 - \$2,500 each (for graduates in 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025)	May 15th
RBC Wealth Management Colorado Scholarship (The Denver Foundation)	Must intend to pursue a science, mathematics, or engineering degree at a college or university in the U.S.; have a minimum 3.75 G.P.A.; at least 31 ACT composite; have completed college preparatory coursework relevant to the field of study that you will pursue in college. Apply online at: https://denverfoundation.academicworks.com	\$3,000	March
(The) Recovery Village Health Care Scholarship	Must pursue a medical-related course of study and submit an essay. Apply online at: www.therecoveryvillage.com/scholarships/	\$1,000	June
Region 5 Sectors Health & Wellness Partnership Scholarships & Grants	Must live in Elbert, Lincoln, Kit Carson, or Cheyenne County. Based on family income and number of family members. Must attend an approved public institution. See income guidelines and list of qualifying public institutions.	Grant will pay for part or all of your background check, tuition & fees, scrubs and medical equipment, and state certifications or licensure	Unknown
Robert Lembke Elbert County 4-H Scholarships (3)	Basic qualifications to apply are that Elbert County 4-H members complete both a general project and an animal project and participate in a county specialty contest. See application for minimum requirements. Download application at: http://elbert.extension.colostate.edu then go to 4-H, County 4-H Scholarships.	\$1,000 each	September
Rocky Mountain Water Environment Association/Bill Martin and Tony Campman Memorial Scholarship Fund	Must enroll in a 2 or 4 year college or university for study related to the water environment profession. Download application at: www.rmwea.org/scholarship	\$2,500	June
Sachs Foundation Scholarships (50)	Must be a member of the Black/African-American race and be a full-time Colorado resident for a minimum of 5 years; GPA 3.0. Download application at: www.sachsfoundation.org	Average \$4,000	March

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Sallie Mae Bridging the Dream Scholarship (27)	Must plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school within one year of high school graduation; are able to demonstrate financial need by being Pell Grant-eligible; are a diverse candidate ("Diversity" shall include, but not limited to: gender; disability; race; ethnicity, and being from an underserved community); are able to demonstrate leadership abilities; demonstrate good moral character in all aspects of his/her life, including personal, professional, educational, in his/her community, and online	Up to \$10,000 each	March
Seibert Equity Educational Fund Scholarship (3)	One-time scholarship to be awarded to a student who is beginning a four-year diploma or degree program; a one-time scholarship to be awarded to a student who is beginning a two-year diploma or degree program; and a one-time scholarship to be awarded to a student who has completed at least two years of a four-year diploma or degree program. Contributing factors: Academic Performance, Community Service/Involvement, Leadership Potential and Qualities, and an Essay Seibertequity.com/pamphlet	Based on availability of funds.	March
Simla Community Action Committee dba Simla Family Thrift Store Scholarship	Must be senior within the Big Sandy School District. Selected on the basis of leadership qualities, high school and community activities, financial need, academic record, character, and sincerity.	\$250	April
Simla Cubs Booster Club Scholarship (2)	One male & one female in-district senior accepted to a post-secondary institution; must have participated in 3 extra-curricular school or non-school activities per year, must have attended Big Sandy High School for a minimum of 2 years.	\$500/each	April

Society of American Military Engineers (SAME), Pikes Peak Post (Multiple scholarships)	Must plan to enroll in a a full-time undergraduate Engineering degree program, minimum GPA 3.0; be interested in pursuing a military career or has at least one family member who is either: (1) an active SAME member, (2) a current member of the U.S. military, or (3) retired from the U.S. military. Download application at: http://www.same.org/Get-Connected/Find-a-Post/Pikes-Peak/Programs	\$1,000-\$2,000	February
Society of Automotive Engineers (various scholarships)	Funded through SAE Foundation, these various scholarships encourage academic excellence and help students pursue their passion for engineering. Go to: http://students.sae.org/awdscholar/scholarships/	Varies	Varies

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Special District Association (SDA) of Colorado Scholarship Program (5)	To be eligible for the SDA Scholarship, the applicant must be a current resident of Colorado, express an interest in the water industry (Water and Sanitation Services, Water Quality Management etc.) and be pursuing or planning to pursue for example, a certificate, license preparation courses, license upgrade, continuing education courses, an Associates Degree or a Bachelor's degree. https://www.sdaco.org	\$500-\$2,001	May
Stephen J. Brady Stop Hunger Scholarship (20)	Must be a US citizen and have demonstrated on-going commitment to their community by performing unpaid volunteer services impacting hunger (non-family members) in the US within the last 12 months. Apply online at: http://us.stop-hunger.org/home.html , select grants, then scholars	\$5,000 scholarship and a \$5,000 grant made in their name to the hunger-related charity of their choice.	December
Stephen T. Marchello Scholarship Foundation	Applicant must have survived childhood cancer and live in or were treated for cancer in Colorado. Download application at: http://stmfoundation.org/application	up to \$10,000	March
T.R. (Shorty) Hamacher Memorial Scholarship (Up to 4 Scholarships awarded each year)	Must have attended Big Sandy High School for at least two years; minimum GPA of 2.5; must meet character qualities.	\$1,000 each	April
UCB Family Epilepsy Scholarship Program (32)	Must be an epilepsy patient, a family member or a caregiver of an epilepsy patient. Apply online at: www.ucbepilepsyscholarship.com	\$5,000	April
United States Field Artillery Association Scholarship (USFAA) (6)	Must be a USFAA member (officer or enlisted), the immediate family of an enlisted member of the Association, or the immediate family of an officer member of the Association. Download application at: www.fieldartillery.org/usfaa-scholarships	\$1,000 each	March
United States JCI Senate Foundation Scholarship Program	Graduating senior attending college, university or vocational school. Download application at: http://www.usjcisenate.org/index.php/scholarship-program	\$1,000	January
Urbanites Leading the Pikes Peak Region (ULPPR) Scholarship	Must have a minimum 2.75 GPA; demonstrate leadership in school and community; demonstrate a need for financial assistance to enter college; and write an essay. Download application at: http://www.ulppr.org/programs/scholarships/	\$500-\$1250	February

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Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 1106 Scholarship	Must be a child or grandchild of a military veteran (deceased or otherwise), and live in one of these counties Douglas, Arapahoe, or Elbert. Must be accepted into an accredited college, trade or technical school and be able to provide proof of acceptance. In addition, you must write a 1000 word essay on one of the topics listed on the application. Download application at: www.vva1106.org	\$2,000	May
U.S. Bank Internet Scholarship Program (4)	Planning to enroll at an eligible four-year college or university participating in the U.S. Bank No Fee Education Loan Program. Recipients selected through a random drawing process. Apply online at: https://www.usbank.com/community/financial-education/scholarship.html	\$5,000 (3) & \$10,000 (1)	October

Wal-Mart Associate or Dependent Scholarships	Must be employed part-time or full-time or be the dependent of a Walmart associate (employee) with any division of Walmart for at least six consecutive months prior to the application due date for the award period in which the associate is applying and demonstrate financial need. Access application at: http://giving.walmart.com/associate-scholarships	\$1,000 each	Associate: August Dependent: April
White Rose Scholarship	Minimum 3.0 GPA; demonstrate financial need; resident of Colorado for at least one year; have evidence of community involvement. Downline application at: http://www.icrmedenver.org/about-us/white-rose-scholarship/	Varies	January
Will to Win Scholarship Program (10)	Disciplined, determined and successful in managing your asthma. Have achieved a level of excellence in one of the following: performing arts, visual arts, community service, athletics or science. Minimum GPA 3.5. Apply online at: www.willtowinscholarship.com	\$5,000	April
Women of AT&T Colorado Chapter Scholarship (2)	Scholarship awards given to females pursuing education in the science, technology, engineering, or math (STEM) field at an accredited college, university or career school. Must have a minimum 3.0 GPA. Apply online at: https://form.jotform.com/81134683862158	\$1,000	June
Women's Energy Network of Colorado - Kelly de la Torre Scholarship (2)	Must be a female; must be going into one of the S.T.E.M. fields, minimum 3.5 GPA. Apply online at www.womensenergynetwork.org/colorado/kelly-de-le-torre-scholarship-form/	\$2,501	July
Young Women in Public Affairs Award (YWPA) by Zonta Club of Pikes Peak Area	Must be a woman, aged 16-19 on April 1st each year, living in a Zonta district/region, who demonstrate evidence of the following: active commitment to volunteerism, experience in local government, student government, or workplace leadership (paid or unpaid) and have volunteer leadership achievements. Application online at: www.zontapikespeak.org	\$2,000 (plus, District awards of \$1,000 and International awards of \$4,000)	April