

NOVEMBER SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

National Commission for Cooperative Education Scholarships - Offers co-op programs over four years to 10 partnered universities (Universities of Cincinnati and Toledo in Ohio). List of available colleges, as well as on-line application is available at www.waceinc.org, and follow the “Co-op Scholarship Program” link on the lower left. All require a minimum 3.5 GPA and a typed one-page essay. Application deadlines vary by school, from **November 1 to February 15**.

Ron Brown Scholar Program - Will award \$10,000 scholarships, renewable for up to four years, to eligible African-American students. Applicants must demonstrate academic achievement, exhibit leadership ability, participate in community service activities, and demonstrate financial need. Applications may be downloaded at www.ronbrown.org, click on “Apply” at the top. Applications postmarked by **November 1** will also be forwarded to a select number of additional scholarship providers. Application deadline for Ron Brown Scholar Program only is **January 9**.

Ohio Lions PSA Scholarship – In celebrating its 100th birthday, Ohio Lions is offering a \$500 scholarship to a student for creating a script for a 30 second PSA encouraging people to get involved with their local Lions Club. Submission form is at <https://bit.ly/2VwYyG2>. Submission deadline is **December 1**.

AXA Achievement Scholarship - Will award 52 scholarships of \$2,500 to \$25,000. Based on being well-rounded, committed to making a difference, and having demonstrated achievement at a job, sport, or extracurricular activity. To get an application, go to the website www.axa-achievement.com. Application deadline is receipt of 10,000 applications, or **December 14**.

AXA Foundation Scholarship – AXA Achievement Scholarships offers scholarships ranging from \$2,500 to \$25,000. Based on demonstration of ambition and drive, determination to set and achieve goals, respect for others, and ability to succeed in college. Apply on-line at www.axa-achievement.com. Application deadline is **December 15** or 10,000 applicants.

Burger King Scholars Program – Offers scholarships of \$1,000 to \$50,000. Must be an employee, spouse of an employee, or dependent of an employee of Burger King. Based on academics (minimum 2.5 GPA) and school/community service. Application can be found at www.BK-Scholars.com. Application deadline is **December 15**.

Dirk Derrick Car and Truck Accident Injury Scholarship – Will award \$1,000 scholarship to a student who has had his or her life altered due to an injury from a car or truck accident. Can relate to the student or a loved one. Based on essay conveying the lasting effect of the accident on their life, and journey to overcome those challenges. Apply online at <https://www.derricklawfirm.com/library/scholarship.cfm>. Application deadline is **December 15**.

Final Fantasy Fan Scholarship – Offers a \$1,000 scholarship. Requires 5 paragraph essay. Application is available at <https://www.finalfantasyxvapp.com/scholarship>. Application deadline is **December 15**.

Imagine America Scholarships – \$1,000 scholarships available to students who attend certain career colleges. Requires 2.5+ GPA, financial need and community service. Application, eligible schools and other information are available at www.imagine-america.org under the Student tab at the top. Application deadline is **December 31**.

“If you don’t know where you are going, you’ll end up someplace else” – Yogi Berra, Hall of Fame catcher and manager

Ohio Farm Bureau Scholarships - Offers several scholarships. All are based on school and community activities, require 2.5 GPA, letters of recommendation, and an essay. Applications are available on-line at www.ofbf.org/foundation then click on scholarships. Application is available January 1, and deadlines vary by scholarship.

OU-L Kilburger Scholarship - Scholarship to Ohio University-Lancaster, up to full tuition. You must be a resident of, and have attended, a Fairfield County high school. Award is based on academics, need, and activities. Students must file FAFSA and have been accepted to OUL to be considered. Applications will be sent to high schools in late November. See Mr. Gaulke at that time. Application deadline for all materials is **January 15.**

Engineers Foundation of Ohio Scholarships - Scholarships offered to students who intend to major in engineering at several universities in Ohio. All require minimum 3.0 GPA and either 1100 SAT (600M/500R/C) or ACT (M29/E25). Some scholarships have additional criteria. For a list of eligible schools or an application, go to EFO website, www.ohioengineer.com, click on the "Students and Educators" tab at the top, then "Programs for Students" in the middle of the page, then use the "Scholarships" link on the left. Deadline for **receiving** application is 5 pm on **January 15.**

Mensa Education and Research Foundation Scholarships – Will award scholarships up to \$1,000 based on an essay which describes the applicant's career, vocational, or academic goal. You must enroll in a degree-granting program at an accredited US institution of post-secondary education. Applications and more information are available at www.mensafoundation.org, and click on the Scholarship link at the bottom of the home page under "Programs". There are no Mensa chapters in Fairfield County, but you can apply through the Columbus chapter. Entry deadline is **January 15.**

Washington Crossing Foundation Scholarships – Offers a variety of regional and national scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$5,000. Students do not apply for specific scholarships, but are automatically considered in each category for which they qualify. Applicants must be planning a career in government service at the local, state or national level. Application information is available online at www.gwcf.org, and click on the "Scholarship" link on the left. Application deadline is **January 15.**

OACAC C. L. Warren Memorial Heritage Scholarship - Will award a scholarship of \$1,000 to a student who has demonstrated commitment to cultural and intellectual diversity. Requires 3.0 GPA, need, personal statement, guidance counselor recommendation, and acceptance to an Ohio college or university. Contact Mr. Gaulke for application information. Application deadline is **January 20.**

Ohio JCI Senate Scholarship (Junior Chamber of Commerce) – will award six total scholarships of \$1,000 each in two categories, academic-based and need-based. Selection based on leadership, personal statement, academics and references. Go to www.usjcisenate.org, and click on the scholarships tab. Application deadline is **January 24.**

Ohio Township Association Scholarship - The association will offer four \$1,500 scholarships in two categories. One requires B GPA, 22 ACT/1000 SAT. Both require 500 word essay, recommendations and demonstrated community service and activities. Applications can be found at www.ohiotownships.org/scholarship-program. Application *must be received by* **January 28.**

"The best way to predict your future is to create it" - Peter Drucker, management expert, author and teacher

Rove Pest Control Scholarship – Offers one-time \$500 scholarship through online application only. Based on academics. Requires 3.0 GPA, recommendations optional. Apply online at www.rovepestcontrol.com/rove-pest-control-scholarship/. Application deadline is **January 31**.

South Central Power Scholarship – Will offer several scholarships of \$1,000. Scholarship requires 3.25 GPA, minimum 22 ACT composite, and home must be a South Central Power member/consumer. Selection is based on academics, achievements, school and community activities, and an interview. Applications are completed online at www.southcentralpower.com. (Click on Community, then Scholarships). Application goes “live” December 1, deadline is **February 1**.

Jimmy Rane Foundation Scholarship – Awards scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$5,000 per year, depending on need. Application requires 3.0 GPA, leadership and community and school involvement. Online application will be available starting December 1 at www.jimmyranefoundation.org (click on the scholarship link at the top of the page), and application deadline is **February 6**.

Flavorful Futures Scholarship – Offers five scholarships of \$5,000 each. Requires 2.5 GPA, award is based on academic achievement, creativity of essays, and video submission. Go to www.flavorfulfutures.com to apply. Application deadline is **February 15**.

National DAR Scholarships – Numerous scholarships offered in various fields of collegiate study. Application and scholarship requirements and amounts are available on the National DAR website, www.dar.org, and click on the “Scholarship Opportunities” link toward the bottom of the page. Application deadline is **February 15**.

Zinggia Art Scholarship – One scholarship of \$2,000 will be awarded to a senior who plans to enter fulltime study in a visual arts major at an art school, or two- or four-year college. Application requirements include 3.0 GPA, letter of recommendation (preferably from an art teacher), and submission of work samples. Application is available at www.zinggia.com/artscholarship. Application deadline is **March 7**.

Fairfield County Foundation Scholarships – Over 40 different scholarships are awarded to graduates of Fairfield County high schools. Some awards are based on desire to study, or experience in, specific fields, while others are for study in any major. Requirements vary based on the scholarship. All require letters of recommendation, ACT/SAT score report, and FAFSA Student Aid Report (SAR). Applications will be made on-line at www.fairfieldcountyfoundation.org beginning December 1. Application deadline is **March 13**.

SAE (Society of Automotive Engineers) Foundation Engineering Scholarships – Offers several scholarships for students who intend to major in engineering. Amounts vary. Applicants must enroll in an accredited engineering program and meet minimum requirements with regard to GPA, ACT/SAT scores as outlined in the individual requirements of each scholarship. Application is online at www.sae.org, then on “Participate” at the top of the page, then “Scholarships”, then “Freshman Year of College”. Application deadline is **March 15**.

Christian Connector Scholarship Drawing - Students who register for information on this Christian college information service are automatically entered for a \$2,500 scholarship drawing. Also serves as a source of information for over \$150 million in scholarships to Christian colleges. Students may sign up at the search website, www.christianconnector.com. Scholarship contest runs through **May 31**. Or use the “Scholarship Resources” link at the top of the page to get information on specific scholarships.

Abbott and Fenner Scholarships –Awards one \$1,000 scholarship. Requires an essay, submitted via email. Application/information is available online at www.abbottandfenner.com, then click on the “Scholarships” tab at the top. Application deadline is **June 12**.

“It is the mark of an educated mind to be able to entertain a thought without accepting it” – Aristotle

Big Sun Scholarship – At least one scholarship of \$500 will be awarded to a high school student-athlete. Requires essay submission via email. Apply online at www.bigsunathletics.com. Application deadline is **June 19**.

Injury Doctor Scholarship – One-time scholarship of \$1,000 to a student who plans to enter the medical field. Requires 3.0 GPA, need, and 500 word essay on why student is interested in medical careers. Go to <https://www.injuredcalltoday.com/#scholarship-application>. Application deadline is **June 30**.

GoTranscript Academic Scholarship Program – Offers \$1,000 scholarship. Requires essay submission on multiple prompts. Information and submission at <https://gotranscript.com/scholarship-program>. Two winners picked each year. Submission is accepted year-round.

“The ladder of success is best climbed by stepping on the rungs of opportunity” - Ayn Rand