



ENTERPRISE HIGH SCHOOL

COLLEGE & SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE

November 15, 2008

NAME: _____

Financial Aid Night for senior parents and students is Wednesday, Nov. 19th at 6pm in the EHS Cafeteria.

- Download scholarship applications whenever a website is given.
- Highlight the other scholarships in this update that you want applications for.
- Bring this with your name on it to Kris in the Counseling Center.

POINTS TO REMEMBER:

1. If you are applying to a UC campus, you must take SAT Reasoning or ACT plus writing, and two SAT subject tests in two different subject areas. CSU/UC applications can be sent now!
2. Take the SAT or ACT as soon as possible and by Dec. 08 for 4-year colleges.
3. You may be eligible for a fee waiver for SAT, ACT, and college applications---check with your counselor or Kris Caldwell.
4. Pick up letter of recommendation forms in Counseling Center...now!!
5. Free scholarship searches are available online. Try signing up at www.fastweb.com. An email address is required.
6. Be sure you copy (or print a copy of) everything that you send to colleges.
7. Get "Proof of Mailing" at the post office if you send materials to colleges such as application forms, financial aid forms and transcripts.
8. Write (email) or call private and out of state schools for applications or check online.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

1. For information about the CSU system - go to <http://www.csumentor.edu> and for the UC system - go to www.universityofcalifornia.edu.
2. Try www.icanaffordcollege.com for information on financial aid.
3. Be sure to check the bulletin board outside the Counseling Center for college and scholarship information.

SCHOLARSHIPS

1. **Texas A&M University**
Texas A&M University's four-year, competitive academic scholarship is one of many that is offered by colleges and universities. Applications for admissions and scholarships are due 12/15.
2. **SunTrust Off To College Scholarship Sweepstakes** \$1000 awarded every two weeks from Oct 31, 2008 through May 15, 2009: www.offtocollege.info for more information. SunTrust is a bank that offers education **loans**. Check with your parent before signing up for the scholarship drawings.
3. **CSU Chico Music Department and Department of Theatre Arts:**
There are auditions for scholarships. CSU Theatre Arts offers a Bachelor of Arts in Theatre Arts and a B.A. in Musical Theatre. www.csuchico.edu
4. **Gates Millennium Scholars Program**
Provides outstanding low-income African American, American Indian/Alaska Natives, Asian Pacific Islander American, and Hispanic American students the opportunity to complete college; apply and have a personal information form, a nominator form and recommender form submitted online by Jan. 12th. Forms are available at: www.gmsp.org

5. **Naval Helicopter Association Scholarship Fund** There is no restriction on eligibility but students with a relative with any military affiliation are given special consideration. Application is at:
<http://ismene.lunarmania.com/~nhasc0/nhascholarshipfund>. Due Nov.30th.

6. **CSU Long Beach President's Scholarships**
Awarded to seniors who are valedictorians or National Merit Finalists and Semi-finalists. After applying to CSULB, (by Nov. 30), you need to apply to the Scholars Program by January 5th.

7. **Montana State University 2009 Presidential Scholarship**
Must apply for admission as freshman, GPA of 3.75 and ACT score of 30 or SAT score of 2000. Deadline to apply is January 9th.
www.montana.edu/honors

8. **SAE 2008 Engineering Scholarship**
Applications are in counseling center & due by December 1st.
www.sae.org/students/engschlr.htm

9. **McKelvey Foundation \$40,000 Scholarship** You must own your own business and have at least 1 paid employee. Online application at www.mckelveyfoundation.org by Jan. 25.

10. **Metro PCS Community Scholars \$1000** Must have a minimum GPA of 3.0, involvement in volunteerism and activities that give back to the student's community; Financial need is not considered. Deadline is Dec. 15th.
www.metropcs.com/scholarship

11. **Elks National Foundation "Most Valuable Student" Scholarship** deadline is January 9, 2009, considers scholarship, leadership, and financial need, community service, honors and awards, 500 word essay, parental financial statement, SAT/ACT scores.
www.elks.org/enf/scholars

12. **American Legion Financial Aid Handbook** is available to check out.

13. **National Co-op Scholarship Program**
Must first be accepted to one of the national Co-op Universities, (Johnson & Wales, Kettering, Pace), and complete the scholarship application and essay. Application is online at: <http://www.co-op.edu>.

Apply by Feb.15th.

14. **McConnell Foundation Scholarship**
Two programs are available through the McConnell Foundation: TMF Scholars, and TMF Vista. Both applications are available online: http://www.mcconnellfoundation.org/programs/files/McConnell_Vista_Application.pdf and for the Scholars: <http://www.mcconnellfoundation.org/programs/scholars>. Visit their website for information on each. You may begin working on the applications now, but cannot submit them until after Jan. 1st.

15. **Sam Walton Community Scholarship**
Apply online, must have at least a 2.5 GPA and have taken either the ACT or SAT. You must enroll in college full time. Applications will be accepted from Nov. 1 - Jan. 31. <http://walmartstores.com>.

16. **Order Sons of Italy in America**
Offers scholarships in academics, sports, and Italian Language Study Grants. Must be wholly or partially of Italian descent, and must enroll in college or trade school fall 2009. www.sonsofitalyca.org, due 3/1/09.

17. **The Art Institutes** offer scholarships for Design, Fashion, Culinary Arts, and other.
www.artinstitutes.edu with varying deadlines.

18. **Burger King Scholars Program** apply at www.bk.com/scholars, access key: BKS; you must work at least 15 hrs/week, have financial need, be involved in community service activities. Deadline is February 2, 2009.

19. **KFC Colonel's Scholars Program** requires a 2.75 GPA or higher, apply at www.kfcscholars.org by Feb. 10th.

20. **Stokes Educational Scholarship Program** www.nsa.gov/careers for computer science/computer engineering careers. Nov. 30th.

21. **Janice M. Scott Memorial Scholarship Fund** 2.5 GPA or higher, attend 4 yr college Fall 2009, leadership abilities, essay "What Do Freedom and Justice Mean" to applicant. Applications are in the Counseling Center.