

Scholarships

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(previous scholarship alerts are posted in Senior Newsletters)

Best Buy @ 15

Available to students in grades 9-12 living in the U.S. and Puerto Rico. Students must be involved in volunteer community service or have work experience.

Amount: \$1,000

Deadline: February 15, 2010

Gulf Coast Section of the Society of Petroleum Engineers and Houston SPE Auxiliary Application available to students majoring in petroleum engineering and related fields.

To apply, please visit <http://www.spegcs.org>. On the top menu bar, click on "Committees" and select "Scholarship/Internship."

Amount: \$1,500 per semester

Deadline: February 8, 2010

Texas Telephone Association Foundation

Students must see Mrs. Harrison by January 31, 2010 for application. Candidates must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher (on a 4.0 scale), and must plan to attend a Texas college or university by the Fall of 2010.

Amount: \$1,500 per year

Deadline: March 12, 2010

Shell Oil Company Technical Scholarship and Shell Minority Scholarship

Available to students who plan to enroll full-time in geology, geophysics, physics, chemical engineering, civil engineering, electrical engineering, geological engineering, geophysical engineering, mechanical engineering or petroleum engineering at a university identified on application.

Amount: \$2,500

Deadline: February 16, 2010

Wharton County Teachers Credit Union

Applicants must be a child or grandchild or Wharton County Teachers Credit Union members. Applicants can also be members of Credit Union. Applicants must have a 2.5 or better GPA.

Deadline: postmarked by January 29, 2010

Nan Ya Plastics Corporation

Scholarships available for seniors who are children of employees. See Mrs. Harrison if this applies to you.

Deadline: February 1, 2010

El Campo Area A&M Mothers Club

Scholarship can only be used by Freshmen entering Texas A&M at the main campus in College Station and the Galveston campus for 2010-2011 academic year. Scholarships can be picked up in the counselor's office.

Deadline: Must be postmarked by March 3, 2010

WRCF Scholarship

Must be a high school senior or high school graduate with a minimum GPA of 3.00. Must be a working ranch cowboy or the son, daughter, or spouse of a working ranch cowboy. A working ranch cowboy is defined as any person, male or female, deriving a significant portion of his or her income from taking care of cattle on a cattle ranch. Day workers are included. Scholarships are available in the counselor's office.

Deadline: Must be postmarked by March 1, 2010

Texas Department of Transportation Conditional Grant Program

Available to economically disadvantaged seniors who will attend a Texas four-year public college or university as a full-time student and pursue a bachelor's degree in civil engineering. For information visit www.txdot.gov/careers.

Deadline: March 1, 2010

Pilot Club Scholarship

Applicant must be a graduating senior who ranks in the upper 50% of the senior class. Must have taken the SAT and/or ACT. Scholarships can be picked up in the counselor's office.

Deadline: March 15, 2010

The Alpha Iota Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gama Society International

\$500 grant-in-aid scholarship for females who are in the top quarter of their graduating class and intend to major in education. Scholarships can be picked up in the counselor's office.

Deadline: March 15, 2010

Tideland Central Labor Council Scholarship

Application available to all seniors of union families. Pick up an application in the counselor's office.

Deadline: Postmarked by February 1, 2010

The Prairie Switch Rider's "Bikers for Brains" Scholarship

Application in counselor's office. Scholarship includes applicant's perception of a motorcycle enthusiast.

Deadline is March 15, 2010.

Bright Minds Scholarship

Available in the counselor's office. This is a one page scholarship. Anyone who is a senior at Boling High School can apply.

Application is due back to counselor's office by April 8, 2010.

Wharton County A&M Club Scholarship

Pick up a copy in the counselor's office. Available to seniors who will be entering Texas A&M as freshmen in the fall. Must be in the top 20% of senior class and active in extracurricular activities.

Deadline: March 24, 2010.

Wharton County Youth Fair & Exposition Scholarship

Can be found in the counselor's office and can also be downloaded and printed from the WCYF website. All seniors who are applying for this scholarship, must sign a form in the counselor's office.

Deadline: Due to counselor's office before March 5, 2010

The Wharton County Junior College

The scholarship is available in the counselor's office. Students must have 2.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale and plan on attending WCJC in the fall. Deadline is March 31, 2010.

The Ronald McDonald House Charities and HACER

This awards a \$100,000 scholarship to Hispanic students. For more information please visit MeEncanta.com.

Deadline: February 16, 2010

100 Club of Wharton Scholarship

Applications must plan to major in Law Enforcement/Criminal Justice. Scholarships are for \$750 per semester. Pick up an application in the counselor's office.

Deadline: April 1, 2010

The H. Charles Koehl, Jr. Scholarship

This is a \$2,000 scholarship awarded to a graduating senior that has been accepted in the civil engineering or surveying degree program at Texas A&M University – College Station, Texas Tech University – Lubbock, University of Texas – Austin, University of Houston, University of Texas – San Antonio. Please see admission requirements in the counselor's office.

Deadline: April 15, 2010

The Velma Lee Anderson Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship has been established to help fund undergraduate education for Black-American children who live in the Wharton County, Texas. The Scholarship Program is a competitive program that recognizes and honors the outstanding academic and overall diverse activities of students. They must have a minimum 3.0 GPA and will be enrolled full-time in an undergraduate study at an accredited college or university in the upcoming academic year. Pick up an application in the counselor's office.

Deadline: April 18, 2010

The Golden Scholarship Program

This scholarship has been established to help fund undergraduate education for Black-American children who live in Wharton County, Texas. The Scholarship Program is a competitive program that recognizes and honors the outstanding academic and overall diverse activities of students. They must have a minimum 3.0 GPA and will be enrolled full-time in an undergraduate study at an accredited college or university in the upcoming academic year.

Deadline: May 1, 2010

Adam Scott Holcomb Scholarship

This scholarship is available to any graduating senior at Boling High School who plans on continuing their education after graduation.

Deadline: March 23, 2010

Texas Association of Community Schools

TACS offers two separate scholarships. The Fowler Law Firm Scholarship is conditional on the recipient attending college in the Fall of 2010 and majoring in Education. The Johnson Controls Scholarship recipient must attend College or post secondary instruction. Applicants submit the Basic Data Sheet along with a letter to the committee stating career goal and why that particular goal was chosen.

Deadline (for both scholarships): April 1, 2010

Boling Fire Department

This scholarship is available to any graduating senior at Boling High School who plans on continuing their education after graduation.

Deadline: April 9, 2010

Leon Bannert Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to seniors at Boling High School. Preference will be given to those students who are pursuing a degree in the oil and gas industry or diesel mechanics. Applications need to be turned in to the counselor's office.

Deadline: March 31, 2010

Rockin W

Applicants must be a Wharton County resident who has been a member of a rodeo association for at least 2 years of the 4 years in high school.

Deadline: April 1, 2010

Knights of Columbus Academic Scholarship Application

Applicant must be a high school graduate and qualify as a paternal or legally adopted son/daughter/grandson/granddaughter of a member of the Knights of Columbus Council 3262 in good standings. Submit a high school transcript to include SAT/ACT scores with application.

Deadline: April 5, 2010

Interquest "Bucky" Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship awards \$1,000 to the most qualified applicant with plans to study in the fields of veterinary medicine or animal behavior. Applicants should be graduating seniors and have a minimum grade point average of 3.4.

Deadline: April 30, 2010

Wharton County Bar Association Scholarship

Will award a \$250 scholarship to a senior from Boling High School who has an interest in pursuing a career in the legal field.

Deadline: April 26, 2010

Boling Athletic Booster Club

Student must be a senior at Boling High School who has participated in athletics.

Applicant must include either a letter of acceptance into a college/university or a letter to a college/university admissions department stating your intent to attend the institute.

Deadline: April 7, 2010

The Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps scholarship is a four-year scholarship worth up to \$180,000, covering full tuition, books, fees, uniforms and a monthly stipend of \$250. If you are interested in applying, or would like more information, please see Mrs. Harrison.

Wharton County Junior College Fine Arts Scholarship

Available to students who are planning on attending WCJC in the fall and plan to enroll in at least one activity class in either art, band, choir, or drama, please see Mrs. Harrison for scholarship opportunities.

Don't Mess with Texas Scholarship

One scholarship in the amount of \$3,000 and two scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 will be awarded to college-bound seniors who have been leaders in their schools and communities in the fight against litter. Applications can be picked up in the counselor's office or downloaded at www.dontmessiwthtexas.org.

Deadline is April 16, 2010

Rotary Club Scholarship

This scholarship is available for all seniors who will attend WCJC in the fall. A copy of your high school transcript is required.

Deadline: April 15, 2010

Mid-Coast Higher Education Consortium Scholarship

Applications are in the office for students who will enroll at Texas State Technical College – Palacios for the fall 2010 semester. This scholarship will award two \$6,000 and one \$3,000 scholarship to a full time student who majors in Pharmacy Technician Certification, Diesel Equipment Technology, or Environmental Health and Safety Technology programs offered by TSTC and WCJC.

Deadline: July 1, 2010

St. Joseph's Christian Scholarship

St. Joseph's Catholic Mission of Boling is offering a scholarship to BHS graduating seniors and seniors who are dependents of registered, active St. Joseph Mission members. Scholarship selection will be based on Christian community involvement, need, character/discipline, and SAT/ACT scores. Pick up an application in Mrs. Harrison's office.

Deadline: April 30, 2010 at 3:00 p.m.