

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

University of Wisconsin-Madison

Bucky's Tuition Promise: Free tuition at University of Wisconsin-Madison for eligible residents

Bucky's Tuition Promise is a commitment to Wisconsin resident students.

The program guarantees scholarships and grants to pay for tuition and segregated fees for students whose household adjusted gross income (AGI) is \$56,000 or less. Incoming freshmen will receive eight (8) consecutive semesters (4 years) of free tuition & segregated fees and transfer students will receive four (4) semesters (2 years).

https://financialaid.wisc.edu/types-of-aid/tuition-promise/

Award: Grants and scholarships to cover tuition and fees

Badger Tuition Promise The Badger Promise is a commitment to Wisconsin resident, first-generation college students. The program guarantees a period of free tuition and segregated fees to those who have successfully transferred from any of the two-year UW Colleges or from liberal arts associate degree programs at Madison College (Madison Area Technical College), Milwaukee Area Technical College, Western Technical College, Nicolet College, the College of Menominee Nation, and the Lac Courte Oreilles Ojibwa Community College. https://financialaid.wisc.edu/types-of-aid/badger-promise/

American Legion Scholarships (various deadlines and awards)

April 2019 Scholarship Deadlines

The Student-View Scholarship

It is open to all students regardless of academic achievement or financial need. Student Insights will award the following prizes: (Select your state below to apply)

One (1) individual prize of a \$4,000 scholarship.

Two (2) individual prize of a \$1,000 scholarship.

Ten (10) individual prizes, consisting of \$500 scholarships each

It is exceptionally easy to apply:

- * NO minimum SAT or ACT score
- * NO minimum grade point average
- * NO lengthy, time-consuming paperwork
- * NO essays
- * NO application fees

Simply complete a 15-25 minute online survey about local colleges. You will then be automatically entered into a random drawing for a scholarship award. https://www.student-view.com/ScholarshipWmap.html

Various award amounts. Deadline 4/22/19

Carrie Crystal Stuckert Memorial Scholarship

The Dream Pool Foundation was officially Incorporated by the State of Wisconsin on January 12, 2006.

<u>MISSION</u>: The mission of the Dream Pool Foundation, Inc. is to provide financial support for post secondary education students pursuing a degree in the visual arts.

Visual arts bring richness to our lives. This foundation will foster growth within the art community and encourage students who might otherwise find art education financially impossible.

GOALS: Our goal is to increase the amount of scholarship opportunities. Dream Pool is offering the following five (5) scholarships opportunities.

One (2) \$2,000 awards

Two (3) \$1,000 awards

We remain dedicated to our mission and support of art education.

Need help with your applications and essays? Visit with your Future Center Advisor: Hayley Moe, Rm 243, at Central High School and Matt Gordy, Rm 125 at Logan High School.

Interested candidates must possess extracurricular accomplishments and inspirational goals. Academically capable students must be enrolled as an Art Major at an accredited institution of higher education located in the United States. (This includes Art Therapy Programs). All applicants must be U.S. citizens. Recipient will be required to provide evidence of college acceptance before money is awarded. The Dream Pool Foundation does not require that the applicant provide any further financial information but reserves the right to deny scholarship payment to any initially selected recipient who has accepted a full scholarship from another source(s). link: https://lacrossepromise.org/future-centers/

Amount: Varies. Deadline: 4/26/19

Denim Day Scholarship - New Horizons

Awarded to High School Seniors in La Crosse & Trempealeau County Schools; submit a 750-1,000 word essay April is National Sexual Assault Awareness Month. As we work to end violence through awareness and education, we must acknowledge the role that social and cultural norms play in continuing cycles of sexual violence.

Essay Question: What can students do in their everyday lives to combat these words, actions and images that normalize sexual violence in their community?

Essay is due Monday, April 30th by 12pm. Scholarships will be awarded to students contingent upon completion of one semester at a higher education institution. Essays can be written and submitted in English, Hmong or Spanish. Please submit via email to sa@nhagainstabuse.org. To make other submission arrangements, please call our Sexual Activity Advocate at 608-386-6043. http://www.nhagainstabuse.org/events/2019-denim-day/

Amount: 2 - \$500 Scholarships Deadline: 4/30/19

IWSH Essay Scholarship Contest

The purpose of the IWSH Essay Scholarship Contest (International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials,) is to acquaint the uninitiated with the crucial importance the plumbing industry plays in our everyday lives.

ESSAY TOPIC "What can IWSH do to improve sanitation and clean water for those who lack access to a plumbing system?" **PURPOSE**

To acquaint the uninitiated with the crucial importance the plumbing industry plays in our everyday lives. To introduce students to the global impact of IWSH projects.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Students must provide a copy of their current full-time schedule, school transcripts, or acceptance letter with their submission. Must be a current high school senior; or enrolled or accepted as a full-time (12 credit hours) student in an accredited technical school, community college, trade school, four-year accredited college or university, or an apprentice program. International students are eligible. Please submit proper school documentation with the essay.

Amount: \$1000 Deadline: 4/30/19

E-waste Scholarship

Available to: High School Freshmen through Graduate Students, Year 5 Award Amount: \$1,000 The E-waste Scholarship is available to high school, undergraduate or graduate students. You must submit a short statement that completes the sentence "The most important reason to care about e-waste is..." and be U.S. citizen or legal resident to qualify for this award. http://www.digitalresponsibility.org/ewaste-scholarship/

Amount: \$1000 Deadline 4/30/19

Behavioral Health Academic Scholarship Program

We established our Behavioral Health scholarship awards to provide financial assistance that to would enable undergraduate and graduate students to pursue careers in the areas of...**Scholarship Eligibility** – Enrollment in academic program in nursing, counseling, psychology, social work, marriage/family therapy, or other curriculum focusing on treatment of mental health and substance use disorders. – GPA 3.2 or above – College Freshman as of Fall Semester 2019 – Open to full or part-time college undergraduate or graduate students. 19 https://americanaddictioncenters.org/behavioral-health-academic-scholarship

Amount: Varies Deadline: 4/30/19

Army Emergency Relief for Dependent Children of Active Duty, Retired and Deceased Soldiers

The MG James Ursano Scholarship Program is a need-based scholarship program established to assist children of Army Soldiers in obtaining their first undergraduate degree. Applicants must reapply each year and may receive assistance for up to four academic years as long as they meet the eligibility criteria explained in the document below. The award amounts vary each year based on the number of applicants, total approved scholarship budget, the Expected Family Contribution (EFC) from the Student Aid Report (SAR) from the FAFSA, and the average Cost of Attendance to attend a college or university in the United States as provided by the College Board. For the 2018-2019 academic year, awards ranged from \$500 to \$3,400. https://www.aerhq.org/Apply-for-Scholarship

Award amount: varies, Deadline 4/30/19

AB Nicholas Scholarship (UW-System)

The Ab Nicholas Scholarship Foundation seeks to make a college degree affordable for Wisconsin high school students who participate as players or managers in their school's basketball program. Need-based scholarships (\$5,000-10,000), renewable annually, are offered for two- and four-year programs at any University of Wisconsin System school. Athletic Requirements:

You must be participating in your high school's boys or girls basketball program during this (your senior) year either as a player or a manager.

Financial Requirements

The foundation uses your completed Free Application For Student Aid form (<u>FAFSA</u>) to determine financial need. You may also apply for and receive other financial aid.

Educational Requirements

You must be a 2019 graduating senior of a Wisconsin high school – public or private.

You must attend a <u>University of Wisconsin System school</u> as a full-time student (at least 12 credits), enrolled in a 2-year or 4-year program.

To renew your scholarship, you must maintain performance consistent with the original award criteria, including a cumulative grade point average greater than 2.0.

Other Requirements

You must be a bona fide resident of Wisconsin.

You will need a unique student ID number for the UW System school(s) you are applying to.

You will need a completed FAFSA form on file (Free Application For Student Aid) for your application to be considered.

You will need to file an application online during the enrollment period of February 1 – April 30 of your senior year.

https://abnicholasscholars.org/about/

Amount: \$5000-\$10,000. Deadline: 4/30/19

AMVETS National Scholarships - To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Be a deserving high school senior or high school JROTC student. B) Must be enrolled or accepted for enrollment in the Fall of 2019. Applications can be found by going to: https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9590/amvets national scholarships scholarship.php

Amount \$4,000 - 12 Awards Deadline: 4/30/19

May 2019 Scholarship Deadlines

Paradigm Challenge

Available to: Ages 18 & Under The Paradigm Challenge is open to students up to the age of 18. You may work in a team or alone in creating an original and creative way to help solve real-life problems in homes, schools, communities, and/or around the world. Entries may come in the form of posters, videos, inventions, messages, community events, websites, mobile apps, or anything else that will help save lives. Additionally, you must submit a brief statement of your idea (140 characters or less) in order to qualify for this award.

https://www.projectparadigm.org/#mid=&offset=&page=&s=

Amount: up to \$100,000. Deadline: 5/1/19

LM Scholarship

To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Be currently enrolled or expects to be enrolled in a degree program (2 years of length or greater) by September 2019. B) Have a GPA of 3.0 or higher and submit an answer to the essay question prior to the submission deadline. Applications can be found by going to: https://forkliftcertificationcalgary.com/

Amount: \$500 Deadline: 5/31/19

Wisconsin Towns Association

Each year, in partnership with Rural Mutual Insurance Company and Scott Construction, the Wisconsin Towns Association offers seven \$1,000 scholarships to students who are graduating from a Wisconsin public or private high school and will be attending a Wisconsin public or private college or university in the fall of that year. Applicants are required to write a 500-1000 word essay on a specific topic that relates to town government. Proof of enrollment in a Wisconsin private or public college is required. "Explain the importance of high-speed broadband access to town economic and community development." To view complete rules and details click here. Essays must be submitted with the following document. Link: https://www.wisctowns.com/documents/2019-WTA-Scholarship-Brochure-final-.pdf

Amount: \$1000. Deadline: 5/31/19

June 2019 Scholarship Deadlines

Got a Spine Scholarship

\$To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Be attending college or university no later than October of 2019. B) Have achieved a GPA of 2.5 or greater during their last academic year. Applications can be found by going to: https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10634/got_a_spine_scholarship_scholarship.php 15) 10 Words or Less Scholarship - \$500 – 1 Award (Deadline: June 30, 2019) To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Be between the ages of 14-25 who will be attending school in the Fall of 2019. Applications can be found by going to:

 $\underline{\text{https://studentscholarship.org/scholarship/10258/10_words_or_less_scholarship_scholarship.php}$

500 - 1 Award Deadline: 6/1/19

Women Forward in Technology Scholarship

To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Be a woman who is planning a career in one of the STEM fields. B) Be attending at a U.S. accredited university. Applications can be found by going to:

https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/14924/women_forward_in_technology_scholarship_scholarship.php 14) Global Lift Equipment Scholarship - \$500 - 1 Award (Deadline: June 15, 2019) To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Be currently attending or planning on attending a post-secondary institution in Canada or the US no later than the Fall of 2019. B) Have a GPA of 2.5 or greater. https://www.distilnetworks.com/women-forward-in-technology-scholarship/

Amount \$3,000 Deadline: 6/15/19

July 2019 Scholarship Deadlines

The College Promise Campaign 2019 Student Voices Video Competition

With support from Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society. The video competition will award winning students scholarships up to \$2500 to assist with tuition, fees, books, transportation, and living expenses. The competition is open to students of all ages at both two- and four-year colleges and universities, as well as graduating high school seniors. Winners will receive up to \$2,500 in college scholarships and get the chance to share their personal story in future College Promise Campaign digital media and publications. The Campaign will accept student video submissions from April 15, 2019, to July 15, 2019. Students will submit short videos via social media which tell their personal stories of growth in creative ways. Top submissions will be reviewed by a panel of judges with scholarships awarded in the fall of 2019.

For more information on the 2019 Student Voices Video Competition: http://collegepromise.org/news/2019-student-video-competition-unlocking-the-american-dream/

Amount: Up to \$2500 Deadline: 7/15/19

Ongoing Grant Opportunities

- Pell Grant up to: \$6,095. https://www2.ed.gov/programs/fpg/index.html
- Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG) up to: \$4,000. https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/types/grants-scholarships/fseog
- Teacher Ed. Assistance for College/Higher Ed. (TEACH) up to: \$4,000 https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/types/grants-scholarships/teach
- Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant up to: 6,095 (cannot exceed cost of schooling) https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/types/grants-scholarships/iraq-afghanistan-service

- Wisconsin Higher Education Grant (WHEG) Up to \$1,084 per year for Wisconsin residents for up to 10 semesters. Must be enrolled at least half time. Based on financial need. https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/all/wisconsin-higher-education-grant/1617
- Wisconsin Hearing and Visually Handicapped Student Grant Undergraduate study grants for Wisconsin residents who
 are legally deaf or blind and show financial need. The maximum grant is \$1,800 per year for up to 10 semesters.
 http://www.heab.state.wi.us/fag/handicapped.html
- Minority Undergraduate Student Retention Grant Up to \$2,500 per year for up to 8 semesters. Based on financial need.
 Must be a second-year student of a two-year program and enrolled at least half time at a WTCS college. Must be a
 member of a racial minority (Black, Hispanic, American Indian, or student from Cambodia, Laos, or Vietnam).
 http://heab.state.wi.us/programs.html#MURG
- Indian Student Assistance Grant Up to \$1,100 per year for Wisconsin residents who are at least one quarter Native American and enrolled in degree programs. Based on financial need. 10-semester eligibility. http://heab.state.wi.us/programs.html#ISAG
- Lawton Grant; reserved for minorities. Students receive up to \$2,500 per year, for up to 8 semesters, or a maximum total grant of \$10,000. https://financialaid.wisc.edu/types-of-aid/grants/lawton/
- Wisconsin Space Grant Consortium for students enrolled in undergraduate programs, pursuing aerospace science degrees. The funding applies to diverse academic majors like physics, <u>chemistry</u>, biology, economics, <u>business</u>, and <u>art</u>. Up to \$1,500, per academic year. https://spacegrant.carthage.edu/
- Wisconsin National Guard Tuition Program: Must be a member of the Wisconsin National Guard. Must be working towards a Baccalaureate degree. The award can be renewed for up to 8 semesters https://dma.wi.gov/DMA/support/education
- Wisconsin Tuition Grant Must be enrolled at private educational institutions. The awards are distributed based on financial need, and available funding. http://heab.state.wi.us/programs.html#WG
- Wisconsin Talent Incentive Program Grants (TIP)
 - TIP grant aids low-income and disadvantaged Wisconsin students to help reduce the student's amount of loan, work-study, or unmet need. \$600 to \$1,800 initial award for Wisconsin residents, minimum \$250 award, renewable up to 10 semesters. https://dpi.wi.gov/weop/tip-grant Eligibility:

Students must be attending at least part time.

Students must be a first-time freshman.

Students must be attending a public or private Wisconsin college or university.

A student must meet one criteria from Group A based on financial need and one criteria from Group B based on nontraditional/ disadvantaged circumstances

The TIP grant can be renewed for up to ten semesters of enrollment and must be used within six years of enrollment at a public, private, or technical college or university in Wisconsin. First-come, first-serve basis.

Ongoing: Great Clips

A cosmetology education scholarship through Great Clips® scholarship program! By completing this form, your scholarship application will be sent to a local salon owner for consideration. If you are selected for a scholarship by a local salon owner, that salon owner will contact you directly. https://jobs.greatclips.com/scholarship-application