**Scholarships**

**January Deadlines**

[GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship:](https://www.reaganfoundation.org/education/scholarship-programs/ge-reagan-foundation-scholarship-program/)Seniors who demonstrate exemplary leadership, drive, integrity and citizenship, have 3.0 or higher GPA, plan to attend a 4 year school, and demonstrates financial need. **Deadline January 5th**

[Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship:](https://jackierobinson.org/apply/)Open to minority students planning to attend a 4-year college/university; Must have a 21 or higher ACT composite score and demonstrate financial need. **Deadline January 11th**

[National FFA Scholarship Program:](https://www.ffa.org/participate/grants-and-scholarships/scholarships/)High School senior who is a current member of FFA. **Deadline January 12th**

[Profile in Courage Essay Contest:](https://www.jfklibrary.org/learn/education/profile-in-courage-essay-contest) **Open to 9th-12th grade students. Deadline January 12th**

[South Dakota Engineering Society Scholarship:](http://www.sdes.org/resources/Documents/Eastern%20Chapter/Scholarship/2023%20SDES%20EC%20Scholarship%20Application.pdf)Student must attend SDSU OR SDSMT and major in Engineering. **Deadline January 13th**

[SDSMT Freshman Scholarship:](https://www.sdsmt.edu/FinAid/Scholarships/) **Seniors planning to attend South Dakota School of Mines and Technology in the fall. Deadline January 14th**

[MENSA EDUCATION AND RESEARCH FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP:](https://www.mensafoundation.org/what-we-do/scholarships/) Scholarships will be awarded based on essays of 550 words or less describing the applicant's academic or career goals. **January 15th $300 - $1,000**

[BHSU Freshman Scholarship:](https://www.bhsu.edu/Admissions/Pay-for-College/Scholarships/Application) **Seniors planning to attend Black Hills State University in the fall. Deadline January 15th (Priority Deadline)**

[SOUTH DAKOTA ASSOCIATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROFESSIONALS SCHOLARSHIP:](https://sdaep.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/11/2020-2021_SDAEP-Scholarship-Application-Info.pdf)One or more scholarships will be provided to students with directed studies relating to the protection and enhancement of our natural resources, the environment, and other similar fields. **Deadline January 15.** $2,500 to be dived among winners

[SOUTH DAKOTA SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP](https://sdswma.org/scholarships/)**:** Seniors planning careers in a trade supportive of the protection and enhancement of our natural resources and environment, the solid waste industry and/or a related field are encouraged to apply for scholarships. **January 15. $1,000-$2,000**

[WASHINGTON CROSSING FOUNDATION NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD](https://www.gwcf.org/scholarship): Interested students are invited to write essays of not more than one page stating why they plan careers in government service, including any inspiration derived from the leadership of George Washington in his famous crossing of the Delaware. $500 - $5,000 scholarships will be given. **January 15 $500 - $5,000**

[Dakotaland Federal Credit Union Scholarship:](https://dakotalandfcu.com/hubfs/Application%20for%20Academic%20Scholarship-Fillable.pdf)Must be a member of Dakotaland Federal Credit Union. **Deadline January 20th**

[Davis-Bachall Scholar Program:](https://sanfordlab.org/dbs) **Up to eight students will be chosen to participate in this all-expense-paid summer-study program. Deadline January 21th**

**Be age 18 or older at time of travel**

**Be a high school senior or college freshman at time of application**

**Attend a South Dakota public, private or home school or postsecondary institution or have graduated from a South Dakota high school**

**Have a demonstrated interest in science, with the intent of pursuing an advanced degree in a math, science, engineering or technology field**

**Students may only participate in the program once**

[Union Plus Scholarship:](https://1unionplusscholars.communityforce.com/Funds/FundDetails.aspx?3974434C474C374F385A79754C674C566349303967446A484F715951696265626A5363597A6B6545396C78444178726338512B73664F506A636B577251445746) **Student must be a dependent child whose parent is a member in a participating union. Have at least one year of continuous union membership by the applicant or applicant's parent/guardian. Deadline January 31st**

[DAR National Scholarship:](https://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships)Open to all seniors, do not need DAR nomination or sponsorship. **Deadline January 31st**

[VARSITY TUTORS COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP:](http://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship) One $1,000 scholarship awarded each month for juniors or seniors who write essay on a selected topic. **Essay are due the 15th of each month**

**Scholarship Search Engines**

• <https://www.raise.me/>- This site is where students are awarded scholarship

money from colleges each time they demonstrate success in high school.

• <https://www.fastweb.com/>- Fastweb, which has helped 50 million students find

money since the site was founded 15 years ago, was the first online

scholarship matching service and the first free national scholarship

matching service.

• <https://www.scholarships.com/>- Scholarships.com now claims to be the largest

free and independent scholarship search and financial aid information

resource on the Internet, with more than 2.7 million scholarships worth a

total of $19 billion in their database.

• <https://christianconnector.com/index.cfm>- Online Christian College Scholarship

Resource Program

• <https://studentscholarships.org/>- Great scholarship search engine

• <https://finaid.org/>– Great site to help with financial aid

• www.ftc.gov/scholarshipscams - Watch out for phony scholarship search

offers by checking out this site first

• <https://scholarshipamerica.org/>- Great scholarship and college resource

• <https://www.scholarships4students.com/>- Great resource for scholarships

available to high school students and college students

• <https://findtuition.com/>- Great scholarship search engine

• <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships>- Great website for scholarships and

college info

• <https://www.cappex.com/>- Great website for college and financial aid planning,

and scholarship connector.

• <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>- Great website for college and financial aid

planning, and scholarship connector.