

Glendale Union High School District

Senior
Scholarship Guide and
Directory

2011-2012



Compliments of your *Guidance and Counseling Department*
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This information & directories are meant to serve as a guide and not as an official announcement of a scholarship or essay contest. Parents need to be involved in the post high school decisions. Deadlines for scholarships may change from year to year. Your Counselor & Career Center will have the latest information on scholarships and financial aid.

Senior Year Timelines

End of Junior year/summer	check to see you have met graduation requirements sign up/take SAT/ACT
August/September	visit colleges apply to Universities start scholarship search
September/October	attend National Black College Fair @ Phoenix College - check website for date & time
October 2	attend National College Fair Sunday @ Phoenix Civic Plaza 11:00 a.m - 3:00 p.m.
January	attend FAFSA night gather information for FAFSA form take Maricopa Community College entrance exam
March 1	FAFSA priority deadline
March	sign up for community college classes
April	sign up for college/ university classes
May	Graduation & Celebration!

Arizona Universities

- Arizona State University (Tempe)
480-965-9011 www.asu.edu
- Arizona State University (West)
602-543-5500 www.west.asu.edu
- Arizona State University (Polytechnic)
480-727-3278 www.campus.asu.edu/polytechnic
- Arizona State University (Downtown)
602-496-4636 www.campus.asu.edu/downtown
- Northern Arizona University (Flagstaff)
1-888-628-2968 www.nau.edu
1-928-523-9011
- University of Arizona (Tucson)
1-520-621-3237 www.arizona.edu
- Grand Canyon University (Phoenix)
1-877-860-3951 www.gcu.edu
- Embry Riddle Aeronautical University (Prescott)
1-800-888-3728 www.prescott.erau.edu
1-928-777-6600
- Arizona Christian University (formerly Southwestern College)
602-489-5300 www.arizonachristian.edu

Arizona Community Colleges

- Arizona Western College (Yuma)
1-928-317-6000 www.azwestern.edu
- Central Arizona College (Coolidge)
1-520-494-5444 www.centralaz.edu
1-800-237-9814
- Chandler-Gilbert Community College (Chandler)
480-732-7000 www.cgc.maricopa.edu
- Cochise Community College (Douglas)
1-520-515-0500 www.cochise.edu
1-800-966-7943
- Coconino Community College (Flagstaff)
1-928-226-4299 www.coconino.edu
- Dine College (Tsaile)
1-928-724-6600 www.dinecollege.edu
1-877-988-3463
- Eastern Arizona College (Thatcher)
1-800-678-3808 www.eac.edu
- Estrella Mountain C.C. (Avondale)
623-935-8000 www.estrellamountain.edu
- Gateway Community College (Phoenix)
602-286-8000 www.gatewaycc.edu
- Glendale Community College (Glendale)
623-845-3333 www.gc.maricopa.edu
- Mesa Community College (Mesa)
480-461-7000 www.mc.maricopa.edu
- Mohave Community College (Kingman)
1-928-757-4331 www.mohave.edu

- Northland Pioneer College (Holbrook)
1-800-266-7845 www.npc.edu
- Paradise Valley C.C. (Paradise Valley)
602-787-6500 www.pvc.maricopa.edu
- Phoenix College (Phoenix)
602-285-7800 www.pc.maricopa.edu
- Pima Community College (Tucson)
1-520-206-4500 www.pima.edu
- Rio Salado Community College (Tempe)
480-517-8000 www.rio.maricopa.edu
- Scottsdale Community College (Scottsdale)
480-423-6000 www.scottsdalecc.edu
- South Mountain C.C. (Phoenix)
602-243-8100 www.southmountaincc.edu
- Yavapai College (Prescott)
1-928-445-7300
1-800-922-6787 www.yc.edu

How to pay for college...

Scholarships and waivers

awarded to students with good grades, athletic ability or musical talent. These do not have to be repaid.

Grants

based on financial need. These do not have to be repaid.

Loans

available to students (or parents) with financial need. These must be repaid after a student leaves school.

College work study

available to students with financial need. This federal employment program helps students reduce the cost of their education.

Campus employment

available to students with or without financial need.

FAFSA Pin Number

If you are planning to file for financial aid, you & your parent will need pin numbers in order to fill in FAFSA online and/or track your application.

www.pin.ed.gov

Log onto the Internet at the above site to obtain the pin numbers. You will be asked for your social security number & e-mail address. You will need this pin number every year you are in college so keep it handy.

2011-12 FAFSA Information

Apply online at www.fafsa.ed.gov

Most universities and colleges require students to complete this form. Contact your school for the date of a FAFSA night for help in completing this form. FAFSA determines qualifications for many grants, loans, & work-study programs colleges can award students.

Free help is available on College Goal Saturday & Sunday in late January. Check for times & places at www.collegegoalsunday.com

What you will need:

- Completed 2011 income tax forms from student & parents
- social security numbers
- driver's license numbers

School Codes: (needed on college section)

NAU	001082
ASU (all campuses)	001081
U of A	001083
Mesa CC	001077
Phoenix College	001078
Paradise Valley CC	026236
Chandler-Gilbert	030722
Yavapai College	001079
Embry Riddle	014797
Grand Canyon	001074
Glendale CC	001076
Scottsdale CC	008304
Rio Salado	014483
Estrella Mt. CC	031563

⇒Check figures & information for accuracy ⇐
Complete by March 1

2011 Hope & Lifetime Learning Tax Credits

There are two Federal tax credits available those who pay the costs for higher education themselves. The student or parent may take a tax credit for tuition and related fees paid in the student's behalf at universities, colleges and vocational schools.

Hope Tax Credit

The Hope Credit applies only for the first two years of post-secondary education. You are allowed 100% of the first \$1200 of qualified tuition and related fees paid during the tax year, plus 50% of the next \$1200- for a maximum credit of \$1800 per eligible students per year. The student must be enrolled at least half-time.

Lifetime Learning Credit

The Lifetime Learning Credit can be used for an unlimited number of years after the student's first two years. You are allowed 20% of the tuition and fees for a maximum of \$2000 per year.

Consult a tax professional for detailed information, forms, and qualifications. There are also provisions for parents paying tuition for more than one student. Updated information may be found at www.irs.gov.

Publication 970 Tax Form 8863 Tax Topic 605

Scholarship Search Sites

www.collegeanswer.com

www.collegeboard.com

www.brokescholar.com

www.collegefund.org (American Indian)

www.collegenet.com

www.college-scholarships.com

www.collegescholarships.org

www.fastaid.com

www.fastweb.com

www.finaid.com

www.free-4u.com (listed by category)

www.freschinfo.com

www.gocollege.com

www.hispanicfund.org

www.iefaf.org (foreign study)

www.latinocollegedollars.org

www.princetonreview.com

www.scholarships.com

www.uncf.org (United Negro College Fund)

www.studentaid.ed.gov

www.students.gov

www.weeklyscholarshipalert.org

These Internet sites may be helpful in finding scholarships.

There is never any reason to pay \$\$\$\$ to get scholarships or financial aid information.

There are "scholarship" companies that invite students & parents to evening meetings or via Internet to sign up for their services. Costs range from \$160 to \$900 ! You can get all of this for *free* at school or other places on the Internet !

Scholarship Sources are everywhere...

- Employers- check with company where you, your parents, even grandparents work.
- Volunteer work- some organizations reward their volunteers with grants or scholarships for higher education.
- Organizations/Clubs- many professional and social groups offer scholarships for their members or member's children. Check with professional organization in your field of study if you or a parent are a veteran- you may qualify for financial assistance.
- Military if your parent is a veteran, you may qualify for financial assistance.
- Unions- unions to which you or your parents belong
- High School- groups on campus may have scholarships available each year.
- PSAT- results from this test generate scholarships such as National Merit Scholarship.
- Churches- local churches and their headquarters may have scholarships available for their members
- Library- reference sections of local libraries have several scholarship books for you to look through
- Internet- there are dozens of free scholarship search sights-one of the best is www.fastweb.com
- Newspapers- a story may include a scholarship or program to which you may apply

Polishing Your Scholarship Essays

** Remember scholarship committee readers do not know you!! **

You need to tell them:

- who you are
- what your goals are for next 2-10 years
- how did you arrive at these goals
- what influenced you
 - people
 - special experiences
- personal values
 - explain what is important to you and why

Neatness counts!

- read ALL instructions before beginning
- follow the instructions EXACTLY !
- type rather than write by hand

Make your application stand out

- be as creative as the instructions will allow
- include a picture of yourself

Allow 1 week for letters of recommendation to be written

- give writer your resume, goal statement and any other information needed
- send a hand written thank you note after receiving the recommendation

Have an adult read over the application & offer feedback

Order transcript (if needed) from your Counseling Office

- request must be made at least 3-4 days ahead of deadline
- leave completed application and other materials for mailing

*****Scholarships may have been removed or changed since
the publication of these listings*****

Scholarship/Award	Eligibility/Criteria	Value	Deadline
Wal-Mart Associate Scholarship	Employee of Wal-Mart for at least 1 year, SAT/ACT scores, school & community activities, form online: www.walmartfoundation.org	\$3000	September 1, December 1, March 1, June 1
Arizona Dream Builder/ Martin Luther King	School & community leadership, GPA 2.5, essay, application: www.azdreambuilder.org	\$1000 x 4 yrs + trips to Washington, D.C. and Atlanta	September 16

Any College. Com	Register online, answer short survey www.anycollege.com	4 - \$2000 / drawing	Mar31, June 30 Sept 30, Dec 31
AZ Dept. of Education Honors Endorsement	Must attend AZ university, "B" in 16 core classes + GPA 3.5 or in top 5% + exceed in all 3 AIMS by Jr. year	Tuition waiver	Ongoing
Fiesta Bowl "Got Milk?"	AZ school only, 150 word essay, milk mustache photo, may enter weekly, 3 winners per week	\$10,000, \$7,000, +\$5000, ASU, U of A, NAU football tickets	Weekly drawings Aug 27 -Nov 12
Arizona ETV Program	Foster care, 2/4/tech school, contact caseworker	Up to \$5000 per yr	Ongoing
Latino College Dollars	Latino, listing of offers online: www.latinocollegedollars.org	Amounts vary	Ongoing
Kids Chance of AZ	2/4/tech school, student whose parent was hurt/killed in a work related accident, form online: www.azkidschance.org	Amounts vary	Ongoing
College Prowler "No Essay"	Monthly drawing, register online: www.collegeprowler.com	\$1000	Ongoing

US Bank	Must be enrolled in US Bank "No Fee Education Loan" program, 4 yr school	40 - \$1000 random drawing	October - March
US Senate Youth Program	Student Council member, essay, test on current events/people, interview, 2 from Arizona	Trip to Washington, DC + \$5000 scholarship	October 14
National Multiple Sclerosis Society	Student or parents with MS, apply online: www.nationalmssociety.org/scholarship	\$1000 - \$3000	Oct 1 - Jan 15
Wendy's High School Heisman	Honors & Awards selection, must be in at least 1 sport school, GPA 3.0, www.wendysheisman.com	\$500 + trip to national Heisman presentation 5 per school	October 2
U of A Baird	Honors & Awards selection, U of A only, 1/school, top 1%, essay	\$10,000 x 4	October 15
Flinn Foundation	AZ universities only, top 5%, GPA 3.5, SAT 1300 or ACT 29, school & community leadership, at least 2 yr AZ resident & US citizen, www.flinnscholars.org	20 - \$50,000 + foreign travel	October 15

ASBA Jack Peterson	AZ 2/4 yr college, education major, school & community activities, write for application: ASBA 2100 N. Central Suite 200, Phoenix 85004	Amount varies	October 24
NALS of Phoenix	Student majoring in legal field, experience helpful, essay	\$300	October 29
Horatio Alger - Arizona	US citizen, 4 yr college/university, GPA 2.0, school & community activities, SAT/ACT scores, essays, apply online only: www.horatioalger.com	10 - \$5000	October 30
Coca-Cola	Must list school & community activities, GPA 3.0, apply online: www.coca-colascholars.org	250 nationally 50 \$20,000 x 4 yrs 200 - \$10,000 x 4 yrs	October 31
Friendly House	Hispanic, 2/4 yr school, school & community activities, 1 st in family to attend college, essay, www.friendlyhouse.org	50 - \$1000	October 31

College Steps/Wells Fargo	2/4 yr college/university/vocational school, sign up online: www.wellsfargo.com/collegesteps	20 - \$1000 drawings monthly	October - May
Grand Canyon University	Grand Canyon University only, general & private donor listings: www.gcu.edu/financial_aid	Amounts vary	Ongoing (priority Mar 15) (deadline Aug 1)
NAU General & Private Donor	NAU only, automatically matched by filling out interest form: www.4.nau.edu/finaid/scholarships	Amounts vary	Ongoing
U of A General & Private Donor	U of A only, various offers, automated search, online: scholarshipuniverse.arizona.edu	Amounts vary	Ongoing
ASU General & Private Donor - all campuses	ASU only, private donor & freshmen listings: www.students.asu.edu/scholarships	Amounts vary	Ongoing
Phoenix College General & private donor	Phoenix College only, private donor & dept scholarships list available online: www.pc.maricopa.edu	Amounts vary	Ongoing

United Negro College Fund	39 traditionally black schools listed, GPA 2.5, FAFSA, fill in profile online: www.uncf.org	Amounts vary	Ongoing through May 1
Ron Brown Scholar	African-American, 4 yr college only, school & community activities, essay, SAT/ACT scores, www.ronbrown.org	10 -\$10,000 x 4 yrs	November 1
Prudential Spirit of Community Awards	Honors & Awards selection, lots of community service, essay on volunteer service	One/high school \$1000 + trip	November 1
AZ School Counselors	AZ school only, essay on how your high school counselor influenced your life & educational goals	\$1000	November 1
AZ Assoc. Chicanos for Higher Education	Any AZ community college regardless of immigration status, GPA 2.5, www.aacge.org/scholarships	Amounts vary	November 3
Elks Foundation Phoenix/West Lodge # 2729	2/4 yr. college/university, school & community activities, leadership, SAT/ACT scores, essay	6 - \$500 local \$15,000 national	November 3

Hispanic College Fund	Hispanic, fulltime college student, GPA 3.0, www.hispanicfund.org	\$500 - 10,000	November 15 - March 15
National Security Agency Stokes Educational	Computer science/elec. Engineering majors, US citizen, leadership skills, ACT 25 or SAT reading & math 1100 + writing 500, GPA 3.0, www.nsa.gov/careers	Tuition + books + living expenses, yr round salary, job after college	September 1 - November 30
Toyota Community Scholars	One/school, school & community activities, write about outstanding community service project	100 - \$10,000 or \$20,000 x 4 yrs.	December 1
National Society of Professional Engineers	Engineering major, top 25% of Sr. class, minority & women offers also, www.nspe.org	\$1000 - 2500	December 1
ASU Leadership	Honors & Awards selection, ASU only, 1/ high school, school & community activities, leadership roles & awards, essay, member of Key Club, GPA 3.0, SAT/ACT scores	25 - \$9000 x 4yrs	December 10

U of A, Hispanic Women's Corporation	U/A only, essay, links to other scholarships, www.hispanicwomen.org	\$300 - \$10,000	December 14
Hispanic Scholarship Fund & General Motors Hispanic	Hispanic, 4 yr colleges only, GPA 3.0, Engineering, business, social science majors only, www.hsf.net	\$2500	December 15
ASU Alumni Medallion Award	ASU only, Dean's scholarship recipient, school leadership & community service, www.alumni.asu.edu/awards/medallion	25 - \$2750 x 4 yrs	December 15
Navy Reserve	US citizen, NJROTC cadet, 2/4 yr college, essay, math/engineering majors preferred, SAT/ACT scores	Amounts vary	December 15
MENSA Education & Research Foundation	550 words on career/vocational/academic goals, form: http://phoenix.us.mensa.org	300 - \$1000	December 31 (request application) January 15 (completed application)
International Academy of Hair Design	Must attend International Academy of Hair Design, demonstrate passion for hair design	\$2000	December 31

Hispanic Scholarship Fund "Make the U"	Hispanic, 2/4 yr colleges, U.S. citizen, GPA 3.0, essay, financial need, list & form: www.hsf.net/Haz_La_U_scholarships	\$15,000 10- \$2500	December 31
1 st Credit Union Imagine the possibilities	Credit union member, AZ 2/4yr college/university/vocational school, GPA 2.5, essay	6 - \$500	December 31
Anne Ford & Allegra Ford Learning Disability	Have a learning disability, IEP or 504 plan, GPA 3.0, school & community activities, essay, SAT/ACT scores,	\$10,000	December 31
Army ROTC	ROTC member, GPA 2.5, SAT 920/ACT 19, ROTC dept. recommendation	\$80,000	January 10
Burger King Scholars	2/4 yr school/vocational, must work 10 hrs/week, GPA 2.5, school & community activities, access key: BKS www.haveyourwayfoundation.org	1600 - \$1000	January 10

Gates Millennium	Minority, GPA 3.3, financial need, leadership in school & community, essay, apply online: www.gmsp.org	Full tuition & expenses	January 10 - (online) Dec 31 - (paper)
Grand Canyon University Young Ambassadors	GCU only, leadership skills, religious beliefs	\$10,000 x 4 yrs	January 14
T.W. Lewis	4 yr college only, school & community leadership & activities, GPA 3.2, SAT 1750, top 15%, essay, www.twlewisfoundation.org	10 - \$5000 x 4 yrs	January 14
SAE Engineering	Engineering majors only, GPA 4.0, 90th % on SAT or ACT, application online: www.sae.org/students	1000 - \$10,000 7 different awards	January 15
National Cosmetology Association - Sally Beauty	Must be enrolled in Cosmetology program, www.ncacares.org	5 - 1000	November 15 & January 15
U of A Alumni/License Plate	U/A only, school & community activities, leadership, top 25%, essay www.arizonaalumni.com/phxoffice	\$1000 - \$2500	January 15

Arizona Elk Society	Wildlife related major, active in outdoors or hunter, <i>GPA 2.7</i> , school & community activities, essay www.arizonaelksociety.org	\$750 \$1000	January 18
Phoenix Chinese Week	Must be active in Chinese community, <i>GPA 2.0</i> , school & community activities, essay	4 - \$250	January 20
DECA	DECA student, 2/4 yr school, marketing/business majors, SAT/ACT scores, must work for company offering scholarship, list online: www.deca.org/scholar	Amounts vary	January 20
Ronald McDonald National Scholarship Program RMHS Scholars	2/4yr/vocational/tech school, <i>GPA 2.7</i> , community service, essay, apply online: www.rmch.org	\$1000	January 28
Ronald McDonald National Scholarship Program Future Achievers	African American, 2/4 yr/ vocational/tech school, SAT/ACT scores, community service, essay, apply online: www.rmhc.org	\$1000	January 28

Ronald McDonald National Scholarship Program HACER	Hispanic, 2/4 yr/vocational/tech school, SAT/ACT scores, community service, essay, apply online:	\$1000 www.rmhc.org	January 28
AFL-CIO Union Plus	2/4 yr/vocational, dependent of union member, GPA 3.0, apply online: www.unionplus.org/benefits/education	\$500 - \$4000	January 31
Sam Walton Community	2/4 college, SAT/ACT scores, GPA 2.5, school & community activities, apply online: www.walmartfoundation.org	\$3000	January 31
Wal-Mart Family Foundation Scholarship	Dependent of Wal-Mart employee, , 1030 SAT/ 22 ACT scores, school & community activities, form online: www.walmartfoundation.org	175 - \$13,000	January 31
Wal-Mart Dependent Scholarship	Dependent of Wal-Mart employee for at least 1 year, SAT/ACT scores, school & community activities, form online: www.walmartfoundation.org	\$3000	January 31

American Atheists	Must be atheists, GPA 2.5, www.atheists.org/youth	\$1000 - 2000	January 31
Naval Helicopter Association	Military affiliation given priority, school & community activities, work experience helpful, application online: www.nhascholarshipfund.org	5-\$2000	January 31
Rent-a-Center Make-a-difference	Customer or employee, 2/4/vocational school, GPA 2.0, apply online: www6.rentacenter.com (click on RA Community box)	50 - \$1000	January 31
NROTC	US citizen, ACT 22 math,22 English & 530 verbal, 1-800-648-0403	2000 - tuition, books & \$250-400/month	January 31
U.S. Tennis Association Foundation	Tennis team member, SAT/ACT scores, list of offers: www.usta.com	Amounts vary	February 1
Stanley E. Jackson Exceptional Children	Minority with disability with art, academic abilities, write: Foundation for Exceptional Children 1920 Association Dr., Reston, VA 22091	\$1000	February 1

Arrowhead Community Hospital & Medical Center	N/W high school only, health related majors, school & community activities	12- \$3000	February 1
Frank Kazmierczak Migrant	From a farm migrant worker home, education major, essay, application: www.migrant.net	\$1000	February 1
Phoenix Suns Charities	Community service, GPA 2.5, essay, application online: www.suns.com	16 - \$2000 1 - \$5000	February 1
Hispanic Business Students Assoc./ASU	ASU only, Hispanic, GPA 3.0, school & community activities, essay, www.students.asu.edu	Amounts vary	February 1
Tuskegee Airmen Scholarship Foundation	Aviation, aerospace technology or research careers, GPA 3.0, 2 essays, www.taisf.org/scholar	40 \$1000 + 1 \$5000 x 4 yrs	February 2
American Physical Society Minority	African-American, Native American, Hispanic, physics major, www.minoritiesinphysics.org	\$2000	February 3

ASU Kaibab Industries	ASU only, 1/school, nominated by counselor or Kaibab Industries employee, GPA 3.0	\$2000	February 7
American Meteorological Society Industrial	Minority, women, atmospheric/oceanic/hydrologic majors, GPA 3.25, SAT/ACT scores, list & application: www.ametsoc.org	\$2000 - \$5000	February 10
KFC Colonel's Scholars	2/4 yr AZ school, GPA 2.75, essay, school activities, apply online: www.kfcscholars.org	50 - \$5000 x 4 yrs	December 1 - February 10
AZ Society of CPAs	2/4 yr school, accounting major, community service, essay	8 - \$500	February 10
Nell Wilcoxon/AZ Education Association/ Future Educator	Dependent of AEA member, education majors only, essay www.arizonaaea.org/awards/wilcoxon	Amounts vary	February 10

U of A Hispanic Alumni	U/A only, Hispanic, school & community activities, essay, www.arizonaalumni.com/uaha	Tuition&/or cash award &/or book scholarship	February 12
Booker T. Washington	Minority, FFA member, agriculture major, 4 yr school only, www.ffa.org	\$10,000	February 15
ChairScholars.org	Physically challenged, GPA 3.0, under 21, SAT/ACT scores, essay, www.chairscholars.org	150 - up to \$20,000 at school of your choice	February 15
Daughters of the American Revolution	Various listings online: www.dar.org/natsociety	Amounts vary & renewable	February 15
AXA Achievers	US citizen, 2/4yr college/ university, school & community activities, work experience, essay, www.axa-achievement.com	10 - \$15,000 national 53 - \$10,000 state 12 - \$2000	February 15
AXA Community	Completed (or working on) long term community service project, work experience helpful, www.axa-achievement.com	364 - \$2000 per branch office	February 15

AZ PTA	Education majors given priority, college/university, GPA 3.0, essay, www.azpta.org	\$500 /semester (up to \$4000)	February 15
National Commission for Cooperative Education	Science, math, engineering, technology majors, GPA 3.5, SAT/ACT scores, essay, form: www.co-op.edu (list of participating schools)	170 - \$6000 x 4 yrs.	February 15
American Welding Society	Welding training only, vocational school/university, essay, scholarship list & application online: www.aws.org	\$2000	February 15
AZ Community Foundation Arts Scholars Program	ASU or UofA only, fine arts major, auditions only, essay, 1150 SAT/25ACT or top 5% or GPA 3.25 contacts: www.azfoundation.org/scholarships	\$5000 x 4 yrs	February 15
Best Buy @ 15	9-12 graders, school leadership & community service, essay, GPA 2.5, apply online: www.at15.com	1000 - \$1500	February 15

Asian & Pacific Islander American	Asian, 2/4 yr. college, see list of majors, GPA 2.7, apply online: www.apio.org	\$1000 \$1500 \$2000	February 16
Military Children's/ Commissary Program/ Fisher House	Military dependent, GPA 3.0, 2/4 yr schools, essay, application online: www.militaryscholar.org	\$1500 per commissary	February 17
Sallie Mae 1 st in Family	Hispanic, U.S. citizen, 1 st in family to attend college, GPA 3.0, application: www.thesalliemaefund.org	\$500 - 5000	February 22
Anne Frank "Teens make a difference"	Jewish, community service, apply online: www.jewishphoenix.org	\$613	February 24
United Blood Services Spirit of Gving	High school blood drive committee member, GPA 2.5, application: www.unitedbloodservices.org	\$1000	February 24

Dorrance Merit Arizona Community Foundation	NAU, ASU, U/A only, 1 st generation college student, GPA 3.0, SAT 1040 or ACT 22, school & community activities and leadership, apply: www.dorrancescholarship.org	25 - \$10,000 x 4yrs + one time \$4000 summer travel stipend	February 25
ASU Parents Association	ASU only, minority OR 1st generation college student OR have financial need, GPA 3.0, school & community activities, www.students.asu.edu	\$4000	February 25
ASU 1 st Generation	ASU only, US citizen, GPA 3.0, school & community activities, essay, work experience, list of offers by majors, www.clas.asu.edu	Amounts vary	February 25
Sybil B. Harrington & St. Luke's Service League	Healthcare majors, citizen, 2 yr or AZ university only, GPA 3.0, volunteer experience, school activities, essay	Amounts vary	February 26
Az Career & Technical Education	Must be enrolled in high school CTE class, teacher must nominate	\$500 - \$2500	February 27

Girls Going Places.com	12-18 yrs old, 250 word personal essay, 750 word essay from adult in girl's business accomplishments	15 - \$1000 - \$10,00	September 1 - February 28
Automotive Youth Education Systems John F. Smith	Attending accredited ASE/NATEF 2 yr auto program or AYES OEM partner program (GCC Autos), www.ayes.org	\$2500 x 2	February 28
Experimental Aircraft Association	Member of EAA, aerospace or aeronautical engineering majors, school & community activities, www.young eagles.org	Amounts vary	February 28
National Interscholastic Athletic Association Student Athlete	2 yr/2 sport athlete, varsity letter, GPA 3.25, SAT 1100 (math & verbal) ACT 24, school & community activities, www.niaaa.org	State: plaque Regional: \$1000 National: \$2000	February 28
Eagle Scouts & National Jewish Committee on Eagle Scout	Must have Eagle rank, university only, GPA 3.0, SAT 1000/ACT 26, other offers online, application online: www.jewishscouting.org	Amounts vary	February 28

U of A Black Alumni	U/A only, African-American, community service, essay, www.arizonaalumni.com/uaba	Amounts vary	March 1
Women's Western Golf Foundation	Female, involved in golf, write for application, address online www.wwga.org/scholarship	\$2000	March 1
Glendale Community College Private Donor & Department Scholarships	GCC only, list available at GCC Financial Aid Office or online: www.gccaz.edu/finaid & www.maricopa.edu/foundation	Amounts vary	March 1 (online)
Nina Pulliam Legacy (foster care)	Student must have been in child welfare system, any Maricopa Community college or ASU, www.ninapulliamtrust.org	Tuition, books, living allowance for up to 6 yrs.	March 1
Nina Pulliam Legacy (disability)	Student with physical disability, any Maricopa Community college or ASU, www.ninapulliamtrust.org	Tuition, books, living allowance for up to 6 yrs.	March 1

Society of Exploration Geophysics	Geophysics, physics, math or geology majors only, www.seg.org	\$500 - 14,0000	March 1
Navy League Foundation	Dependent of Navy member, 4 yr college, university, GPA 3.0, www.navyleague.org/scholarship	\$2500 x 4 yrs	March 1
Japanese-American Citizen League	College/university/vocational school, belong to Japanese-American Citizen League, SAT/ACT scores, essay, form: www.jacl.org	10-15 - \$1000 - \$5000	March 1
Alhambra Foundation for the Future	Alhambra Elementary District grad, vocational/tech/health majors, 2/4/vocational school, essay	100 - \$500- \$5000 x 4 yrs	March 1
Phoenix Chapter of the Links	2/4 yr school, GPA 3.0, school & community activities, work experience helpful, essay www.phoenixlinksinc.org	Amounts vary	March 1
Asian American Journalists Association	Asian, journalism majors, www.aja.org	\$1250 - \$25,000	March 1

Marine Corp Scholarship Foundation	Dependent of a Marine/Navy person, 2/4/vocational school, school & community activities, essay, GPA 2.0, form: www.mcsf.org 1-800-292-7777	\$500 - \$10,000	March 1
American Chemical Society Scholars Program	Chemical science majors only, minority, SAT/ACT scores, science grades of 3.0 or better, apply online: www.chemistry.org/scholars	100 - \$2500 1 st yr to \$5000 3 rd & 4 th yrs	March 1
Marriott Scholars	Hispanic, citizen, hospitality major, essay, GPA 3.0, http://scholarships.hispanicfund.org/marriott	\$9000 x4 + Internship with Marriott	March 1
Armstrong Family	ASU only, orphan/ward of court/in foster care, winner must do 40 hrs community service, GPA 3.0, www.students.asu.edu	Amounts vary	March 1
Betty Udell Marshall	ASU only, female, GPA 2.75, school & community activities, essay, www.students.asu.edu	Amounts vary	March 1

Steve Pascente Memorial	ASU only, GPA 3.0, school & community activities, essay, www.students.asu.edu	Amounts vary	March 1
Sonoran Spine Foundation	ASU/UofA/NAU only, must have spinal disorder, school & community activities, financial need, apply: www.spineresearch.org	\$1000	March 1
Associated Male Choruses of America	Male vocal music majors, must be a member of a chorus, submit tape, www.amcofa-sing.org	\$1000 - 1200 per yr.	March 1
ASU American/Pacific Islander	ASU only, Asian/Pacific Islander, leadership, school & community activities, essay, form online: www.apas.clas.asu.edu	\$500 - \$7800	March 1
NAACP Roy Wilkins	4 yr school only, school & community activities, essay, GPA 2.5, apply online: www.uncf.org	Up to \$1000	March 2

Desert Schools Credit Union Community Service Award	Completed 50 hrs community service in summer & fall, must be credit union member, GPA 3.0, application: www.desertschools.org/scholarship	1 - \$10,000, 1 - \$5000, 5 - \$1000	March 4
Sammy - Got Milk?	Athlete, GPA 3.25, school & community activities, leadership, apply online: www.bodybymilk.com	25 - \$7500 + trip + mustache ad in USA Today	March 4
National Italian American Foundation	Italian descent &/or Italian language major, GPA 3.5, www.niaf.org/scholarships	\$2000 - 12,000	March 6
Air Force Aid Society Gen. Henry Arnold Educational Grant	Dependent of active duty/retired AF, 2/4/tech school, www.afas.org/education	Amounts vary, may reapply up to 4 yrs.	March 12
U/A Asian American Faculty & Alumni	U/A only, Asian, GPA 3.25, essay, community activities, www.financialaid.arizona.edu	\$1000	March 12

Sun Health Auxiliary	Health related major, 2/4 yr. college, GPA 3.0, school & community activities, essay, www.sunhealthfoundation.org	6 - \$1000	March 14
Kohl's Cares	Outstanding community service, nominated by school, form in store or www.kohlkids.com	\$50 gift card, \$1000 regional, 10 - \$5000 national	February 1 - March 15
Luke-Military Officers Association	2/4 yr. college, high school ROTC cadet, US citizen, school & community activities, www.lukekids.com	\$1000	March 15
Vantagepoint Public Employee Memorial	Children of public employee who died on the job, 2/4/vocational school, www.vantagescholar.org	Up to \$10,000	March 15
J.W. Robinson United Black Firefighters	African-American, 4 yr school, GPA 3.0, SAT 1000/ACT 21, financial need, school & community activities	Amounts vary	March 15

ASU Chicano/Latino Faculty & Staff Assoc. Laura Rendon	ASU full time only, GPA 3.0, low income, 1 st generation, essay, www.students.asu.edu	Amounts vary	March 15
Hispanic Women's Corporation	ASU & Maricopa community colleges, essay, links to other scholarships, www.hispanicwomen.org	\$300 - \$10,000	March 15
Chicanos Por La Causa Hispanic Community Partnership	ASU only, receiving no other ASU tuition money, top 20%, 40 hours of community service, essay, www.students.asu.edu	Amounts vary	March 15
ASU William Huizingh/ John B. Mumford	ASU only, accounting majors only, admitted to WP Carey College, leadership, community service, essay, SAT/ACT scores, www.wpcarey.asu.edu	\$3000 x 4 yrs	March 15
ASU Fulton School of Engineering	ASU only, engineering or related majors, GPA 3.0, essay, list online: www.fulton.asu.edu	Amounts vary	March 15

ASU W.P. Carey School of Business	ASU business majors, school & community activities, leadership, essay, application: www.wpcarey.asu.edu/scholarships	Amounts vary	March 15
ASU Los Diablos	ASU only, Chicano/Latino, GPA 3.0, school & community activities, essay, receiving no other money, www.students.asu.edu	30 full tuition	March 15
Cesar Chavez Leadership Institute Scholars	ASU only, top 15%, GPA 3.0, no other tuition waiver, school & community activities, essay, www.students.asu.edu	Tuition waiver	March 15
Tailhook Educational Foundation	Dependent of Navy, Marine Corp or Coast Guard, SAT/ACT scores, essay, application: www.tailhook.org/foundation.htm .	\$1500 - \$15,000	March 15

Catching the Dream	American Indian, school & community activities, SAT/ACT, essay, application: www.catchingthedream.org	\$500 - 5000	March 15
Luke Officer's Spouses Club	Military dependent, 2/4 yr schools, SAT or ACT scores, school & community activities, essay	\$1000	March 16
Golden Wheel	AZ school only, SAT/ACT scores, school & community activities, essay www.goldenwheelorganization.org	10 - \$2000 x 2	March 17
U.S. Pan Asian American Chamber of Commerce (10 different scholarships)	Asian, 2, 4 yr school, GPA 3.3, leadership, school & community activities, www.uspaacc.com/uspac/programs/education_training	Up to \$5000 + travel to conference	March 18
GE-Reagan Foundation	Must have exemplary leadership, drive, integrity & citizenship, www.reaganfoundation.org/scholarships	20 - \$10,000	March 18

Alpha Kappa Alpha (Delta Beta Omega)	African-American female, 4 yr. college/university, education majors, GPA 3.0, school & community activities, essay, www.aka-dbo.org	\$500 - 3500	March 19
Desert Jade Woman's Club	Chinese, school & community activities, essay	\$500	March 20
Cystic Fibrosis Foundation	College/university/vocational school, must have cystic fibrosis, financial need, www.cfscholarship.org	50 - \$1000 - \$2000	March 21
APS Maricopa Community Colleges & ASU	Engineering, information technology, trades majors, GPA 3.0	16 - \$1000	March 26
ASU Legacy	Child of ASU Alumni www.asu.edu/alumni/programs	\$1000	March 26
Federal Employee Education & Assistance Fund	Dependent of federal/postal employee, 2/4 yr college/university, GPA 3.0, school & community activities, essay, application online: www.feea.org	400 - \$250 - \$5000	March 26

National Association of Hispanic Journalists - Rueben Salazar	Print/photo/broadcast/journalism majors, portfolio, essay, application: www.nahj.org	\$1000 - \$2000	March 28
National Association of Hispanic Journalists - Maria Elena Salinas	Spanish language TV/Radio major, essay in Spanish, portfolio, application online: www.nahj.org	3 - \$5000	March 28
National Association of Hispanic Journalists - general	Print/photo/broadcast/journalism majors, Spanish speaking, portfolio, essay, application: www.nahj.org	\$1000 - \$5000	March 28
Go Daddy	2/4 yr school, GPA 3.0, essay, SAT 860/ ACT 18 www.godaddy.com/mescholarship	10 - \$10,000	March 31
Buick Achievers	4 yr college/university only, auto related careers, science, technology, engineering, finance, math, business admin, marketing, design majors	100 - \$25,000 1000 - \$2000 x 4 yrs	March 31
Janice M. Scott Memorial	4 yr school only, GPA 3.0, school & community leadership, essay about your role model.	10 - \$2500	March 31

Don/Sybil Harrington Health Care AZ Community Foundation	2/4yr/vocational college, GPA 3.5, SAT 1250 or ACT 28, essay, application online: www.azfoundation.org/scholarship	\$2500 2yr schools \$5000 4 yr schools	March 31
Calcot-Seitz Foundation	Agricultural/cotton majors, 4 yr college only, GPA 3.0, school & community activities, essay www.calcot.com/calcot-seitz	Amounts vary	March 31
Orphan Foundation of America/Casey Family	Orphan/foster care (12 months or more), essay, application: www.fc2success.org	Amounts vary	March 31
LULAC/ National Scholarship Foundation	Hispanic, US citizen, college/ university/Vocational, GPA 3.5, SAT 1350/ACT 29, essay, application: www.lnesc.org	\$2000	March 31
LULAC/Honors Awards	Hispanic, US citizen college/ university, GPA 3.25, SAT 1100/ACT 23, essay, application: www.lnesc.org	\$250 - \$2500	March 31

Jackie Robinson Foundation	Minority, university, SAT 900/ ACT 21, financial need, essay, application: www.jackierobinson.org	50-60 - \$7500	March 31
Marine Corp- Old Breed	Family member of Marine, living or deceased, or any student wanting higher education, GPA 2.5, essay	\$1000	March 31
Marine Corp League Dept of AZ- Frank Weinke	US citizen, 2/4/vocational school, dependent of current military or veteran, school & community activities, essay GPA 2.5 in 10 th & 11 th grades, www.deptazmcl.org	\$1000	March 31
American Nuclear Society	Nuclear science & technology majors, women & minority students encouraged to apply, www.ans.org/honors/scholarships	Amounts vary	April 1
MG James Ursano	Military dependent, financial need, application: www.aerhq.org/education	Amounts vary	April 1
John C. Lincoln Volunteer	Healthcare majors, AZ resident, GPA 3.0, short essay,	Amounts vary	April 1

Advancing Hispanic Excellence in Technology Engineering, Math & Science	2/4 yr college, Hispanic, science, technology, engineering, math majors, GPA 3.0 apply online: www.ahetems.org	\$1000 - \$3000	April 1
Worldstudio AIGA Foundation	design/art majors & application online: www.aigao.org , GPA 2.0, portfolio, www.worldstudio.com	\$1000 - 3000 1 - \$5000	April 1
Org. of Chinese Americans UPS/Gold Mountain	Asian, 1 st in family to attend college, GPA 3.0, essay, application: www.oconational.org	12 - \$2000	April 4
NFIB Young Entrepreneur Foundation/Sam's Club	College/university/vocational school, wants to start own business, DECA or Jr. Achievement membership, work experience, SAT/ACT scores, school & community activities, essay, form online: www.nfib.com/yef	\$1000 - \$10,000	April 6
GUEA Education	GUHSD students only, education major, GPA 2.7, essay	4 - \$250	April 8

Maricopa Community Foundation	Must attend any of 10 Maricopa Community colleges, list available mid-February: www.maricopa.edu	Amounts vary	April 9
Arizona Press Women Betty Latty-Hurlburt Memorial	Journalism majors, AZ schools only, 2 writing published articles, essay, www.azpw.org/scholarship	\$1000	April 9
Adair/ACE+	African-American males, ACE+ student, Maricopa community colleges only, essay,	\$1500 x 2 yrs	April 10
Louis Stokes Health Scholars	Health majors, 2/4 yr school, GPA 3.0, essay, www.cbcfinc.org	Up to \$8000	April 14
Sallie Mae American Dream	African American, GPA 2.5, apply: www.thesalliemaefund.org	\$500 - \$5000	April 15
Patient Advocate Foundation	Survivor or current cancer patient, essay, provide medical proof, www.patientadvocate.org	12 - \$3000	April 15

National Council of La Raza/ Best Buy	Hispanic, leadership, school & community activities, essay, www.lideres.nclr.org	1 - \$15,000, 1 - \$5000, 2 - \$2500	April 15
Teri & Art Iwasaki	Japanese, descendent of US/Japanese Vet, 2/4 yr college, www.jalivinglegacy.org	\$2000	April 15
American Legion Legacy	Child of active duty military parent killed on duty, school & community activities, SAT/ACT scores, essay www.legion.org	Amounts vary	April 15
Life Care Center of North Glendale	100 hrs of community service in their center, 55 th & TBird, contact: 602-588-1027	2 - \$500	April 15
AZ State Cowbelles	From cattle industry family, online application: www.arizonacowbelles.org	\$750	April 15
Society of American Military Engineers	US citizen, AZ schools only, engineering majors, school & community activities, GPA 3.0, essay	1 - \$5000 + 1 - \$3000 + 2 - \$1500	April 15

9 Beans & A Burrito	ASU or 2 yr school, GPA 3.5, school & community activities, essay, www.9beans.org	2 - \$1000	April 16
AAA "Si Se Puede!"	Hispanic, US citizen, 2/4 yr AZ school, GPA 3.0, clean driving record, application online: www.AAAaz.com/scholarships	5 - \$1000	April 16
Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute	Hispanic, leadership in community activities, www.chci.org	\$1000 - 2500	April 16
Student-View Scholarship	15-20 min. survey about local colleges, www.student-view.com	\$4000, 2 - \$1000, 8- \$500	April 22
Indian Health Service	Document American Indian heritage, health related majors, apply online: www.scholarship.ihs.gov	Full tuition x 4 yrs	April 28
Congressional Black Caucus Spouses Performing Arts	Performing arts majors, GPA 2.5, leadership, community activities, www.cbcfinc.org/cbcf-scholarships	Amounts vary	April 29

AZ Community Foundation Helen Simpson for Refugees	I-94 holder, 4 yr university only, GPA 3.0, www.azfoundation.org	4 - \$6000	April 29
Silver Threads	Any Maricopa community college only, financial need, essay	\$500	April 29
AZ Private School Association	Student must attend AZ vocational school, see your counselor	\$1000	April 30
HENAAC Scholars	Hispanic, engineering, math, applied science, computer science majors, www.greatmindsinstem.org	\$500 - \$5000	April 30
Castrol - Eric Medlen Outperformers	Auto related majors, essay, www.castrol.org	\$10,000, \$5000, \$2500	April 30
AZ Community Foundation Lee Family	Chinese, ASU only, elementary education majors, GPA 3.0, essay, application online: www.students.asu.edu	\$4000	April 30

Sunkist/AW Bodine	From CA/AZ agriculture home, school & community activities, SAT/ACT scores, essay, www.sunkist.com	\$2000 x 4 yrs	April 30
Marine Corp League-White Tanks	2/4/vocational school, relative of Marine who lost his/her life on duty or current Marine, GPA 2.5, essay	\$500	April 30
ASU Sigma Phi Epsilon Balanced Man	ASU only, male, , GPA 2.5, essay, www.students.asu.edu	\$500	May 1
Dream Scholarship Fund	Student who does not qualify for in-state tuition, 2/4 yr school, GPA 2.0	Amounts vary	May 1
Thank You USA	2/4 yr college/vocational school, military dependent, GPA 2.5, school & community activities, www.thanksusa.org	500 - \$3000	May 15
National Black Police Association	2/4 college, school & community activities, application: www.blackpolice.org	5 - \$500	May 15

Central AZ Tall Society	Male 6'2"/female 5'10", school & community activities, essay application: www.tallphoenix.org	\$1000 & \$250	May 19
Center for Student Opportunity	NAU only, 1 st generation college student, school & community activities, www.csopportunity.org	\$2000 x 4yrs	May 27
Catherine Lamphier AZ Lupus Foundation	Student/family member with lupus, 2/4/vocation Az school, GPA 3.0, essay, school & community activities, www.lupusarizona.org	\$1000	May 30
Will to Win	Student must have asthma, GPA 3.5, awards in performing arts, visual arts, community service, athletics, & science, form online: www.willtowinscholarship.com	10 - \$5000	May 31
Tostitos Latino	Hispanic, leadership, school & community service, GPA 3.0, essay, www.cesarchavezfoundation.org	Amounts vary	May 31

Sphinx Educational Fund	US citizen, GPA 3.0, essay, www.sphinxeducationalfund.org	Amounts vary	May 31
Joe Francis Haircare	Cosmetology majors, personal essay, can use at Cutting Edge, form: www.joefrancis.com	20 of various amounts	June 1
Automotive Hall of Fame	Auto related careers, 19 different scholarships, essay, GPA 3.0 www.automotivehalloffame.org	Amounts vary	June 1
National Sculpture Society Emerging Artists	Have sculpture pieces in figurative or representational style, submit 8 - 10 works on CD, www.nationalsculpture.org	\$2000	June 1
ASU Disability Resources	ASU only, registered with disability office, GPA 3.0, essay, www.asu.edu/studentaffairs/ed	\$200 - \$1250 x 5 yrs.	June 12
Duck Tape Stuck at the Prom	After March 5 couple must create prom formal wear using Duck Tape, submit pictures, apply online: www.duckbrand.com	\$5000, \$3000, \$1200 7 - \$500 + money for your high school	June 13

American Indian College Fund	American Indian, 32 tribal colleges, links to other offers, application: www.collegefund.org	Amounts vary	June 30
Hopi Tribe Grants & Scholarships	Hopi, must have filed FAFSA, list of various offers, GPA 2.5, www.aasfaa.org	Up to \$3000	July 1
ASU National Pan-Hellenic Council Book Award	African-American, ASU only, GPA 2.5, school & community activities, essay	\$500 x 2	July 1
Western Union Family	2 family members going to college at the same time, at least 1 born out of US, community service as a family, www.foundation.westernunion.com	\$1000 - \$5000	July 15
Freedom Alliance	Military dependent of disabled or deceased military parent, school & community activities, essay, www.freedomalliance.org	Amounts vary	June 30
AriZoni Theatre Awards of Excellence	Theatre major, 2/4 yr. school, local theatre company experience, essay, www.arizoniawards.com	\$1000 x 2	August 15

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<u>Contest</u>	<u>Criteria</u>	<u>Value</u>	Deadline
Joe Foss Institute	800 - 1200 words on patriotic topic, form online: www.joefoss.com	4 -\$5000 + \$500 for your school	Ongoing 4 times a year
Arizona Dream Builder/ Martin Luther King	School & community leadership, GPA 2.5, essay, application: www.azdreambuilder.org	\$1000 x 4 yrs + trips to Washington, D.C. and Atlanta	September 24
VA Mortgage Military Education Essay Contest	Military dependents write on given topic, on their Facebook page	10 - \$1000	October 1
VFW Voice of Democracy	Audio essay, patriotic topic, www.vfw.org	Amounts vary to \$30,000 national	November 1
Freedom for Individual Rights in Education	Essay or video on religious freedom in educational settings, www.firstfreedom.org	\$2500 - essay, \$2500 - video	November 14

Ayn Rand's <u>Atlas Shrugged</u> essay &/or video contest	Read <u>Atlas Shrugged</u> , 1000-2000 words on book, or 3 minute video, application: www.aynrandnovels.com www.atlsshrudded.com/contest	\$50 - \$10,000	December 8
U of A Bilingual Corrido	Write a Mexican Folk Ballad, lyrics only, www.poetrycenter.arizona.edu	\$300, \$200, \$100	December 9
Daughters of the American Revolution	Write on provided topic within a 2 hour period	\$250 savings bond - AZ winner \$500 - \$3000 national + trip	December 13
William B. Ruggles- Right to Work	Journalism major, write on right to work, form: www.nilrr.org	\$2000	October 1 - December 31
Applegate/Jackson/Parks Future Teacher	Read & write on unionism in education, 1000 words, form: www.nilrr.org	\$1000	October 1 - December 31
L. Ron Hubbard's "Illustrators of Future" "Writers of the Future"	3 black & white illustrations on science fiction, fantasy, horror with fantasy element, form: www.writersofthefuture.com	\$500 - \$5000	October 1, January 1, April 1, July 1

Mensa Education	550 words on career goals, www.mensafoundation.org/scholarships	Amounts vary	December 31
George/Stella Knight, Sons of Amer. Revolution	Write 800 words about event/person associated with Amer. Revolution, application: www.sar.org/youth/knight	\$2000 + trip \$1000 \$500	December 31
1 st Credit Union Imagine the possibilities	Credit union member, AZ 2/4yr college/university/vocational school, GPA 2.5, essay	6 - \$500	December 31
School Band & Orchestra Magazine scholarship	Band/orchestra members write on music theme, www.sbomagazine.com	10 - \$1000	September 1 - December 31
Backflow Prevention Manufacturers Assoc.	3-5 pgs. on a given topic, www.abpa.org	\$1000	January 1
Alliance for Young Artists & Writers	Art work or essay on a given topic, www.artsandwriting.org	6 - \$1000	January 7
John F. Kennedy "Profiles in Courage" essay contest	Up to 1000 words, write on public official acting with courage, form: www.jfkcontest.org	5 - \$500, \$1000, \$10,000 + trip to JFK Library	January 7

Polly Rosenbaum Writing Contest	11-12gr, school must submit 500 word essay, topic online in October: www.azedfoundation.org	\$10-\$40 gift certificate to Capital Museum Store + attend AZ day at state capital	January 8
West Point Bridge Design Contest (team project)	Build a truss bridge using downloaded software, www.bridgecontest.usma.edu	Each member earns: \$5000 - \$15,000	January 12
Create-A-Greeting Card	Design an original card, www.gallerycollection.com/greetingcardscontests	\$10,000 + \$1000 for you school	January 14
American Legion National High School Oratorical Contest	Taped speech on assigned topic, contact: American Legion, Dept of AZ, 4701 N. 19 th Ave, Phx, AZ 85015, details: www.legion.org	\$18,000, 16,000, \$14,000, \$1500	January 15
The Christophers' Poster	Theme: "One Person Can Make a Difference", original artwork, www.christophers.org	\$1000, \$500, \$250, + 5 - \$100	January 15

George Washington Crossing Foundation	Write 300 words on history topic, must plan on government career, www.gwcf.org	\$500 - \$5000 + trip to PA for award ceremony	January 15
<u>Oh, the Places You'll Go!</u>	1 page essay on connections to Dr. Seuss's book. Mail-in only. Application online: www.ohtheplaces.org	\$10,000	January 15
C-Span Student Cam Video Contest	Make a 5-8 minute video on given topic	\$50,000 in various categories	January 20
Grand Canyon St Games Essay Contest	Write on a given topic, www.gscg.org	Medals to top 3 winners + 9 scholarships to AZ Christian University	January 23
DuPont Challenge Science	700 - 1000 words, write on scientific or technological development, event, theory that interests you, form: www.thechallenge.dupont.com	\$50, \$500, \$750, \$1500	January 31
National Peace Essay Contest	1500 words on a given topic, application: www.usip.org	Amounts vary	February 1

John Stacey Art/ Cowboy Museum	Submit disc of best work in painting, drawing or other medium, www.nationalcowboymuseum.org	Amounts vary	February 1
Toshiba/NSTA Explora Vision Awards	2-4 person team, create graphics web page to illustrate ideas for future, www.exploravision.com	\$5000 - \$10,000	February 2
Valley Metro "Design A Bus Wrap"	Design a wrap with a slogan for local bus line, www.valleymetro.org	\$500 + wrap on a bus for a year, \$250, \$100	February 11
AFA Teens for Alzheimer's Awareness	US citizen/permanent resident, 4 yr college only, 1200-1500 word essay on family impact of Alzheimer's , www.afateens.org	\$5000, \$500, \$250	February 15
Anne Frank "Teens make a difference"	Jewish, community service, apply online: www.jewishphoenix.org	\$613	February 24
Girls Going Places.com	12-18 yrs old, 250 word personal essay, 750 word essay from adult in girl's business accomplishments	15 - \$1000 - \$10,00	September 1 - February 28

EF Global Citizen Award	Write on community activities as a global citizen, form: www.eftours.com/globalcitizen	20 - \$1000 + all expense paid foreign trip	February 28
Barbara Wiedner & Dorothy Vandercook1	Interest in peace & justice with community service to match, essay, www.peacescholarships.org	1 - \$500 4 - \$250	March 1
Echoes & Reflections	Writing on the Holocaust, www.echoesandreflections.org	Amounts vary	March 10
Ayn Rand's <u>Anthem</u>	Read Anthem, write on book, www.aynrand.org/contests	\$30 - \$2000	March 20
Southwest Assoc. for Education in Biomedical Research Essay	Write on how research benefited someone you know, form: www.swaebr.org	Paid summer internship in research lab	March 25
ASU Melnick Scholars	ASU only, 1200 word essay on public policy issues, also accepts videos, blogs, websites www.morrisoninstitute.asu.edu	\$1500, \$1000 paid to expenses at ASU	May 6
Zaki Gordon Institute Film Competition	Competition for promising filmmakers at Yavapai College, www.zgi.yc.edu	Amounts vary	April 1

American Fire Sprinkler	Read online essay, take online quiz, accepting 1000 entries only, www.afsascholarship.org	10 - \$2000	April 5
Signet Classic Essay Contest	Read Jane Austin's <u>Emma</u> , write essay about book	5 \$1000 + award for school library	April 13
Civil Service Employees Youth Safety Program	Dependent of public employee, GPA 3.0, essay on ways to reduce teenage accident rate	1 - 10 \$500 - \$1500	April 13
National Financial Literacy Challenge	Govt teachers register class for 35 questions for online test on finances, www.challenge.treas.gov	Top scorers \$2500 + \$1000 for school + Washington, DC trip	March - April
VSA Arts Playwright Discovery Call for Scripts	Write 1 act play on theme of disability, www.vsarts.org	\$2000 + trip to Washington DC	April 15
American Foreign Service National H.S. Essay Contest	750 -1000 words on a foreign service topic, form: www.afsa.org/essaycontest	\$2500 + \$500 to your school +trip to Washington	April 15

National Council of La Raza/ Best Buy	Hispanic, leadership, school & community activities, essay, www.lideres.nclr.org	1 - \$15,000, 1 - \$5000, 2 - \$2500	April 15
Life Lessons Essay or Video Contests	Student must have suffered loss of parent, www.lifehappens.org	5 - \$5,000, 4 - \$2500 videos= 2 - \$5000	March 15 - April 15
Negative Population Growth	US college/university, 500-700 words on population growth & illegal immigration, www.npg.org	1 st - \$2000, 2 nd - \$1000, 3 rd - \$500	April 22
Ayn Rand's <u>Fountainhead</u>	Read <u>Fountainhead</u> , write on book, www.anyrand.org/contests	250 - \$50 - \$10,000	April 26
Free Poetry Contest	Submit poetry daily, monthly, or yearly may use school assignments, must be 18 yrs old, www.libraryofpoetry.com	\$500 - savings bond	April 30
"We remember" The Holocaust Remembrance Project	1200 words, research & write on Holocaust, form: www.holocaust.hklaw.com	10 - trip to Washington, DC + \$1000-\$5000, 10- \$500, 10- \$250	April 30

Letters About Literature	Write to the author of a book that has inspired you, www.lettersaboutliterature.org	\$50 - \$500 Target gift cards	May 5
Ayn Rand's <u>We the Living</u>	Read <u>We the Living</u> , 700 - 1500 words on book, application: www.aynrand.org	\$3000, 5 - \$1000, 5 - \$33, 25 - \$50, 75 - \$25	May 5
American Spirit Publishing Portrait of America	Take photos or artwork that shows your view of what is America, www.bestkeptsecretsforwinning.com	\$500	June 1
Arthur Ashe Essay & Art Contest	Must be in Nat. Junior Tennis League program, write 300 words or drawing on how you exemplify Arthur Ashe's ideals, www.usta.com/njtl	10 boys & 10 girls - New York City trip to attend Arthur Ashe Kid's Day	June 1
Big Sun Athletic Organization	Student athlete, essay on assigned topic, www.bigsunathletics.com	\$500	June 24

2011 Video Challenge	Video on "Stop Bullying-Personal Terrorism" www.clipsbyu.com	\$2000 5 - runner-up prizes	June 30
Maricopa Area Labor Foundation	1000 words on "How organized labor affects bargaining rights" form: www.azalcio.org	\$2000 \$1000 2 - \$500	July 8