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John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest	9th – 12th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The contest is open to United States high school students in grades nine through twelve attending public, private, parochial, or home schools Essays can be no more than 1,000 words. Citations and bibliography are not included in the word count. Essays must be the original work of the student. John F. Kennedy, Robert F. Kennedy, and Edward M. Kennedy are not eligible subjects for essays. Essays must describe how an elected official demonstrated political courage by addressing an issue at the local, state, or national level. 	\$500 - \$5000	For more information and to submit essay, visit website: http://www.jfklibrary.org/Education/Profile-in-Courage-Essay-Contest.aspx	1/6/2016
C-Span Student Cam	6 th -12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students in grades 6-12 are asked to create a short (5-7 minute) video documentary on a topic related to the 2016 competition theme 2016 Theme: "ROAD TO THE WHITE HOUSE" What's the issue YOU most want candidates to discuss during the 2016 presidential campaign? Students may compete individually, or in teams of either 2 or 3 members. All documentaries must contain supporting C-SPAN footage that relates to the chosen topic. Documentaries must be between 5-7 minutes. *End credits, if applicable, may run longer than the allotted 7 minute time frame. Entries must contain either end credits or a works cited list. <p>C-SPAN's philosophy is to show varying sides of each issue. Winning StudentCam documentaries will also show a variety of points of view related to the chosen topic.</p>	\$250 - \$5000	For more information, visit: www.studentcam.org	1/20/2016

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DuPont Challenge Science Essay Contest	6 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Write an original 700-1000 word essay that addresses a topic that falls under one of the four categories of Challenges Must be enrolled in grades 6-12 Must be enrolled in a private or public school in the United States or Canada 	Up to \$5,000	For more info visit: http://thechallenge.dupont.com/essay/rules/	1/31/2016
“I Have A Dream Scholarship”	9 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be legal residents of the fifty (50) United States or the District of Columbia Be currently enrolled (or enroll no later than the fall of 2022) in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education Submit an online short written response (250 words or less) for the question: “We want to know...what do you dream about? Whether it’s some bizarre dream you had last week, or your hopes for the future, share your dreams with us for a chance to win \$1,500 for college.” 	\$1500	Apply online at: https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/i-have-a-dream-scholarship	1/31/2016
The Princeton Prize in Race Relations	9 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to students in grades 9-12 who are doing outstanding work in their schools or communities to advance the cause of race relations. 	\$1,000	Website: http://www.princeton.edu/pprize/ Completed applications must be mailed to: The Princeton Prize in Race Relations Alumni Association of Princeton University P. O. Box 291 Princeton, New Jersey 08542-0291 or e-mailed to PPrize@princeton.edu	1/31/2016
EngineerGirl – Survival Design Challenge	3 rd – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to all students grade 3-12 (boys and girls) Essay contest Visit website for details: http://www.engineergirl.org/Contest.aspx 	\$100-\$500	Entries must be submitted through the submission form on the EngineerGirl! website and must include all required information.	2/1/2016
Toshiba/NSTA ExploraVision Awards	K – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to students in grades K-12 Must be a citizen of the U.S. Must be enrolled in a private or public elementary or secondary school in the United States 	Up to \$10,000 savings bond	For more info visit: http://www.exploravision.org/	2/1/2016
Lockheed Martin-NMA Leadership Speech Contest	9 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local High School Student at Chapter Level 4 Levels of Competition up to \$4000 in Cash Prize Speech length minimum of 4 minutes and 	1st - \$200, 2nd - \$100, 3rd - \$50	Student Submission, Consent and Acknowledgement of Risk Forms should be completed and returned to NMA Headquarters Prior to contest. LMLA 565 5300 Alliance Gateway Frwy, Ste. 500	2/5/2016

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		maximum of 6 minutes with a 10 second grace period. Any more or less and there will be a 2 point penalty. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Speech Theme is “Leadership” • NO audio/visual aids permitted • Notes are allowed, but speech may not be read verbatim. 		Fort Worth, TX 76177 For questions contact Mrs. Jennifer Jamison, Contest Director at 817-583-3889	
Davidson Fellows	K – 12th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be 18 or younger • Must be a citizen of the U.S. • Must be enrolled in a private or public elementary or secondary school in the United States • The Davidson Institute is looking for students whose projects are at, or close to college graduate level with a depth of knowledge in their particular level of study. This award is geared toward gifted and talented students. 	Up to \$50,000	For more info visit: http://www.davidsongifted.org/fellows/ Or Email: DavidsonFellows@DavidsonGifted.org	2/10/2016
Create-a-Greeting-Card Contest	14 yrs or older	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Age 14 or older • Enrolled in High School, College, University or Homeschool • Submit original (16”x23”) photo, artwork or computer graphic for the front of a greeting card • 1 entry per person 	\$10,000	To apply visit: http://www.gallerycollection.com/greeting-cards-scholarship.htm	2/25/2016
International Eco-Hero Award	2nd – 11th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be between the ages of 8 and 16 on January 31, 2015 • The project must be action based and self initiated, not assigned by a teacher or other adult • The project is close to completion or was completed in the last year 	Up to \$500	Visit: http://clientsv1.charityadvantageservers.com/client/ActionForNature/award_guidelines.aspx for more info. Applicants may also email awards@actionformature.org .	2/28/2016
“Sweet and Simple” Scholarship	13 yrs or older	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be legal residents of the fifty (50) United States or the District of Columbia • Be currently enrolled (or enroll no later than the fall of 2021) in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education • Submit an online short written response (250 words or less) for the question: “Not every gift has to be expensive or 	\$1500	Apply online at: https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/sweet-and-simple-scholarship	2/28/2016

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		extravagant. In fact, sometimes it's the sweet and simple things that make a real difference in our lives. Think back and tell us about something you received as a gift and why it meant so much to you."			
Optimist International Essay Contest	9 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contestant must enter through a local Optimist Club or an at-large contest if a local Club is not available. Contestant must compose an original essay with limited guidance from others. Webster's dictionary defines an essay as an analytic or interpretative literary composition. Works of fiction or poetry will not be accepted. Optimist International will have the right to edit, publish or otherwise duplicate any essay entered into the contest without payment to the author. Essay must be at least 700 words and no more than 800 words. Topic "How Dreams Lead to Success". Typewritten and double-spaced. 	Club Level – Medallion; District Level – plaque and \$2500.00 college scholarship	For more information: http://www.optimist.org For more information: Rodney Patterson P O Box 100312 Fort Worth, TX 76185 817-732-8200 rodneypatterson@yahoo.com	Early February
Barbara Jordan Historical Essay Competition New!	9 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Essay – 1500 to 2500 words Topic: African Americans in Texas: Past and Present 	1st - \$2,500 2nd - \$1,500 3rd - \$1,000	http://www.uiltexas.org/academics/essay-contests For questions, contact: Lisa Atkins, Program Coordinator University Interscholastic League Phone (512) 471-5883 • Fax (512) 232-7311 latkins@uiltexas.org	3/11/2016
Latino History Essay Competition New!	9 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Essay – 1500 to 2500 words Topic: "Historical and cultural legacies of Latinos in Texas history" 	1st - \$2,500 2nd - \$1,500 3rd - \$1,000	http://www.uiltexas.org/academics/essay-contests For questions, contact: Lisa Atkins, Program Coordinator University Interscholastic League Phone (512) 471-5883 • Fax (512) 232-7311 latkins@uiltexas.org	3/11/2016

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Zonta Young Women in Public Affairs Award New!	10 th – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Women of any nationality who are students of age 16-19, living or studying in a Zonta district/region at the time of application and demonstrate evidence of the following are eligible to apply: Active commitment to volunteerism Experience in local or student government Volunteer leadership achievements Knowledge of Zonta International and its programs Advocating in Zonta International's mission of advancing the status of women worldwide 	\$1000 - \$4000	http://www.zontafw.org Please send completed applications to: Zonta Club of Fort Worth c/o Scholarship Committee PO Box 126344 Fort Worth, TX 76126 email: zontafortworth@gmail.com	3/13/2016
Odenza Marketing Group Scholarship New!		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Submit answers to the essay questions, which can be found on the application page Have at least one full year of post-secondary studies remaining at the time of the award. (Current High School Students are also eligible.) Have a GPA of 2.5 or greater. Be a citizen of the United States or Canada 	\$1500	Read more about Eligibility: Odenza Marketing Group Scholarship by www.odenzascholarships.com	3/30/2016
"Superpower Scholarship" New!		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be legal residents of the fifty (50) United States or the District of Columbia Be currently enrolled (or enroll no later than the fall of 2020) in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education Submit an online short written response (250 words or less) for the question: "Which superhero or villain would you want to change places with for a day and why?" 	\$2500	Apply online: https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/superpower-scholarship	3/31/2016
American Harlequin Corporation Dance Scholarship	K – 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For students who wish to pursue a career in performing arts This is a random drawing, but to qualify you must have the application completed by a dance instructor 	\$250	Visit website for an application: http://www.theworlddances.com/contest American Harlequin "Dance Scholarship Program"	Monthly

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				1531 Glen Avenue Moorestown, NJ 08057 800.642.6440 E-mail: dance@harlequinfloors.com	
Animal Rescue TV Art Contest – “Animal Rescue”	Ages 16 and under	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We're asking our young "Animal Rescue" fans (age 16 and under) to send us drawings of their favorite animals. Every month we will select one drawing to post on our website. 	Prize Package	http://www.animalrescuetv.com/kids-art.shtml Submit entries to: Telco Productions, Inc. 2730 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 200 Santa Monica, CA 90403	Monthly
Animal Rescue TV Short Essay Contest – “Why I love my Pet”	Ages 16 and under	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Here is your chance to let everyone know how much your pet means to you. Tell us (in 100 words or less) why you love your pet. Selected essays will be posted on our website and each month one lucky winner will receive an "Animal Rescue" prize package. Every month we will select one drawing to post on our website. 	Prize Package	http://www.animalrescuetv.com/Why-I-LoveMy-Pet.shtml Submit entries to: Telco Productions, Inc. 2730 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 200 Santa Monica, CA 90403 E-mail Entries to: mail@animalrescuetv.com Please put "Why I Love My Pet" in the subject line Please include your name, t-shirt size, full mailing address, and e-mail.*	Monthly
Chegg \$1,000 Monthly Scholarship New!	9th – 12th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to all U.S. high school students Must respond in 600 characters or less to question posted on chegg.com for the month A new question is posted each month, responses are due by the 1st of each month. 	\$1000	To apply visit: http://www.chegg.com/	Monthly
Tee Juice Contest	Ages 13 and over	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The TeeJuice.com contest is open and available to individuals who upload pictures and photos online of artwork that has used Tee Juice markers. The contest is open to legal residents of the United States, its territories, and Canada. The contest is open to all ages. Entry and posting for children aged 13 - 	Art Supplies valued at \$100	http://teejuice.com/rules.php Uploading: To enter the TeeJuice.com contests, users must upload images of their artwork using the upload form on www.TeeJuice.com	Monthly

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		18 must be managed by the child's parents or legal guardians.			
Zombie Apocalypse Scholarship	8th 13yrs or Older	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Imagine that your high school/college has been overrun with Zombies. Your math professor, the cafeteria ladies and even your best friend have all joined the walking dead. Use your brain to flesh out a plan to avoid the Zombies, including where you would hide and the top 5 things you would bring with you to stay alive. Your written response must be written in English, with correct spelling and grammar, and it must not exceed two-hundred fifty (250) words. Must be a legal US Citizen Must be 13 years old or older Currently enrolled or enroll no later than Fall 2021 in a post-secondary institution 	\$2000	Apply online: http://www.scholarshipexperts.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/zombie-apocalypse-scholarship	Monthly
The DO Something Awards	Under 25 yrs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be 25 years or younger Must be a citizen of the U.S. or Canada No essay required, must enter a campaign at www.dosomething.org 	Up to \$100,000	Visit www.dosomething.org for more info.	Rolling basis

Internet Scholarship search resources:

Websites for general information

College For Texans
College Board
Embark
College is Possible
Texas Mentor

www.collegefortexans.com
www.collegeboard.com
www.embark.com
www.collegeispossible.org
www.texasmentor.org

Databases:

College Net

www.collegenet.com

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Fastweb	www.fastweb.com
Free Scholarship Search	www.freschinfo.com
USA Funds	www.usafunds.org
Wired Scholar	www.wiredscholar.com
Scholarship Search	www.college-scholarships.com
Free College Scholarships and Financial Aid Information	www.scholarships.com
Scholarship Websites:	
Accounting Scholarship	www.aicpa.org
Ambassadorial	www.rotary.org
American Geological Institute	
Geoscience Scholarship	www.agiweb.org
American Institute of Architects	www.archfoundation.org
American Psychological Association	www.apa.org
American Society for Microbiology	www.asm.org
Americorps	www.cns.gov
Association Graduate Funding	www.asanet.org
Brand Essay Competition	www.instituteforbrandleadership.org
College Fund	www.uncf.org
Discover Card Tribute Award	www.aasa.org
Elks National Foundation	www.elks.org/enf/scholars/ourscholarships.cfm
Federal Scholarship & Aid Gateway	www.fedmoney.org
FinAid	www.finaid.org
Gateway to 10 Free Scholarships	www.college-scholarships.com
Gateways to US Government Grants	www.students.gov
Holocaust Remembrance	www.holocaust.hklaw.com
Imagine	www.imagine-america.org
International Students Scholarships and Aid Help	www.iefaf.org
International Students	www.internationalstudents.com
Lucent Technology	www.lucent.com
NACME Scholarship Program	www.nacme.org
National Alliance for Excellence	www.excellence.org
Presidential Freedom	www.nationalservice.org
Rhodes Scholarships at Oxford	www.rhodesscholar.org
Ronald McDonald House Charities	www.rmhc.com
Sallie Mae's Free Online	www.salliemae.com

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Scholarships for Study in Paralegal Studies	www.paralegals.org
Siemens Westinghouse Competition	www.siemens-foundation.org
Student Inventors	www.invent.org
Target Scholarship	http://target.com/target_group/community_giving/scholarships.jhtml
The Harry S. Truman Scholarship	www.truman.org
Tylenol Scholarships	www.scholarship.tylenol.com
United States Institute of Peace	www.usip.org
William Randolph Hearst Endowed	www.apsanet.org

Scholarships for women:

AAUW	www.aauw.org
Zonta International	www.zonta.org

Scholarships for minorities:

Gates Millennium Scholarship	www.gmsp.org
GE and LuLac	www.lulac.org
Hispanic College Fund	www.hispanicfund.org
Hispanic Scholarship Fund	www.hsf.net
Hispanic Scholarship Guide	www.hispanicscholarship.com
Jackie Robinson Foundation	www.jackierobinson.org
Minority Health Program	www.ahcpr.gov
Ron Brown Scholarship	www.ronbrown.org
Thurgood Marshall Scholarship Fund	www.thurgoodmarshallfund.org
United Negro College Fund	www.uncf.org
Center for Student Opportunity	www.csopportunity.org

Scholarship for children of military personnel:

AFCEA International	www.afcea.org/awards/scholarships.htm
Air Force Aid Society	www.afas.org
Army Emergency Relief	www.aerhq.org
Fisherhouse	www.fisherhouse.org
Marine Corps Scholarships	www.marine-scholars.org
Military Page	www.military.com
Navy Marine Corps Relief	www.nmcrs.org
ROTC Scholarship	www.todaysmilitary.com