

Current Scholarships

October 2026

Scholarships available online and from Mrs. Nelson or Mrs. Burch

Local Scholarships:

Due Date	Scholarship & Sponsor	Requirements	Award

Other Scholarship Listing:

Due Date	Scholarship & Sponsor	Requirements	Award
App opens Oct. 1 Initial Apps due Nov. 30 App closes April 15	Idaho LAUNCH Grant Program https://nextsteps.idaho.gov/launch	Idaho LAUNCH is a grant program that provides students a one-time opportunity to have 80% of the tuition and fees at an eligible institution covered, up to a maximum amount of \$8,000. With approximately 75 million dollars available for Idaho LAUNCH funding, it is possible for this program to offer between 9,000 and 10,000 awards per year • Graduate from an Idaho High School or equivalent, starting in Spring 2024 • Be an Idaho resident • Be enrolled in or have applied to an in-demand career program at an eligible Idaho institution • Begin enrollment by Fall Semester after graduation • Complete a Career Pathway Plan • Review the approved list of eligible in-demand careers	80% of tuition and fees up to \$8,000 (receive up to ½ of funds in year 1 (\$4000), unless enrolled in a program that is less than 12 months.
Oct 8	AES Engineers Scholarship https://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.php	Purpose of Scholarships AES Engineering is pleased to be able to continue offering scholarships to motivated students to help in the furthering of their education. Scholarship Criteria Our belief is that achieving a high grade point average should not be the only criteria for determining who deserves to be helped. For that	\$500

		reason we are offering a scholarship that will be awarded on the basis of character, as determined by an evaluation of the essays that are submitted. Scholarships are intended for our future leaders across a wide spectrum of fields of study. This award is available to high school seniors and all students attending a post secondary educational facility. You are not required to be taking Engineering courses to be eligible.	
Oct 9	U.S. Senate Youth Program https://www.sde.idaho.gov/about-us/departments/content-and-curriculum/social-studies/u-s-senate-youth-program/	Open to students in their junior or senior year currently enrolled in Idaho school and who demonstrate leadership qualities and are actively involved in their school community.	\$10,000
Oct. 15	NSCA Foundation Scholarships Multiple scholarships available https://www.nasca.com/about-us/nsca-foundation/scholarships/	Intended for high school seniors who will be pursuing careers in strength and conditioning.	Varies
Oct. 22	Pirates Pitch Competition https://www.shu.edu/undergraduate-admissions/pirates-pitch-competition.html	Current high school sophomores, juniors, and seniors with a 3.0 GPA or higher.	Varies
Oct 30	National Space Club and Foundation Keynote Scholar https://www.spaceclub.org/scholarship/	Conditions of Eligibility - The applicant must be a U.S. citizen. - The scholarship is open to seniors in high school through undergraduate students. - The applicant must have the intention of pursuing a career in the STEM fields and plan to attend an accredited U.S. college or university to follow a course of study to pursue a career in the STEM field, with a preference for those with space related interests. - The scholarship will be awarded in	\$50000

		January and must be applied toward tuition for the following fall academic year at an accredited U.S. college or university. • The applicant must not have previously spoken at the Dr. Robert H. Goddard Memorial Dinner. • Unofficial transcript of high school and/or college record • At least two letters of recommendation from faculty members or professionals in science-related fields are required. Applications that do not include both letters by the application deadline will be considered incomplete and will not be eligible for review. • Statement of Intent: A brief statement of 150 words or less on your study/career plans with an emphasis on STEM. • Video audition - Following successfully submitting an application, applicants must upload a video on the topic <i>“What role will you and your generation play in humanity’s future in space?”</i> The video should be a minimum of 2 minutes and a maximum of 3 minutes in length. This is a very strict requirement. Videos under 2 minutes and over 3 minutes will be automatically removed and therefore, the recipient disqualified. The video should feature the applicant speaking directly to the camera. Formatting requirements are MPEG-4 with H.264 & AAC (the standards used for YouTube and iTunes).	
Oct 31	MikeRowe Work Ethic Scholarship https://mikeroweworks.org/scholarship/	Because no one else is focusing on it. The Work Ethic Scholarship Program was created to help close the skills gap by supporting men and women who want to learn a trade, show up early, stay late, and take pride in doing a job well done. If you’re pursuing training in the skilled trades—welding, plumbing, electrical, HVAC, construction, or dozens of other in-demand careers—we want to help you get the training you need without taking on a mountain of debt. Eligibility: • U.S. Citizen • High school graduate or senior • Enroll or plan to enroll in an approved	Varies

		program, two years or less, at an accredited school • Sign the S.W.E.A.T. Pledge • Provide an official tuition bill or cost statement from your school	
Sept 23 App Opens Dec 4 App closes	Idaho FFA Foundation Scholarship Program App. Opens https://www.growidahoffa.org/scholarships/	Various scholarships and requirements are available, please check out the website for each specific scholarship.	Varies
Opens Nov. 1 Due Jan. 15	National FFA Scholarship https://www.ffa.org/participate/grants-and-scholarships/scholarships/	• Whether you are pursuing a trade school, vocational certificate or a two-year or four-year degree, don't miss your chance to apply for a National FFA Scholarship to help with your next steps in education. If you are a senior FFA member in high school or FFA Alumni in college, just one application is required for multiple scholarship opportunities totaling nearly \$2.5 million.	
Opens in October Due Feb. 27	Idaho Association of Counties Scholarship https://idcounties.org/about-iac/scholarship/?authuser=0	• Children of county employees working 20 hours or more per week and the children and grandchildren of county elected officials. • Must attend a college, university, or vocational/technical school full time	

State & Local Scholarship Ideas (the red title is a hyperlink to the website and more information):

- [Next Steps Idaho Scholarship Listing](#)
- [Scholarship Idaho](#) (Idaho State Board of Education) - Includes Idaho Opportunity Scholarship, Governor's Cup, Postsecondary Credit, and Armed Forces/Public Safety Officer Dependent Scholarships. Funds public or private Idaho schools.
- [Palouse Pathways](#)
- [Idaho LAUNCH Program](#)
- [Idaho Community Foundation Scholarships](#) - Select North Idaho and Statewide geographic lists.
- [Innovia Foundation](#) - Formerly the Inland Northwest Community Foundation.
- [Education Information Center](#) - Pacific Northwest Scholarships are listed.
- [Idaho Career & Technical Education Scholarships](#)

- [Horatio Alger Association](#) State & National scholarships are for juniors. CTE is for high school grads and Targeted is for seniors. Need-based.
- [Idaho Association of Counties Scholarship](#) - for children of current county employees
- [Idaho FFA Foundation Scholarships](#)
- [Idaho School Board Association Trust Program](#)
- [National FFA Scholarship](#)
- Your local credit union or bank
- Your parents' employers
- Service organizations (e.g. [Elks](#))
- Utility companies (e.g. [Avista](#), [Clearwater Power](#))
- Regional hospitals, [Gritman Medical Center.org](#) - view scholarships at this link. Request scholarship applications at 208-883-6231 or foundation@gritman.org.
- [Native American & Minority list by Idaho school](#) (dated, scroll down)
- Latah County Commissioners Office provides up to \$500 tuition aid if attending a community college. This funding is for the additional cost that an out-of-district student would be charged. For example, North Idaho College is in Kootenai County and if you don't live there you are charged more tuition.
- [Idaho Presidential Scholars & CTE \(Career & Technical Education\) and Arts programs.](#)
- [Western Undergraduate Exchange \(WUE\)](#) Scroll to the bottom of this page for more info.
- [Idaho State University minority and diversity scholarship list](#) - not exclusive to Idaho. Very good list.
- [Idaho Education Technology Assistance](#) For high female high school seniors entering into a college STEM program
- University of Idaho scholarships for students with disabilities
 - [Revely Scholarship Program](#)
 - [George T. Warren Scholarship](#)

Other Lists & Ideas (the red title is a hyperlink to the website and more information):

- www.fastweb.com
- www.zinch.com
- www.highfivescholarships.com
- www.studentscholarships.org
- www.scholarshipguidance.com
- <https://globalscholarships.com/>
- [Weird Scholarships Nobody Applies For](#)
- [National Center for Learning Disabilities](#)
- [Scholarships for Eagle Scouts](#)
- [Association of Career & Technical Education \(ACTE\) Scholarship](#)

- [College Board Big Future Scholarships](#)
- [Manufacturing Specific Scholarships](#)
- [Top Nursing Scholarships](#)
- Students who have been accepted to a college or program should also ask about institution-specific scholarships or scholarship portals (e.g. Scholarship Universe).
 - [University of Idaho](#)
 - [Washington State University](#)
 - [Boise State University](#)
 - [Lewis-Clark State College](#)
 - [Idaho State University](#)

Military related (the red title is a hyperlink to the website and more information):

- ROTC (Reserve Officer Training Program) [University of Idaho](#) - Air Force, Army, Navy
- [Post 9/11 GI Bill](#) - The military provides education benefits for service members who have served on active duty for 90 or more days since Sept. 10, 2001. The Post-9/11 GI Bill can pay your full tuition and fees at school, provide you with a monthly housing allowance while you are going to school, and give you up to \$1,000 a year to use for books and supplies (Military.com).

Western Undergraduate Exchange Program (WUE)

- The WUE is a tuition savings program that makes attending out-of-state colleges and universities more affordable for students. Through WUE, you can receive a reduced tuition rate to over 160+ institutions. For more information:
<https://www.wiche.edu/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/WUE-onesheet-2024-Sept.pdf>