

## **COLLEGE APPLICATIONS & SCHOLARSHIPS 2015-2016**

### **Senior Students**

**Please remember that you need to apply for admission and be accepted to the specific University or College to apply for their scholarships!**

**Montana Tech – Deadline for Scholarships January 15<sup>th</sup>, FAFSA March 1<sup>st</sup>**  
[www.mtech.edu](http://www.mtech.edu)

**UM Western – Deadline for Scholarships January 1<sup>st</sup>, FAFSA March 1<sup>st</sup>**  
[www.umwestern.edu](http://www.umwestern.edu)

**University of Montana – Deadline for General Scholarships December 31<sup>st</sup>, FAFSA February 15<sup>th</sup> Deadline for Presidential Scholarship December 4<sup>th</sup>**  
[www.umt.edu](http://www.umt.edu)

**Montana State University – Presidential Scholarship deadline December 4<sup>th</sup>, Premiere Scholarships priority deadline February 1<sup>st</sup>, FAFSA March 1<sup>st</sup>**  
[www.montana.edu](http://www.montana.edu)

**MSU Northern – Deadline for Scholarships February 14<sup>th</sup>, FAFSA July 1<sup>st</sup>**  
[www.msun.edu](http://www.msun.edu)

**Carroll College – Scholarship deadlines vary – check website**  
[www.carroll.edu](http://www.carroll.edu)

**MSU Billings – Scholarship deadlines vary – check website FAFSA March 1<sup>st</sup>**  
[www.msubillings.edu](http://www.msubillings.edu)

**Rocky Mountain College – Scholarship deadlines vary – check website, FAFSA March 1<sup>st</sup>**  
[www.rocky.edu](http://www.rocky.edu)

**Priority Deadlines for each College (Two Year and Four Year) Priority will change at each college**  
[www.montanacolleges.com](http://www.montanacolleges.com)

**College App Week November 2 thru November 6, 2015**  
**Most Montana Colleges will waive the application fee or defer it during this week**

Apply early for your FAFSA Pin

[www.pin.ed.gov](http://www.pin.ed.gov)

We will have a FAFSA Parent information night November 11, 2015 from 6:00-7:30

We will have an actual filling out the FAFSA for Parents & Students on February 3, 2016 from 6:00-8:00

Very Helpful: [www.mus.edu](http://www.mus.edu)

Helpful Websites for Seniors:

[www.college-scholarships.com/schools/montana/](http://www.college-scholarships.com/schools/montana/) This lists and offers contact information for all colleges and universities in Montana

[www.Anycollege.net](http://www.Anycollege.net)

[www.Scholarships.com](http://www.Scholarships.com)

[www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)

[www.cappex.com](http://www.cappex.com)

[www.MeritAid.com](http://www.MeritAid.com)

## AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIPS

### Wendy's High School Heisman

Maintain at least a B grade Point average

Participate in at least one school sponsored sport

Demonstrate active involvement in his or her community

Deadline October 2, 2015

[www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com](http://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com)

### Horatio Alger Scholarship Application

Deadline October 25, 2015

[www.horatioalger.com/scholarships](http://www.horatioalger.com/scholarships)

### Ron Brown Scholar Program

Must be Black/African American

Must excel academically

Must exhibit exceptional leadership potential

**Must participate in community service activities**

**Must demonstrate financial need**

**Deadline November 1, 2015**

[www.ronbrown.org](http://www.ronbrown.org)

### **Coca Cola Scholarship**

**Must have a 3.0 G.P.A.**

**Deadline October 31, 2015**

[www.coca-colascholars.org](http://www.coca-colascholars.org)

### **Montana Jaycee Foundation Scholarship**

**\$1,000 Annual Scholarship**

**Deadline January 9, 2016**

[www.mtjcisenate.org](http://www.mtjcisenate.org)

### **Butte Elks Lodge #240 Scholarships**

**Most Valuable Student Competition**

**There will be 500 four year scholarships awarded**

**Applicants judged on scholarship, leadership and financial need**

**Deadline December 4, 2015**

[www.elks.org/ENF/scholars/mvs.cfm](http://www.elks.org/ENF/scholars/mvs.cfm)

**Legacy Awards Competition**

**250 awards of \$4,000 scholarships**

**You must be a child or grandchild of an Elks Member**

**Deadline January 29, 2016**

[www.elks.org/ENF/scholars/legacy.cfm](http://www.elks.org/ENF/scholars/legacy.cfm)

### **The American Legion Scholarships**

**The American Legion offers a number of scholarships and other resources to assist young people in their pursuit of higher education.**

[www.legion.org](http://www.legion.org)

### **Prudential Spirit of Community Award**

**The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards were created to recognize students who have demonstrated exemplary community service**

**Deadline November 3, 2015**

<http://spirit.prudential.com>

[www.nassp.org/spirit](http://www.nassp.org/spirit)

### **Community Service Scholarships**

There are many different categories of scholarships available all with varying deadlines. There is something here for everyone.

[www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-type/com](http://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-type/com)

### **College Steps Program**

When you sign up to receive college planning and money management information from Wells Fargo's CollegeSTEPS Program you'll automatically be entered in the sweepstakes for a chance to win \$1000.00

[www.wellsfargo.com/collegesteps](http://www.wellsfargo.com/collegesteps)

### **A Nurse I Am**

Must be pursuing a Nursing Degree

Must submit a completed application and a 750 word essay based on the film "A Nurse I Am"

Deadline March 2016

[www.anurseiam.com](http://www.anurseiam.com)

### **A & F Business Consultants**

Award Value: \$1,000

To apply you need to write an essay between 500 and 1000 words on the topic: Describe your educational career and life goals. Explain your plan for achieving these goals. Include your degree/major, why you selected it, and how this degree/major will help you achieve your goals.

[www.abbottandfenner.com](http://www.abbottandfenner.com)

### **American Fire Sprinkler Scholarship Programs**

There will be ten \$2,000 scholarships awarded

Deadline April 6, 2016

[www.afsascholarship.org](http://www.afsascholarship.org)

### **American Indian Services**

Various scholarships available

[www.americanindianservices.org](http://www.americanindianservices.org)

### **American Indian Tuition Waiver**

Persons of ¼ American Indian Blood may have their tuition waived at any MT College

Based partially on financial need

[www.mus.edu](http://www.mus.edu)

### **Honors Graduation presents the Multi –Media Scholarship**

Five \$1,0000 scholarships

Students submit projects in art, photography , videography, music, & creative writing  
Deadline March 20, 2016

[www.honorsgraduation.com/scholarship](http://www.honorsgraduation.com/scholarship)

### **2016 John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest**

First place wins a \$10,000 scholarship

Second place wins a \$1,000 scholarship

Five finalists receive \$500 each

Students are to write an essay on an act political courage by a U.S. elected official who served during or after 1956.

Deadline January 6, 2016

[www.jfklibrary.org](http://www.jfklibrary.org)

### **2016 Presidential Scholarship Montana State University**

Cumulative G.P.A. of 3.75 and a composite score of 30 on the ACT or 2000 on the SAT

Deadline December 4, 2015

[www.montana.edu/honors](http://www.montana.edu/honors)

### **2016 Premier Scholarship Montana State University**

Based on ACT and SAT Scores

Deadline February 1, 2016

[www.montana.edu/admissions/premierscholarship](http://www.montana.edu/admissions/premierscholarship)

### **GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program**

Numerous recipients of a \$10,000 scholarship renewable for 3 years for a total of \$40,000

Demonstrate at school, at the workplace, and within the community the attributes of leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship

Demonstrate strong academic performance (minimum 3.0 G.P.A.)

Demonstrate financial need

Deadline January 7, 2016

[www.reaganfoundation.org/GE-RFScholarships.aspx](http://www.reaganfoundation.org/GE-RFScholarships.aspx)

### **Intertribal Timber Council Scholarships**

For Native American/Alaskan Natural Resource Students

\$2,000 award for graduating Seniors

Deadline January 11, 2016

Pick up Application in Counselor's Office

### **The Gates Millennium Scholars Program**

Must be African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian American/Pacific Islander or Hispanic American

Have a cumulative G.P.A. of between a 3.3 and 4.0

Have demonstrated leadership abilities through participation in community service, extracurricular or other activities.

Deadline January 13, 2016

[www.gmsp.org](http://www.gmsp.org)

### **Walmart Scholarship**

There are multiple scholarships available

[www.walmartfoundation.org](http://www.walmartfoundation.org)

### **The Hispanic Scholarship Fund**

Designed to assist students of Hispanic heritage

Must have a 3.0 to 4.0 average

Deadline March 30, 2016

<https://hsf.net/en/scholarships/programs/general-college-scholarships>

### **Montana Food Distributors Association Scholarship**

For students who are associated with the food industry through either employment or family relationships within the industry

Award range \$500 - \$5,000

Deadline March 15, 2016

[www.cappex.com/scholarship/listings/montana-food-distributors-association-sch](http://www.cappex.com/scholarship/listings/montana-food-distributors-association-sch)

### **Young Entrepreneur Scholarship**

High School Seniors who operate their own small business

Deadline December 18, 2015

[www.NFIB.com.YEA](http://www.NFIB.com.YEA)

### **The Burger King Scholars Program**

Must have a minimum 2.5 GPA

Must have a job of at least 15 hours per week

Must be involved in community service

Demonstrate Financial Need

Deadline January 10, 2016

[www.scholarshipamerica.org/burgerkingscholars/](http://www.scholarshipamerica.org/burgerkingscholars/)

### **Harrington Family Endowed Scholarship**

Must attend MSU Billings

Plan on being a business major

2.0 cumulative GPA

Preference given to graduates in Silver Bow or McCone Counties

Deadline February 1, 2016

[www.msubillings.edu/scholarships/](http://www.msubillings.edu/scholarships/)

### **Student Assistance Foundation – Money Magic Program**

For students who qualify for free and reduced lunches

Matching grants up to \$1350

Applications are in counselors office or in room 408 The Student Assistance Foundation

### **MS/National Multiple Sclerosis Society**

On-Line Application

Deadline January 15,2016

[www.nationalmssociety.org/scholarship](http://www.nationalmssociety.org/scholarship)

Scholarship website: please check out and apply

[www.bigsunathletics.com/](http://www.bigsunathletics.com/)

### **Davidson Honors College – University of Montana**

#### **Presidential Leadership Scholarship**

Minimum GPA 3.5

Minimum ACT score of 27

Deadline December 4, 2016

<http://dhc.umt.edu/prospectivestudents/admissions.php>

### **University of Great Falls – Full Tuition Scholarships**

Must major in Chemistry, Biology or Math

ACT of 22 or higher

Must have 3 Science Classes in high school

Scholarships are renewable for four years

Deadline February 1, 2016

[www.ugf.edu](http://www.ugf.edu)

### **Youth Volunteer Scholarship**

One \$500.00 award

50 hours of volunteer work over past two years

3.5 GPA

Deadline November 29, 2015

[www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10422/youth\\_volunteer\\_scholarship\\_award\\_scholarship.php](http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10422/youth_volunteer_scholarship_award_scholarship.php)

### **Good360 Sustainability Scholarship**

One \$1000.00 award

Deadline November 30, 2015

[www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/12588/good360\\_sustainability\\_scholarship-scholarship.php](http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/12588/good360_sustainability_scholarship-scholarship.php)

### **Stephen Brady Stop Hunger Scholarships**

20 \$5000.00 Awards

Deadline December 5, 2015

[http://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/8850/stephen brady stop hunger scholarships-scholarship.php](http://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/8850/stephen_brady_stop_hunger_scholarships-scholarship.php)

### **2015 Scholarship Points Award**

Ten \$10,000.00 Awards

Deadline December 8, 2015

[www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10959/2015 scholarship points awards scholarship.php](http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10959/2015_scholarship_points_awards_scholarship.php)

### **Flosum Scholarship**

One \$750.00 Award

3.5 GPA

Deadline December 15, 2015

[www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/11964/flosum scholarship scholarship.php](http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/11964/flosum_scholarship_scholarship.php)

### **Solution Reach Scholarship**

Two \$2000.00 Awards

3.2 GPA

Deadline December 18, 2015

[www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/11179/solution reach scholarship scholarship.php](http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/11179/solution_reach_scholarship_scholarship.php)

### **Cross Lites Scholarship**

Thirty Three \$4000.00 Awards

Must write a reflective essay 400-600 words

Deadline December 31, 2015

[www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/12561/crosslites scholarship scholarship.php](http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/12561/crosslites_scholarship_scholarship.php)

### **10 Words or Less Scholarship**

One \$500.00 Award

Deadline January 29, 2016

[www.studentscholarships.org/easy.php](http://www.studentscholarships.org/easy.php)

### **You Deserve It Scholarship**

One \$1000.00 Award

Deadline February 15, 2016

[www.studentscholarships.org/available.php](http://www.studentscholarships.org/available.php)

### **Montana Food Distributors Association Scholarship**



Associated with food industry either through employment or family relationships within the industry

Deadline March 14, 2016

Applications are in Counselors Office

### **Montana Sheriffs and Peace Officers Scholarship**

Two \$750.00 Awards

Must be seeking a career in local law enforcement

GPA of at least 2.5

Deadline April 15, 2016

Applications are in Counselors Office

### **National Honor Society Scholarship**

Must be a current member of National Honor Society

Deadline February 16, 2016

Application procedures are in Counselor Offices

### **MUS Honor Scholarship**

4 year tuition waiver

May be used at any MUS System campus or Montana Community College

Deadline March 15, 2016

Pick up full requirements and application instructions in Counselors Office

### **Governor's Best & Brightest Merit Scholarship**

\$2,000 per year for up to 4 years

May be used at any MUS System campus, Montana Community College or Tribal Campus

Deadline March 15, 2016

Pick up full requirements and application instructions in Counselors Office

### **Montana's STEM Scholarship**

\$1,000 the first year, \$2,000 the 2<sup>nd</sup> year

May be used at any MUS System campus, Montana Community College or Tribal Campus

Deadline

Pick up full requirements and application instructions in Counselors Office

### **Buick Achievers Scholarship Program**

Must be studying engineering technology or design geared towards the auto industry

50 scholarships up to \$25,000/Year

Deadline February 29, 2016

[www.buickachievers.com](http://www.buickachievers.com)

### **Horatio Alger Montana Scholarship Program**

50 scholarships in the amount of \$7,000

Demonstrate Financial Need

Deadline April 15, 2016

[scholarships@horatioalger.org](mailto:scholarships@horatioalger.org)

### **Montana PTA Scholarships**

Must attend a Montana college with plans to become an educator

\$500 scholarship

Deadline April 1, 2016

[www.montanapta.org](http://www.montanapta.org) Click on scholarship tab

### **Calvin Coolidge Scholars Program**

Full-Ride Scholarship covering tuition, room, board and expenses for four years

Deadline March 18, 2016

[www.coolidgefoundation.org](http://www.coolidgefoundation.org)

### **Mile Hi Lions Scholarship**

See Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office for application

Deadline April 18, 2016

### **Big Brothers & Sisters**

#### **Mike & Julie Henrich Scholarship**

It is a \$400.00 scholarship

Must be a Senior Mentor in the big Brothers & Sisters Program

Minimum GPA of 3.0

Need based student will qualify for financial aid by FAFSA

Deadline March 15, 2016

Pick up applications from Mr. Arntson in the Counselors Office

### **Youth Serve Montana Scholarships**

To recognize high school senior students for volunteering 100 hours or more

Receive \$1,000 to attend a Montana Campus Compact Institution

Deadline April 15, 2016

[serve.mt.gov/youth-servemontana](http://serve.mt.gov/youth-servemontana)

### **Rocky Mountain Chapter Credit Unions Scholarship**

You or Parents must be a member of participating Credit Unions

Deadline April 5, 2016

Please see Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office for application

### **University of Montana Shallenberger Scholarship**

Must attend the University of Montana

Must major in either Physics, Physics with an Astronomy Option or Physics with a Computational Physics Option

Deadline April 1, 2016

Pick-up Informational sheet from Mr. Arntson in the Counseling Office

### **Ace Hardware Scholarship**

Scholarship Award \$1,000

Two from Silver Bow County awarded

Special consideration given to those going into a vocation or trade

Deadline April 15, 2016

See Mr. Arntson in the Counseling Office for an application

### **Jacob Wheeler Foundation Scholarship**

Two \$1,000 scholarships

Deadline March 1, 2016

[www.jacobwheelerfoundation.com](http://www.jacobwheelerfoundation.com)

### **Gates of the Mountains Chapter of Credit Unions**

Must be going to attend a Montana college, university, trade or craft school

Deadline April 1, 2016

Pick-up application from Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office

### **Mariah's Challenge Scholarship**

Deadline March 31, 2016

Pick-up application in Counselors Office or go on line to

[www.mariahschallenge.com](http://www.mariahschallenge.com)

### **Butte Academy of Beauty Culture Scholarship**

Four \$750.00 Scholarships

Deadline May 3, 2016

Pick-up application in Counselors Office

### **Charles McLean and James Dougan Memorial Scholarship**

Three \$1,000 scholarships

You or parent must be a member of Southwest MT Community FCU

Deadline April 1, 2016

Pick-up application from Mr. Arntson in the Counselors Office

### **Butte Retired Teachers Worthy Student Scholarship**

Must not be in the top 10% of their class

Can be going to a technical school, beauty school or a traditional college

Deadline April 10, 2016

Pick-up application from Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office

Turn in application by April 10, 2016

### **Skyline Sportsmen's Association Scholarship**

Two \$500 scholarships

Must have a 3.0 GPA or better

Must attend a Montana Institution of Higher Learning

Deadline March 15, 2016

Pick –up application from Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office

### **Margaret Schoonen Memorial Scholarship**

One \$500 scholarship

Must have a 3.0 GPA or better

Must attend a Montana Institution of Higher Learning

Deadline March 30, 2016

Pick-up application from Mr. Arntson in Counseling Office

### **Donna and Chet Bowler Memorial Scholarship**

Four year scholarship distributed by semester

Must have worked while in high school

Extra Points will be given to students that have worked in a assisted living facility

Deadline March 1, 2016

Pick-up applications in Counselors Office

### **Butte Teachers' Union Local 332 Scholarship**

Must have a parent, grandparent or guardian as a member or retired member of the Butte Teachers Union

Deadline April 1, 2016

Pick-up application from Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office

### **Kevin Shannon Scholarship Club**

Scholarship based on need

Deadline April 24, 2016

Pick-up application in Counselors Office

### **Butte High School Multi Scholarships**

These include the Davis Memorial, Bob Eva Memorial, Worthy Student, Tulla Memorial, Mathers Memorial and George Tierney Memorial

Each one has different criteria

Deadline April 8, 2016

Pick-up application from Mr. Arntson in the Counselors Office

Return by April 8, 2016 to Mr. Arntson

### **Bill Mular Memorial Scholarship**

Must be accepted to Montana Tech

Must have earned a varsity letter on an athletic team

Must have at least a B average

Deadline March 22, 2016

Pick-up application from Counselors Office

Turn in completed application by March 22, 2016 to Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office

### **Marjorie Dunstan Scholarship**

Will be \$800 + dollars

Pick-up application in Counselors Office

Deadline April 8, 2016

Turn in completed application to Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office

### **Bob Holman Scholarship**

Pick-up application in Counselors Office

Deadline April 1, 2016

Turn in completed application to Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office

### **Gary Loggins Scholarship**

Pick-up application in Counselors Office

Deadline April 1, 2016

Turn in completed application to Mr. Arntson in the Counselors Office

### **Schilling Family Scholarship**

This is a renewable scholarship

Must have at least a 2.5 GPA

Must have a cumulative score of 1500 on the SAT or 22 on the ACT

Pick-up applications in the Counselors Office

Deadline March 22, 2016

Turn in completed application to Mr. Arntson in the Counselors Office

### **Silver Bow Tavern Association Scholarship**

Available to all incoming students to Highlands College

Deadline March 31, 2016

Pick-up application from Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office

### **Silver Bow Tavern Association Scholarship**

Must plan on attending either Mt Tech or Highlands College

Minimum GPA of 2.5

Deadline March 31, 2016

Pick-up application from Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office

### **Helena Moose Lodge Scholarship**

\$500 Scholarship

Minimum 3.0 GPA

Pick-up application in Counselors Office

### **The Bern and Ruth Dennehy Healthcare Scholarship**

\$1,000 scholarship

Must be going into a healthcare field

Minimum of a 3.25 GPA

Pick-up application in Counselors Office

Deadline April 1, 2016

Deadline changed to April 15, 2016

### **Montana Clerk and Recorder's Scholarship**

\$1,000 scholarship

Must attend an in state school

Pick up application in Counselors Office

Deadline March 16, 2016

### **T. Eugene Young Montana's Promise Scholarship**

Twenty scholarships awarded at \$2,500 each

Must be going to study STEM related programs

Deadline May 13, 2016

[www.mtcf.org/applications](http://www.mtcf.org/applications)

### **Believe Sorini Strong Scholarship**

Pick up application from Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office

Deadline April 22, 2016

**Davis Business Machines Scholarship**

Must major in one of the following: Business, Marketing or Computer Science

Must attend a college in Montana

Minimum 3.0 GPA

Pick up application from Mr. Arntson in Counselors Office

Deadline April 15, 2016

**Loyal Order of the Moose and Women of the Moose**

Must demonstrate financial need

2.0 to 3.3 GPA's will not be considered

Must be going to a college in Montana

Deadline September 1, 2016

Pick up application in Counselors Office

**American Hotel & Lodging Educational Foundation Scholarships**

\$100,000 to incoming freshmen

Must enroll in a hospitality related degree

Scholarship awards range from \$500 - \$6,000 Deadline May 1, 2016

<http://www.ahlef.org/scholarships>

**The Boyle-Burgman Memorial Scholarship**

\$1,000 scholarship

You must submit a letter expressing why you need this money, what it will be used for and why you would be a worthy recipient.

Letters are to be turned into Mr. Burgman or Mr. Arntson

Deadline April 8, 2016

