

Teton High School

Scholarship Bulletin

January 2022

General rule of thumb for seniors searching for scholarships.....

Check the websites of the schools you are applying to, or call their financial aid office or admissions office, and inquire about scholarships they may have available for incoming freshman. Also, please note the majority of the scholarships in the Teton High School Scholarship Bulletin are outside scholarships, meaning you can use these scholarships at the school of your choice and are not college specific. It is not possible to list all scholarships offered by individual colleges and universities in the Scholarship Bulletin.

Third Thursday College Buffet, January 20th, 6:00 PM, in the library

Due in January

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program

This program annually rewards up to 20 college-bound students who demonstrate exemplary leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship; in school, work, or within the community with \$10,000 renewable scholarships up to 4 years. Strong academics and financial need.

To apply go to: www.reaganfoundation.org/GE-RFScholarships.aspx

Deadline: January 6, 2022

Pride Foundation Scholarship

Over 50 scholarships are available for LGBT and straight ally students. The Pride Foundation awards scholarships to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and straight ally student leaders in the Northwest. Scholarships can be used for any post-secondary education.

With just one application to complete, the Pride Foundation is proud to offer over 50 different scholarships. We fund students of any age for any accredited program or degree. Applicants must be a resident of Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, or Washington, but may study elsewhere.

To apply go to: <http://www.pridefoundation.org>

Deadline: January 7, 2022

National FFA Organization

The National FFA Organization offers several scholarships to members who plan to further their educations after high school. Scholarships are sponsored by businesses and individuals through the National FFA Foundation. Scholarships are available to match a wide variety of skills, experiences, career goals and higher-education plans. Approximately \$2 million in scholarship money is available each year.

To apply go to: www.ffa.org

Deadline: January 11, 2022

Mensa Education and Research Scholarship Program

\$300 to \$1,000 scholarships based on an essay of 550 words or less

- must be enrolled in a degree program at an accredited U.S. institution of higher learning during the academic year following the application date.
- must submit an application and essay explaining his or her career, academic and/or vocational goals.

To apply go to: <http://www.mensafoundation.org/what-we-do/scholarships/>

Deadline: January 15, 2022

Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship

Through its Mentoring and Leadership Development Program, the Jackie Robinson Foundation provides scholarships of up to \$30,000 over four years to minority high school students showing leadership potential and demonstrating financial need to attend an accredited 4-year college or university of their choice.

To be eligible for a Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship, an applicant must:

- Be a graduating high school senior;
- Plan to attend an accredited and approved four-year institution within the United States;
- Show leadership potential;
- Demonstrate a dedication to community service;
- Present evidence of financial need;
- Be a United States citizen;
- Have a minimum SAT score of 1,000 combined on the math and critical reading sections or a composite ACT score of 21;

To apply go to: www.jackierobinson.org

Deadline: January 12, 2022

John F Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest

The Profile in Courage Essay Contest invites United States high school students to consider the concept of political courage by writing an essay on a U.S. elected official who has chosen to do what is right, rather than what is expedient.

Go to www.jfklibrary.org to get more information on this scholarship.

Visit website for Essay topic, guidelines and eligibility

- Win scholarship money
- First-place winner receives \$10,000
- Second-place winner receives \$1,000
- Up to five finalists receive \$500
- Win an expense paid trip to Boston
- Winner will receive recognition at the John F. Kennedy Presidential Library and Museum in Boston, Massachusetts.
- Enhance and develop research and writing skills

Deadline: January 14, 2022

Washington Crossing Foundation

Seniors who are US citizens and are planning a career in government service/education are encouraged to apply, Applications will be accepted only at The Washington Crossing Foundation, PO Box 503, Levittown, PA 19058-0503 as indicated in the instructions. Recipients of the award are required to attend the Saturday, April 23, 2022 awards program.

To apply go to: www.gwcf.org

Deadline: January 15, 2022

Montana Electric Cooperative Association (MECA) Scholarships (This is not the Fall River Electric Scholarship)

This \$500 scholarship is for high school seniors whose parents or guardians are members of Fall River Electric Cooperative. Applicants will be judged on:

- 20% - Academic Strength (as demonstrated by rigors of coursework, GPA, and national testing scores)
- 20% - Activities in school and community, awards and honors
- 20% - Employment, volunteerism and community service
- 40% - Personal statement
- Applications must be dropped off at your local Fall River Office, or to Linda Hansen by the 23rd.

For more information and to download an application go to:

<http://www.mtco-ops.com/content/2022memorialscholarship>

Deadline: January 24th, 2022 (contact Fall River Electric to see if they want the application sooner)

Amazon Future Engineer Scholarship

Our Amazon Future Engineer Scholarship program provides 100 students with an opportunity to upgrade their careers with a \$40,000 scholarship, plus a paid summer internship programming at Amazon.

Eligibility requirements:

- Must be employment authorized to work in the US. Example: Employment Authorization Document holder, Permanent Resident, or US Citizen.
- Be high school senior in the U.S. who has completed or is currently enrolled in a computer science course – dual enrollment courses also count! If you haven't taken a formal computer science course but have learned on your own, you can opt in to take a brief assessment instead.
- Be planning to attain a bachelor's degree in computer science, software engineering, computer engineering or other computer science related field of study.
- Have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (or its equivalent).
- Must demonstrate financial need

To apply go to: <https://www.amazonfutureengineer.com/scholarship>

Deadline: January 25, 2022

Daughters of the American Revolution: DAR Scholarships

Scholarships are available for high achieving students, and students studying English, Science, Math, Nursing, Political Science, Government and Economics. Scholarships vary in amounts and requirements.

To apply go to: <http://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships/general-info>

Deadline: January 31, 2022

Idaho SWE Scholarships

The Society of Women Engineers (SWE) is a national organization that aims to encourage women to enter engineering. The Southwest Idaho SWE section offers merit-based scholarships to women from anywhere in Idaho planning to pursue a degree in engineering, or another STEM field such as Computer Science, math or a hard science. The number of scholarships and amounts vary each year depending on donations. Since the program's inception in 1995, Southwest Idaho SWE has raised more than \$255,000 benefitting more than 135 Idaho High-School women. You must submit an essay written about your desire to enter an engineering or engineering-related field and why that particular field interests you.

- Female student
- Entering a STEM-related field of study
- From anywhere in Idaho
- Going to any ABET accredited university (even out of state)
- Minimum GPA 3.0

To apply go to: swidaho.swe.org/scholarships

Deadline: January 31, 2022

Due in February

The HSF Scholarship

\$500 to \$5,000

- Must be of Hispanic Heritage
- Minimum of 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent) for High School Students
- Plan to enroll Full-Time in an accredited not-for-profit 4 year university or graduate school during FALL of scholarship cycle year
- U.S. Citizen, Permanent Legal Resident, DACA or Eligible Non-Citizen (as defined by FAFSA)
- Complete FAFSA

To apply go to: <https://www.hsf.net/scholarship>

Deadline: Feb. 15, 2022

Latino Medical Student Association West Scholarships -Dr. Amanda Perez Scholarship

- Must be High School Senior OR freshmen at 4-year university during the 2021-2022 academic year.
- Must be committed to pursuing a career in medicine and dedicated to serving the Latino and underserved communities.
- Applicants should demonstrate a desire to advance the state of healthcare and education in Latino and underserved communities through leadership in extracurricular activities and/or membership in civic organizations.
- Students are eligible to receive the scholarship regardless of immigration or citizenship status, as long as the university they attend will allow them to enroll and register for classes.
- Strong consideration will be placed upon financial need.
- Must be a member of LMSA-West. ([Registration for high school students is free!](#))
- Must be a resident or attending school within the LMSA-West region states (Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington, Wyoming, Alaska, Montana, and Idaho).
- LMSA-West reserves the right to withdraw or withhold scholarship pending submission of necessary documents.

Go to: <https://west.lmsa.net/scholarships/vernors-cup-scholarship>

Deadline: February 15, 2022

Idaho Governor's Cup Scholarship

was established in 1974 by then-Governor Cecil Andrus, with a mission to help Idaho kids pursue their higher education goals at Idaho's postsecondary institutions. Depending on funding, the Idaho Governor's Cup Scholarship provides approximately 25 awards to Idaho high school or home school seniors planning to attend an Idaho college or university. Funds are awarded to students pursuing academic or career technical education. This is a \$3,000 award, renewable up to four years for academic programs and up to three years for career technical programs. To qualify for the scholarship, a student must meet *all* of the following criteria:

- Have an unweighted, cumulative GPA of 2.8 or above
- Be an Idaho resident
- Be a graduate from an Idaho high school or its equivalent (GED from Idaho)
- Enroll as a full-time student in an academic or technical program at an Idaho college or university, taking the ACT or SAT if enrolling in an academic program
- Attend the first semester of college following graduation
- Write a 500-word personal essay about your goals and interests
- High consideration for selection will be based on a demonstrated commitment to public service. Documentation of volunteer work, leadership, and public service is required

Go to: <https://boardofed.idaho.gov/scholarships/idaho-governors-cup-scholarship>

Deadline: February 15, 2022 for Academic

April 15, 2022 for Career Technical

Blake Chapman Flight Scholarship

The Blake Chapman Young Eagles Flight Scholarship was created by a group of individuals who wanted to give students in Teton County, ID the opportunity to learn how to fly. This scholarship provides up to \$8,500 towards the cost of a Private Pilot Certificate – including instruction, flight time and books. Recipients will incur some fees, as the total cost of obtaining a license is approximately \$10,000.

- Applicants must be 17 years of age by June 1st of the year in which they apply and must demonstrate good academic standing, community service/involvement, financial need, and a commitment to becoming a pilot.
- Participants will need to be available June through the end of August, 4-5 days a week for training.

To apply go to: <https://cftetonvalley.org/blake-chapman-young-eagles-scholarship/>

Deadline: February 22, 2022, Tuesday by 5:00PM

Foundation for Rural Services (FRS)

- Be a graduating high school senior.
- Be a United States citizen.
- Be sponsored by a current NTCA - The Rural Broadband Association member (Silver Star Communications)
- Be accepted by an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school.
- Have at least a C grade point average (GPA).
- Express an interest to return to a rural community following graduation.

To Apply go to: www.frs.org

Deadline: February 25, 2022

IAC Scholarship

Scholarships of \$1000 are available for children of county employees (county employees are those who are issued a paycheck by the county) working 20 hours or more per week and the children and grandchildren of county elected officials (assessors, clerks, commissioners, coroners, prosecuting attorneys, sheriff and treasurer). You must attend a college, university or vocational/technical school full-time for the 2022-2023 academic year and be seeking a degree.

To download an application go to: idcounties.org or pick up an application outside your counselor's door.

Deadline: February 28, 2022

Due in March

Idaho Opportunity Scholarship

The demand for a well educated workforce was just one of the driving forces behind the creation of Governor C.L. "Butch" Otter's Opportunity Scholarship. To qualify for the scholarship, a student must meet *all* of the following criteria:

- Have an unweighted, cumulative GPA of 2.7 or above
- Be an Idaho resident
- Be a graduate from an Idaho high school or its equivalent (GED from Idaho)
- Complete the State Board of Education scholarship application by March 1
- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) prior to March 1
- Enroll as a full-time undergraduate student seeking their *first undergraduate degree* at Lewis-Clark State College, University of Idaho, Boise State University, Idaho State University, Brigham Young University-Idaho, Northwest Nazarene University, or College of Idaho, or enroll at least three-quarter time at College of Western Idaho, College of Southern Idaho, Eastern Idaho Technical College, or North Idaho College

Go to: <https://boardofed.idaho.gov/scholarship/opportunity.asp>

Deadline: March 1, 2022

American Legion Children of Warriors National President's Scholarship

Fifteen scholarships in the amount of \$5,000 each will be awarded. Applicant must be a child, grandchild, or great-grandchild of anyone who served in the Armed Forces during any war from WW1 to present.

- Be in their senior year of high school.
- Attend an accredited institution of higher education.
- Complete 50 hours of volunteer service within the community during his/her high school years. Hours must be verified in writing by the recipient organization(s).
- Present the completed application to their local American Legion Auxiliary Unit President

For more information and to download an application go to: www.alaforveterans.org/Scholarships/

Deadline: March 1, 2022

Alois and Marie Goldmann Memorial Scholarship

Created in 1997 by Mary and George Freund in honor of George's grandparents who perished at the Auschwitz concentration camp during the Holocaust. The purpose of this scholarship is to promote a greater understanding of the Holocaust among high school students in Idaho.

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Be a student graduating from high school or home school within the state of Idaho.
- Plan to attend an institution of higher learning in Idaho during the 2022-2023 academic year.
- Must submit a completed "Student Application Form" AND write an original essay or research paper on one specific aspect of the Holocaust. Please do not write on the Holocaust in general.

Download an application here. [Goldmann Memorial Scholarship](#)

Deadline: March 1, 2022

EEEqual Scholarship Awards Program

The EEqual Scholarship Awards Program is designed to highlight the incredible potential of young people in the United States who are struggling with homelessness, housing instability, or extreme poverty. At EEqual, we believe that every student, no matter their economic background should have an equal opportunity in education.

This scholarship covers tuition costs, up to \$8,000, for students experiencing homelessness or housing instability, students in extreme poverty; or students whose family is currently going through a transition; to attain post-secondary education. Selected scholars will be paired with a mentor who will guide them in their higher education.

- Applicant is a legal resident of the 50 United States and the District of Columbia ("D.C.") who is at least 16 years of age and no older than 23 years of age as of the last day of the Program Period located in the United States or D.C. (Citizenship is not a determining factor in your eligibility for this scholarship.)
- Applicants must be on-track to apply for or enrolled in an accredited post-high school/post-secondary educational program (including accredited two-and four-year colleges, universities, vocational-technical and trade schools).
- Applicants must have a 2.0 Unweighted GPA or higher to be eligible for this scholarship.
- Applicant may be required to complete an interview as part of the application process.
- Applicants must be in their last year of high school or have already graduated and at least 16 years of age
- Applicant must complete the application in its entirety. Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.
- Applicant must be willing to work with the EEqual leadership team and selection committee throughout the application and award process.
- Applicant understands that funds will be dispersed directly to their institution of higher education.
- Applicant must have financial need

According to the federal McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Program, a person is considered to be experiencing homelessness if they "lack a fixed, regular, and adequate night-time residence." This includes people living in shelters, cars, motels/hotels, campgrounds, or places not meant for human habitation. The definition includes children and youth who are living with friends or relatives temporarily (doubled-up or sharing the housing of others) because they lack permanent housing due to economic hardship.

Please note: This is not an honorary scholarship for students who have experienced homelessness or extreme poverty in the past and overcame their situation. EEqual is looking to support students who are currently struggling and are in need.

Go to: <https://eequal.org/scholarships/>

Deadline: March 1, 2022

Idaho Latino Scholarship Foundation Scholarship

The Idaho Latino Scholarship Foundation (ILSF) seeks to promote the success of Idaho Latino families by providing scholarships for students to attend college. We seek to create partnerships and build programs that support and grow the number Latino students earning college degrees.

To apply for the ILSF Scholarship, go to: www.idaholsf.org and applicants must:

- Be an Idaho resident and of Latino/Hispanic descent.
- Be admitted to or currently enrolled at an Idaho college, university or vocation program.
- Be in good standing and making satisfactory progress (as defined by the student's school) toward an academic degree, diploma, or certificate.
- Have demonstrated leadership in school, community and/or other service organizations that promote, enhance or strengthen diversity
- Have a cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 or above.

Deadline: March 1, 2022

Idaho Community Foundation offers over 60 scholarship opportunities. Go to idcomfdn.org/scholarships for information on how to apply for each of their scholarships, including contact information, application and eligibility requirements.

Here is a list of (7) scholarships that students in our county may qualify for. [Idaho Community Foundation Scholarships](#)

Deadline: March 15, 2022

Society of Automotive Engineers Scholarship

Eight different scholarships with different requirements. Amount varies, but can be from \$1000 – full tuition (always check admission requirements at colleges/universities you are interested in). Applicants must intend to earn a degree in engineering or a related field (math, chemistry, physics, biology, technologies, computer science), and meet the minimum GPA and ACT/SAT requirements.

To apply go to: <https://www.sae.org/participate/scholarships/freshman/>

Deadline: March 15, 2022

TZU CHI USA SCHOLARS PROGRAM

US \$1,500 NEED-BASED SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Tzu Chi Scholars is a scholarship program funded by Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation USA to recognize and provide financial assistance to outstanding college-bound high school graduates. Tzu Chi Scholars are selected on the basis of their financial need, academic achievement, and community involvement. Each Scholar will receive an award of \$1,500. To apply, you must

- Be a U.S. high school graduating senior or equivalent
- Demonstrate financial need for college tuition
- Have a minimum 3.0 GPA
- Will enroll in an accredited U.S. college full-time for the academic year 2022-2023

To apply go to: www.tzuchi.us/scholarships/

Deadline: March 31, 2022

Due in April or later

Pointe Pest Control Scholarship

For this \$750 scholarship, do something good for someone else and include a note telling them to pass it on. Bonus points are awarded for including pictures. We want to hear what good deed you did to help your community. After you have finished your good deed, pass along this scholarship to as many friends as you can.

Go to: <https://pointepest.com/idaho-scholarship-applicationty.asp>

Deadline: April 29, 2022

Abbott & Fenner Scholarship

\$1,000 scholarship...Students are required to write an essay. 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.

To apply go to: <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm>

Deadline: June 12, 2022

Elk Mountain Tents Outdoor Enthusiast Scholarship

We are looking to help out a stellar individual with an appreciation for the great outdoors. This scholarship will award a one time \$500 scholarship to one applicant. Applicants must be registered for a college, university, or technical school for the Fall term immediately following being awarded the scholarship. Applicants must be a minimum of 16 years of age, have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher, and share a love for the great outdoors! Applications will be judged and weighted as follows: Response to the question about the outdoors (5 points), financial need (3 points), and GPA (2 points). Idaho applicants will receive a 1 point bonus to encourage more local participation. It is recommended that applicants write their responses on a separate Word document and then copy-paste them into the entry fields.

Go to: www.elkmountaintents.com/scholarship

Deadline: June 30, 2022

BigSun Scholarship

The Big Sun Organization is proud to be able to continue to help young athletes succeed in their academic pursuits. We are offering an annual scholarship of \$500.00 to a deserving student. All student athletes are eligible for this award, regardless of which sport they are participating in. Successful applicant will be a high school senior or be attending a post secondary institute and currently involved in some sport at that institution or in the community.

To apply go to: www.bigsunathletics.com

Deadline: June 19, 2022

Hathaway Scholarship

The Hathaway Scholarship is available to all students living in Alta, Wyoming who are interested in attending a Wyoming College. If you live in Alta, Wyoming and are interested in learning how to qualify for the Hathaway Scholarship, please see your counselor for more information.

Deadline: Date of beginning college in the fall of 2022

The Alert Scholarship \$500

You can help others become more alert by speaking out against the dangers of drug and alcohol abuse. Alert invites high school seniors to write a 650-800 word essay about a personal encounter you or someone you know has had with drug and/or alcohol abuse and what you learned from the experience. Qualified applicants must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher, have plans to attend college after graduation, and reside in one of 11 qualifying states (Idaho is one of them!). Check out their website for details that should be included in your essay and how to submit your materials.

For info and application visit: www.alertmagazine.org/scholarship.php

Deadline: Ongoing

Idaho Websites for Scholarships

Idaho Community Foundation offers over 60 scholarship opportunities. Go to idcomfdn.org/scholarships for information on how to apply for each of their scholarships, including contact information, application and eligibility requirements. Here are the scholarships that Teton High School Students may apply for. [Idaho Community Foundation](#), or there is a list outside your counselor's office. These are great scholarships to apply to.

Idaho State Board of Education Scholarships offers online applications as well as links to other Idaho scholarships through specific Idaho colleges and universities.

Go to: http://www.boardofed.idaho.gov/scholarship/scholarship_jump.asp

Other Reputable Scholarship Search Websites

<https://scholarshipamerica.org/>

www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search

www.fastweb.com

www.scholarships.com

www.cappex.com

<https://www.unigo.com/scholarships>

<https://bold.org/#ref=see-great-scholarships>

FAFSA

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (known as the FAFSA) is a form that can be prepared annually by current and prospective college students in the United States to determine their eligibility for student financial aid (including the Pell Grant, Federal student loans and Federal Work-Study).

The U.S. Department of Education began accepting applications on October 1.

You first create your FSA ID for you and a parent. To create your FSA ID go to: <https://fsaid.ed.gov/npas/index.htm>

The FAFSA can be filed after October 1, 2021 by going to www.fafsa.ed.gov (You will be using your 2020 income tax information filed in 2021, for both you and your parents)

Other Useful Information

Next Steps Idaho/ State Board of Education

Your student's path to graduation and beyond can be overwhelming for you, too. Next Steps Idaho offers information and resources that are meant to serve students and families as they plan, prepare and prioritize the most important steps toward life after high school.

Go to: <https://nextsteps.idaho.gov/>

Scholarships Available for Undocumented Students

This scholarship website keeps an ongoing list of scholarships available for undocumented students. The due dates vary with each scholarship listed. Go to this website often to check on new scholarships being added. Scroll down till you find the list of scholarships.

Go to: <https://mydocumentedlife.org/2016/09/12/scholarships-open-to-undocumented-students/>

Deadlines: Vary