Teton High School

Scholarship Bulletin

December 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 freshmen. 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.

Due in December

Hagan Scholarship Foundation

Up to \$40,000

Helping Rural Students Graduate College Debt Free

The Hagan Scholarship is a nationwide, need based, merit scholarship; each scholarship will help pay the unmet financial need of the recipient, up to \$5,000 each semester. The intended recipient of a Hagan Scholarship is a high achieving, self-motivated student with high goals in need of financial assistance in order to attend college.

- 1. Must be a U.S. Citizen.
- 2. Must attend an Eligible Public High School; Teton High School is eligible
- 3. Must be a student in the 2023 high school graduating class.
- 4. Must have achieved a high school GPA of 3.50 or higher.
- 5. Must enroll in a four-year college the first semester following high school graduation.
- 6. Must work 240 hours in the twelve months prior to the start of college.
- 7. Must provide the FAFSA SAR showing the EFC. Must be Pell Grant eligible.
- 8. Must apply for eligible Federal and State grants.
- 9. Must not have been convicted of a felony.

For information and to apply, go to: haganscholarships.org

Deadline: December 1, 2022

Barbara Lotze Scholarship For Future Teachers

American Association of Physics Teachers will award scholarships in the amount of \$2,000 each. Applicants must declare their intent to prepare for, and engage in, a career in physics teaching at the high school level and must, at the time the scholarship funds are received by the student, be:

- an undergraduate student enrolled in an accredited college, or a high school senior accepted for such enrollment.
- planning to pursue a course of study leading toward a career in physics teaching in the high schools.
- showing promise of success in their studies.
- a citizen of the United States of America.

For information and to apply go to: www.aapt.org/Programs/grants/lotze.cfm

Deadline: December 1, 2022

PixelPlex Bi-Annual STEM Scholarship

The \$2000 PixelPlex Bi-Annual STEM Scholarship was established to help support and inspire students to pursue further education in the fields of science, technology, engineering and math (STEM), as well as economics and business. One student will be chosen from the applicant pool and will be awarded based on the strength of their written essay. The selected student will receive 2,000 USD to help cover education-related expenses.

- Be a citizen or a permanent resident of the United States
- Be enrolled (or accepted with plans to attend) college or university in the United States at the date of the award.
- Be in a field of study related to science, technology, engineering, math(STEM) economics, or business.

To apply go to: https://pixelplex.io/scholarship/

Deadline: December 5, 2022

The Science Ambassador Scholarship

A full-tuition scholarship for a woman in science, technology, engineering, or math. You must be a US citizen and plan to attend college this fall in the US. You must plan to major in a STEM field. Film a three-minute educational video of yourself explaining a STEM topic you're passionate about. You must be a high school senior or an undergraduate college student to apply. Your video should be:

- A mini-lecture, not a personal statement. Pretend you're a lecturer speaking to a class. Teach us something.
- Clear, creative, accurate, and a demonstration of your passion for the subject. We value novel, memorable approaches to topics. Your video doesn't need to be fancy or high–tech. Production value is not a factor.
- Three minutes or less in length.
- About any STEM topic, not necessarily your field of study. Pick a topic that excites and fascinates you. We don't need to hear about the latest thing in science news (unless that's your jam).
- Scientifically accurate. We encourage you to cite the sources used to research your topic. Ideally, this would be in a slide or frame at the end of your video.
- Uploaded to YouTube and marked 'public.'

To apply go to: www.scienceambassadorscholarship.org

Deadline: December 13, 2022

Equitable Excellence Scholarship

Students must demonstrate ambition and drive, determination to set and reach goals, respect for self, family and community and the ability to succeed in college. Be a HS senior and plan to enroll full-time in an accredited two-year or four-year college or university in the United States by Fall 2023.

To apply go to: https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/equitableexcellence/nt-scholarship.html
December 15, 2022 (whichever comes first) (so apply now)

Idaho 4-H Scholarship Opportunities

There are many Idaho 4-H Scholarships available. If you are in 4-H, see eligibility guidelines by going to: <u>University of Idaho Extenstion's Scholarship Page</u>

Deadline: December 15, 2023

Foot Locker Scholar Athletes Program

Twenty Foot Locker Scholar Athletes will each receive \$20,000 in college scholarship money for their excellence in school, on their sports teams, and in their communities. The scholarship will be awarded in four equal annual payments of \$5,000 throughout the winner's four-year college career.

In order to be eligible for the Foot Locker Scholar Athletes program, the applicant must:

- Be a current high school senior entering a four-year, accredited US college or university in the Fall of 2023
- Be currently a member (in good standing) of a high school sports team or be involved in after-school sports (e.g. intramurals, martial arts, etc.)
- Have maintained an unweighted GPA of 3.0 or higher from ninth grade to first semester of 12th grade
- Be a U.S. citizen or US Permanent Legal Resident

For more information and to access the application visit: https://footlockerscholarathletes.com

Deadline: December 17, 2022

CAMP (College Assistance Migrant Program)

CAMP is a unique federally-funded educational support and scholarship program that helps seasonal farm workers and their children complete college. Financial support, as well as counseling, tutoring, academic skills assessment, and mentoring help first year students succeed. After the first year, CAMP continues academic and personal support throughout college. To qualify a student must be a U.S. citizen or legal resident of the U.S. and demonstrate financial need. You must be accepted into **Boise State University**, or **University of Idaho**. (Some out of state colleges may apply.)

Deadline: Applications are accepted year-round, but priority consideration is December 1st, 2022.

Visit Mr. Tibbitts to obtain an application for this scholarship.

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 5, 2023

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 6, 2023

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;
- Submit an SAT or ACT score;

To apply go to: www.jackierobinson.org

Deadline: January 11, 2023

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 12, 2023

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 13, 2023

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, 2023

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 22, 2023 awards program.

To apply go to: www.gwcf.org
Deadline: January 15, 2023

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, 2023

Due in February

Latino Medical Student Association West Scholarships

Three scholarships to apply to. Dr. Amanda Perez Scholarship, Canopy Scholarship, and Dreamers of Tomorrow

- Must be High School Senior OR freshmen at 4-year university during the 2022-2023 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.

Download the applications here: **LMSA Scholarships**

Deadline: February 15, 2023

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, 2023 for Academic April 15, 2023 for Career Technical

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 2023-2024 academic year and be seeking a degree.

To download an application go to: **IAC Scholarship**

Deadline: February 28, 2023

Due in March or later

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, 2023

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, 2023

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, 2023

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 2023

Idaho Websites for Scholarships

Idaho Community Foundation offers over 60 scholarship opportunities. Go to <u>idcomfdn.org/scholarships</u> 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. <u>Idaho Community Foundation</u>, 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

www.bold.org/applicants/

www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search

www.fastweb.com

www.scholarships.com

www.cappex.com

www.unigo.com/scholarships

https://www.niche.com/colleges/scholarships/no-essay-scholarship/ (monthly sweepstakes)

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, 2022 by going to www.fafsa.ed.gov (You will be using your 2021 income tax information filed in 2022, 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/

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