

# Scholarships

2016-2017

*Shown in order of due date; Scholarship List will be updated regularly.*

*Be sure to check out [StudentScholarships.org](http://www.studentscholarships.org) – offering a wide variety of scholarships!*

<https://www.studentscholarships.org/2016scholarships.php>

## Due December 2016

### **NFIB Young Entrepreneur Award:**

Are you a young entrepreneur? Do you know a young entrepreneur? Graduating high school seniors who operate their own small business are eligible to receive a 2017 NFIB Young Entrepreneur Award from NFIB Young Entrepreneur Foundation. Visit [www.NFIB.com/YEA](http://www.NFIB.com/YEA) for more information and to apply online before 12/18.

### **Varsity Tutors Scholarship Contest:**

Varsity Tutors holds a monthly \$1,000 college scholarship contest where students write an essay in response to a monthly prompt. Entries are reviewed by Varsity Tutors at the end of the month and one winner is subsequently chosen to receive the \$1,000 college scholarship. Interested students can enter the contest here: <http://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship>

## Due February 2017

### **Albert W. and Helen C. Meserve Memorial Scholarship Fund:**

This scholarship is funds for deserving students. The Center for Scholarship Administration, Inc. (CSA), a non-profit, independent organization is the Facilitator of the scholarship fund. Please apply online at [www.csascholars.org](http://www.csascholars.org) by 2/1/17. Additional information is available in the CCRC.

#### *Applicants must be:*

- high school seniors, graduates or current college students
- reside in Bethel, Brookfield, Danbury, New Fairfield, New Milford, Newtown, Redding, Ridgefield, Sandy Hook or Sherman, CT
- pursuing a degree in the environmental sciences (agriculture, animal husbandry, ecological studies, forestry or marine sciences) or in nursing
- minimum GPA of 2.5
- demonstrate traits of high personal character and leadership
- planning to attend 4-year accredited college or university as a full-time student

## *Due March 2017*

### **2017 Nutmeg chapter Impact Scholarship Stephen Bufton Memorial Educational Fund:**

Candidates must be women who are US Citizens and residents of CT, will be a college freshman in the fall 2017 at a four year school and have achieved a GPA of 3.5 or better. To apply, please e-mail the Education Chairwoman for your username and password for the SBMEF.org website online application [findyourstuffnow@gmail.com](mailto:findyourstuffnow@gmail.com). Please stop in the CCRC for additional information. Application deadline is 3/31 and only the first 10 completed applications will be considered.

## *Due April 2017*

### **The Milton Fisher Scholarship Award for Innovation and Creativity:**

Are you are a student who has come up with a distinctive solution to a problem faced by your family, school, community or the world? A student who has solved an artistic, scientific or technical problem in a new or unusual way? A student who has developed an innovative way to save the environment or improve people's health? For more information please visit [www.rbffoundation.org](http://www.rbffoundation.org). Interested applicants must complete to online application on or before 4/30.

## *Due May 2017*

### **The Stephen Phillips Memorial Scholarship Fund, Inc.:**

This scholarship offers renewable, four year scholarships to students with financial need who display academic achievement, a commitment to serving others, a strong work ethic, grit and passion for overcoming obstacles and/or achieving future goals, and leadership qualities. Please visit [www.phillips-scholarships.org](http://www.phillips-scholarships.org) for an application. Early response deadline 4/3, Regular deadline 5/1.