Scholarships 2016-2017

Shown in order of due date; Scholarship List will be updated regularly.
Be sure to check out StudentScholarships.org – offering a wide variety of scholarships!
https://www.studentscholarships.org/2017scholarships.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 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 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
**Big Y Scholarship Program:**
Scholarship open to all employees and their dependents, as well as all customers and their dependents. All scholarships recognize academic merit and achievement. They are awarded to the most academically outstanding students in the Big Y market area. For more information on this scholarship, stop by the CCRC or visit [http://www.bigy.com/Community/Scholarships](http://www.bigy.com/Community/Scholarships).

Entry deadline is February 1, 2017.

**FFA Scholarship:**
*Applicant must be:*
- Be less than 23 years of age at time of application (February 1)
- Be current FFA members unless otherwise stated
- Be U.S citizen or permanent resident
  - Must have Social Security Number to claim scholarships
- Plan to attend post-secondary school in the U.S
- Be a high school senior or currently enrolled in college
- Be a full-time student
  - Actively attending classes
  - Minimum of 12 credit hours if enrolled in a post-secondary institution

Please visit [https://www.ffa.org/participate/scholarships](https://www.ffa.org/participate/scholarships) for more information!

**NIAA Scholarship:**
The scholarships will recognize the distinguished scholastic, leadership, and citizenship attributes of high school student athletes, and the importance of high school athletics in each student’s life.

Applicants must:
- Applicant must be a Senior
- Applicant must have achieved at least two (2) of the following:
  - minimum of B+ average;
  - Ranked in the top 25% of class;
  - ACT score of 24 or an SAT score of 1500 (Math, Reading and Writing)
- Applicant must have participated in two sports for at least two years in each sport
- Applicant must have earned at least one varsity letter in each of two sports
- Applicant must complete attached scholar/essay application

For more information visit: [http://caadinc.org/ScholarshipApplication2017.pdf](http://caadinc.org/ScholarshipApplication2017.pdf)

**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.
**Professional Women in Construction:**
Any student (male or female) enrolled in a study leading to undergraduate degree or graduate degree in Construction, Construction Management, Interior Design, Architecture, or Civil, Mechanical, Structural, and Electrical Engineering. Application available in the CCRC, must be submitted no later than 3/15/17.

**CASIA Scholarship:**
For children of Police & Fire Officials graduating June 2017. Applicants must be accepted into an accredited college or university matriculating in the fall of 2017. Eligible students must have a father, mother, or natural guardian who is a full-time paid employee of the Connecticut Police or Fire Communities; Volunteer departments are recognized. For more information visit the CCRC or visit [http://www.casiact.org/youth-scholarship.html](http://www.casiact.org/youth-scholarship.html)

**USBC Scholarship:**
Applicant must be a USBC member that holds a current youth membership or at least one of the applicant’s parents or grandparents is a currently sanctioned member of the CT State USBC Association. All documentation must be postmarked by March 1th, 2017; the top five candidates will be required to attend an interview. For more information please stop by the CCRC.

**CT Nurserymen’s Foundation:**
Applicant must be accepted into a course of study beneficial to the Horticultural Industry. The scholarship will grant one student $5,000 per year, renewable if the student maintains academic eligibility in college. For more information visit [www.ctnursery.org](http://www.ctnursery.org)

**Glen Moon Scholarship:**
Available to any senior planning a career in teaching. One 4-year ($2,000 per year). Applications must be submitted by 3/31/17 online ONLY: [www.artct.org](http://www.artct.org)

**New Haven County Tax Collector’s Association Scholarship:**
Applicant must be a resident of New Haven County, a senior in high school planning on continuing their education, in good standing at school, and not delinquent in any city or town in which they reside. All applications are due by 3/1/17, for more information please stop in the CCRC.

**Litchfield County Tax Collector’s Association Scholarship:**
Applicant must be a resident of Litchfield County, a senior in high school planning on continuing their education, in good standing at school, and not delinquent in any city or town in which they reside. 1 page essay required: ‘How do municipal property taxes affect MY education?’ All applications are due 3/1/17, for more information please stop in the CCRC.

**CT Water Works Assn. Scholarship:**
Applicant must be a graduating senior, preference will be given to students pursuing their education at a higher education institution with majors related to: environmental science, water resources, public health, or the water industry, with a GPA of 3.0. All applications are due by 3/30/17. Please stop in the CCRC for more information.
**Dunkin Donuts**
Applications and eligibility can be found at [www.dunkindonuts.com/scholarship](http://www.dunkindonuts.com/scholarship). All applications must be submitted by 3/15/17. Any questions regarding the scholarship, please contact Alie Garry at [alie@jessella.com](mailto:alie@jessella.com) or (860) 217-0995.

**Due April 2017**

**The Milton Fisher Scholarship Award for Innovation and Creativity:**
Are you 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 the online application on or before 4/30.

**The First Congregational Church:**
Applicant must be a senior planning on continuing their education who are currently living in the Greater Waterbury area. Applications can be downloaded from [www.firstchurch-wtby.org](http://www.firstchurch-wtby.org) and must be submitted by 4/1/17.

**Veterans of Foreign Wars 1607:**
Applicant must have an immediate family member, living or deceased, who is/was a U.S. soldier serving in a war zone, must reside in the towns of Woodbury, Southbury, or Middlebury, and must be a high school senior continuing their education. For more information stop by the CCRC.

**St. Michael’s Episcopal Parish:**
Applicant must be a resident of Naugatuck or a member of St. Michael’s Parish, recommended by the School Counseling Dept., and a graduating senior. All applications must be submitted by 4/10/17. For more information please stop by the CCRC.

**Ride-4-Justin:**
Justin Wisniewski Firefighter’s Scholarship Fund; Applicant must complete application and 1-3 page essay, in addition to a reference with volunteer activities listed. All applications must be postmarked by 4/1/17. Please stop by the CCRC for more information.

**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 [http://phillips-scholarship.org/](http://phillips-scholarship.org/) for an application. Early response deadline 4/3, Regular deadline 5/1.
**Daughters of the American Revolution:**  
Applicant must be in the top 25% of the class, give evidence of good character, or be a member of the National Honor Society. All applications must be completed by 5/1/17. For more information please stop by the CCRC.

**Torrington Savings Bank**  
Applicant must be a senior in high school whose parents or guardians are customers of Torrington Savings Bank. Applications are available on [www.torringtonsavings.com](http://www.torringtonsavings.com) All applications must be submitted by 5/1/17.

**Rolling**

**Eversource:**  
Eversource will be awarding five scholarships to new students, majoring in Electronic Engineering Technology, entering Naugatuck Valley Community College in the fall of 2017. Applications are available in the CCRC. Deadline is rolling and will be open until all scholarships are awarded.