

Local Scholarship Information 2009-2010

Scholarship	Date	Additional Information
National Multiple Sclerosis Society Scholarship Program	October 1, 2009 through January 15, 2010	Scholarship applications for 2010 awards will be available October 1, 2009. Applications may be submitted from October 15, 2009 through January 15, 2010 and scholars receive notice in May, 2010. For detailed guidelines and application information, click here
The American Legion		Various Scholarships are available through the American Legion. Visit their website at www.legion.org for detailed information.
Horatio Alger Association's Franklin Scholars Program	October 30	Seniors/Intend to pursue a bachelor's degree at an accredited institution in the United States (May begin your studies at a two-year institution then transfer to a four-year.) Critical financial need (\$50,000 or less adjusted gross income per family is preferred. If higher, explanation must be provided) Involvement in co-curricular and community activities/Minimum GPA of 2.0/United States Citizenship or permanent residency. (Visit www.horatioalger.org/scholarships for information and application.)
2010 Prudential Spirit of Community Awards	October 31	Recognizes students in grades 5-12 solely on the basis of volunteer work in their communities/There are awards available on each school level, as well as on a state and national level. (Visit www.prudential.com/spirit to complete application. <u>Print out application and return it to your school principal or School Counseling Office no later than noon on October 31, 2009.</u>)

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Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation Scholarship	October 31	Seniors/Scholars are selected based upon their academic achievement, capacity to lead and hours of dedicated community service. (Visit www.coca-colascholars.org for information and application. Click on: Coca-Cola Four Year Award for Seniors--Our CEEB code is 393-631)
Ron Brown Scholars Program	November 1 and January 9	Seniors/Scholarships awarded to academically talented, highly motivated African American seniors who plan to pursue undergraduate degree full-time. (Visit www.ronbrown.org for information and application.)
Elks National Foundation 2010 Most Valuable Student Scholarship	November 2	Seniors/Must be a U.S. Citizen/Need <u>not</u> be related to a member of the Elks/ Judged on scholarship, leadership and financial need. (Visit www.elks.org for applications and information. Please read instructions carefully and follow them precisely. Any deviation or incomplete application will disqualify the applicant. To find the correct Elks Lodge, go to www.elks.org , click 'lodge locator' and enter the home zip code of the student.)
2010 SAE Engineering Scholarships	December 1	Seniors/Interested in the study of engineering or a related science. (Visit www.sae.org/students/engschlr.htm for information and application.)
The Lola G. Duff and William H. Duff II Scholarship Fund	Info to come in January 2010	The Lola G. Duff and William H. Duff, II Scholarship Fund was established under the will of Lola G. Duff and is administered by National City Bank, Trustee, to assist Allegheny County students who are of the Protestant faith, and attending or planning to attend a full time program leading to a bachelor's degree. Renewable scholarships are offered each year for full-time study at an accredited four-year institution of the student's choice. Additional information and an application may be obtained in January 2010.
KFC Colonel's Scholars	Dec 1 st – Feb. 10 th	For seniors with a 2.75>GPA planning to enroll in a public, in-state college. Students can apply at www.kfcscholars.org

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Best Buy	December 28 th - Feb 15 th	<p>Visit www.bestbuy.com/scholarships or www.at15.com to apply</p> <p>Students with solid grades, who are involved in volunteer efforts in their schools and communities, and/or have a work history are eligible. Students must be planning to attend a college, university or technical school in the fall immediately following their high school graduation. 9–12th grade students from private, public, alternative or home schools are eligible to apply. Grants are a one-time award, so if you were a winner in the past, you aren't eligible to apply again.</p>
Burger King Scholars Award	February 1 st	<p>BURGER KING® Scholars awards are \$1,000 each and may be used for educational expenses, such as tuition fees and books, during the first year of college or post-secondary vocational/technical school. For students to qualify, they must be a high school senior and a resident of the U.S., Canada or Puerto Rico that meets our criteria below. To learn more about the program, please visit the Foundation's website at http://www.haveyourwayfoundation.org/.</p>
Alzheimer's Foundation of America (AFA) Teens for Alzheimer's Awareness College Scholarship	Before February 15	<p>Juniors or Seniors (Must be entering a four-year accredited college or university within 12 months of February 15, 2009 to qualify.)/Write an essay about how Alzheimer's disease has changed or impacted your life and what you have learned about yourself, your family and /or your community in the face of coping with Alzheimer's disease. (For scholarship details and an application visit www.afateens.org.)</p>
Comptaro, Elden, Lewis, Sparks and Rose Education Fund	April 14 th	<p>Allegheny Seniors attending college or Technical school. Applications available in the Academic Advising Office.</p>
Eberhardt Memorial Fund	April 14 th	<p>This fund was created to provide scholarship assistance to worthy and deserving high school graduates who are residents of Pennsylvania. Seniors with a > 3.00 GPA. Applications are available in the Academic Advising Office.</p>
William J. Wolf Memorial Scholarship	April 14 th	<p>Students must be a current senior who is a resident of Allegheny County, a member of the Lutheran denomination, maintain good grades, complete an essay and submit a letter of reference from your Pastor. Applications available in the Academic Advising Office.</p>

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George and Dorothy Knedler Scholarship Fund	April 25, 2010	The George and Dorothy Knedler Scholarship Fund was created to provide scholarships to graduating high school seniors who are dependents of full-time and part-time benefited BNY Mellon employees. Click here for an application and guidelines. Applications are also available in the Academic Advising Office.
Louise Salinger Academy of Fashion Fund	April 25, 2010	The Louise Salinger Academy of Fashion Fund was created at The Pittsburgh Foundation through a bequest to provide annual scholarships to high school seniors in Allegheny County who wish to pursue a career in fashion design. Click here for an application and guidelines. Applications are also available in the Academic Advising Office.
The Virginia E. Lewis Scholarship Fund	April 25, 2010	<p>Eligibility</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be an undergraduate student having declared a major in art or art history • Be a resident of Allegheny County, PA • Student must continue to major in art or art history for annual renewal of this scholarship • Maintain good grades • Demonstrate financial need <p>Click here for application and guidelines. (Applications also available in the Academic Advising Office)</p>
The Vocational Training Fund for Girls	April 25, 2010	The Vocational Training Fund for Girls was created at The Pittsburgh Foundation to provide scholarships for underprivileged girls of Allegheny County. This fund is intended primarily for the vocational training of young girls after completion of their high school educations. Click here for application and guidelines. (Applications also available in the Academic Advising Office)
Sun Trust Scholarship	May 14 th	Scholarship sweepstakes (IE: randomly drawn) with 15 winners. Enter at www.offtocollege.info or suntrusteducation.com
The Irene and Harry Louik Fund	May 15 th	This fund is offering a scholarship to a graduating senior who demonstrates special aptitude, ability or achievement in one or more of the performing arts. Applicants must be planning to attend a two or four year accredited college or university, be a good student who demonstrates pride in educational accomplishments, demonstrates financial need, and must complete a one page essay.