#3 2020-2021- Ridgewood High School Scholarship Bulletin

You can also find scholarships using the following websites:

www.scholarships.com www.fastweb.com

Scholarship/Award	Who's Eligible	How to Apply	Amount	Due Date
2021 El Dabe Ritter Scholarship	Applicants should be enrolled in an accredited university, in the U.S.A. Applicants must have a minimum of a 3.0 GPA All applications should be submitted no later than June 30th, 2021 This scholarship will be awarded in the 2021 Fall Semester There is no application fee	https://www.per sonalinjurylawy erslosangeles.c om/#scholarshi p	\$1,500	June 30, 2021
The Carson Scholars Fund scholarship program	students in grades 4 through 11 who have a 3.75 or higher GPA for the current school year and are involved in community service activities. The Carson Scholars Fund scholarship program is open to all accredited K-12 schools in the United States. At this time, we cannot accept applications from students who are enrolled in non-traditional schools as we haven't come across a situation that still met the goals of our program.	https://carsonschol ars.org/scholarship s/		Friday, January 15, 2021 – Application deadline
John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest	United States high school students in grades nine through twelve attending public, private, parochial, or home schools; U.S. students under the age of twenty enrolled in a high school correspondence/GED program in	APPLY ONLINE https://www.jfklibra ry.org/learn/educati on/profile-in- courage-essay-	First- place: \$10,000 Second- place: \$3,000 Five Finalists: \$1,000 each	January 15, 2021.

	any of the fifty states, the District of Columbia, or the U.S. territories; and U.S. citizens attending schools overseas. Past winners and finalists are not eligible to participate. Employees of John Hancock Financial Services and members of their families are not eligible to participate.	contest/getting- started	Eight Semi- finalists: \$100 each	
The HIspanic Heritage Foundation's 2020 Youth Awards Educational Grants Program	Be currently enrolled in high school and graduating in the spring of 2021 Must have a minimum unweighted 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale or 7.5 on a 10.0 scale Must enroll at an accredited higher education institution in 2021-2022 Be of Hispanic heritage (includes Spain, Brazil, Philippines) If selected, attendance to regional awards ceremony is mandatory and travel is at the recipient's expense Be a U.S. permanent resident, U.S. citizen, or qualify under the DACA	Apply Onine	Up to \$1000 in grants	Sunday December 6, 2020
College Board Opportunity Scholarships	Highschool Students in the class of 2021 Students in the United States, Puerto Rico and US territories, regardless of citizenship status. US citizens and residents attending Department of Defense Education Activity schools abroad may also participate.	Create college board account and apply online https://opportunity.collegeboard.org	eligible to earn up to 40,00	open
School of the Art Institute of Chicago Early Action and Priority Merit Scholarship	Students must submit their application materials by this deadline in order to be considered for merit scholarships. In addition to completing the Common Application, applicants must complete and submit their electronic portfolio. Also, transcripts and test scores must be sent to our office either by mail, fax, or electronically.	https://www.saic.ed u/admissions/fresh men/events-visit		Early Action and Priority Merit Scholarsh ip Deadline of Sunday, November 15, 2020

Prudential Spirit Of Community Awards	Grades 5-12th Legal Resident of U.S. Participated in a Volunteered project after September 2019	Complete Application Online https://spirit.pruden tial.com/apply/2021	\$1,000- \$5,000	Tuesday, November 10, 2020
Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation	 Current high school (or home-schooled) student attending a school in the U.S. (or select DoD schools) who will graduate during the 2020-2021 academic school year U.S. Citizens, U.S. Nationals, U.S. Permanent Residents, Refugees, Asylees, Cuban-Haitian Entrants, or Humanitarian Parolees - based on the guidelines utilized by U.S. Department of Education for Federal Financial Aid eligibility Will receive high school diploma during current academic year Planning to pursue a degree at an accredited U.S. post-secondary institution 	online application https://www.coca- colascholarsfounda tion.org/apply/	Up to \$20,000	The 2020- 21 application is open to high school seniors until 5 p.m. Eastern on October 31, 2020.
Cook County Sheriff's Commitment to Service Award	-Resident of Cook County -Applicants must be in Grades 9-12 -Minimum of 100 hours of service (not including hours served for school requirement) -Service includes, fundraising, planning, or support activities -Service performed at school during school hours is not accepted -Hours be earned between 09/01/2018-08/31/2019	Complete Application Online https://www.cookco untysheriff.org/dep artments/c-c-s-p- d/community- outreach/	open	Saturday, October 31, 2020
Cooke College Scholarshi p Program	Senior standing – Plan to graduate from a U.S. high school in spring 2021. Fall College Enrollment – Intend to enroll in an accredited four-year college beginning in fall 2021.	https://www.jkcf .org/our- scholarships/co llege- scholarship- program/how-	Up to \$40,000 per year	October 30, 2020, at 11:59 p.m., in your

	GPA – Earn a cumulative unweighted GPA of 3.5 or above. Income – Demonstrate unmet financial need. We will consider applicants with family income up to \$95,000. Last year's cohort of new college scholarship recipients had a median family income of approximately \$35,000. Test Policy – This year, the Cooke Foundation will not require applicants to submit test scores for the College Scholarship Program application, and we will be "test blind" in the review process.	to- apply/?SFMC_cid=EM377297- &rid=47755125 Apply with the common app! Applicants can add the Cooke College Scholar ship Program Application to their Common App.		local time zone.
Horatio Alger Scholarships	The Horatio Alger Scholarship Programs specifically assist high school students who have faced and overcome great obstacles in their young lives. While many programs are directed primarily to recognizing academic achievement or leadership potential, the Horatio Alger Association seeks students who have exhibited determination, integrity, and perseverance in overcoming adversity, as well as have critical financial need.	application.hora tioalger.org.	\$10,000 to \$25,000	October 25, 2020
Heismen Highschool Scholarship	-Have a cumulative weighted high school grade point average (GPA) of a B (3.0) or betterParticipate or have participated in grades 9, 10, or 11 in at least one of the 48 sports recognized by the International Olympic Committee in the Summer and Winter Olympic Games or the National Federation of State High School Association and sponsored by your schoolBe a leader in school and in the community and serve as a role model for underclassman.	APPLY ONLINE https://www.hei smanscholarshi papplication.co m/menu- home.aspx?co mp_id=A3FA10 29-AF88-452F- 9D78- F6079E626238	88 State Winners receive a \$500 scholarship. 10 National Finalists receive a \$1,000 scholarship. 2 National Winners receive a \$5,000 scholarship.	October 20, 2020

McDonald's® HACER® National Scholarship.	 ou're a high school senior You're a legal U.S. resident You're younger than 21 years old You carry a minimum 2.8 GPA You're eligible to attend a two- or four-year college or university with a full-time course of study You'll disclose other scholarship programs that you've applied for You'll enroll and attend an accredited institution in the academic year after your selection (verification needed, as scholarship funds are paid directly to the schools) You have at least one parent of Hispanic heritage 	Apply online https://www.mcdon alds.com/us/en- us/community/hace r.html	\$500,000 in scholarships every year	Winners are selected by May to June. (Check for emails by mid-February to find out if you are a semifinalist.)

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