

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

EL DIAMANTE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2018 SCHOLARSHIP WEBSITES

FastWeb: www.fastweb.com – Financial Aid & Scholarship Search
College Board: www.collegeboard.com – SAT/AP, College, Career, Scholarship Search
ACT: www.actstudent.org – ACT, College, Career, Scholarship Search
Hispanic Scholarship Fund: www.hsf.net – Scholarship search
Hispanic Access Foundation – www.hispanicaccess.org – Scholarship search
Latino College Dollars: www.latinocollegedollars.org – Scholarship search
Scholarships4Students: www.scholarships4students.com – Scholarship search
Scholarships 360: www.scholarships360.org – Scholarship search
Scholarship Mentor: www.scholarshipmentor.com – Scholarship search
Scholarships.com: www.scholarships.com – Scholarship search
Scholarships America: www.scholarshipsamerica.org – Scholarship search
FAFSA: www.fafsa.ed.gov – Free Application for Federal Student Aid

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DUE DATE	<u>SCHOLARSHIP</u>
10/18/17	<p>Dr Pepper Tuition Giveaway - October 18, 2017 (20 Awards - \$100,000)</p> <p>Eligibility: To be eligible for the Dr Pepper Tuition Giveaway all Entrants must be a U.S. legal resident. 20 GRAND PRIZES: A) Five (5) \$100,000 Tuition Prizes B) Five (5) Runner-Up Prizes \$25,000 C) Ten (10) Consolation Prizes \$2,500 More information and applications are available at: https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_dr_pepper_tuition_giveaway_9163.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201709&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02 </p>
10/25/17	<p>Horatio Alger Association Scholarship</p> <p>Eligibility Criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be enrolled full time as a high school senior in the United States; be progressing normally toward graduation in spring/summer of 2018 with plans to enter a college in the United States no later than the fall following graduation • Exhibit a strong commitment to pursue and complete a bachelor's degree at an accredited non-profit public or private institution in the United States (students may start their studies at a two-year institution and then transfer to a four-year institution) • Demonstrate critical financial need (\$55,000 or lower adjusted gross family

	<p>income is required)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be involved in co-curricular and community service activities • Display integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity • Maintain a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0; and • Be a United States citizen <p>More information and applications are available at: scholarships@horatioalger.org</p>
10/29/17	<p>YDI Scholarship (\$1000.00) Requirements for Eligibility: A) You must be a resident of any of the 50 United States, District of Columbia or US Territories B) You must be 16 years of age or older C) You must either be enrolled in a college/university or registered in a qualified high school D) You must be located within the United States</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_ydi_scholarship_9015.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
10/31/17	<p>Coca-Cola Scholarship - (150 Award - \$20,000) More information and applications are available at: http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_cocacola_scholarship_9001.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201708&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
10/31/17	<p>SP Scholarship - \$10,000 – 10 Awards (Deadline: October 31, 2017) To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Be a high school student planning to attend college in September 2018 B) Answer the Essay question on the sponsors website</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_sp_scholarships_8953.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
10/31/17	<p>VIP Voice Scholarships - \$5,000 – 1 Award (Deadline: October 31, 2017) To be eligible for the VIP Voice \$5000 scholarship you must: A) Must be at least 13 years of age or older. B) Submit your entry by 11:59 pm ET on the day of the deadline. C) You can submit multiple entries by following the instructions on the sponsors website.</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: https://www.studentsscholarships.org/scholarship/14185/vip_voice_5_000_scholarship_schaolarship.php</p>
10/31/17	<p>Pinot's Palette Scholarship - (1 Award - \$1,000) More information and applications are available at: http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_pinots_palette_scholarship_9159.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201709&utm_c</p>

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10/31/17	<p><u>Good360 Sustainability Scholarship – 1 Award - \$1,000</u></p> <p>What Does Sustainability Mean to You? Essay Answer To Accompany Photo (200-300 Words)</p> <p>Selection Criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 3.3 Minimum GPA To Apply - Must Be A High School Senior Applying To College Or Currently Attending College - Must Have An Interest In Environmentalism Or Sustainability <p>Photo On Instagram or Twitter: Caption Must Include #Good360 and essay answer for Instagram. Twitter post must include @Good360 and link to photo.</p> <p>More information and entry forms are available at:</p> <p>https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_good360_sustainability_scholarship_8957.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
10/31/17	<p><u>Stokes Educational Scholarship – 1 Award - \$30,000</u></p> <p>Eligibility:</p> <p>U.S. citizen</p> <p>Current applicant status:</p> <p>High school senior</p> <p>Major career interest:</p> <p>Computer/information sciences</p> <p>Engineering, computer</p> <p>Engineering, electrical/electronic</p> <p>Application Requirements:</p> <p>Recommendation(s)</p> <p>Essay</p> <p>Transcript</p> <p>Applicant must demonstrate:</p> <p>Character</p> <p>Leadership</p> <p>Patriotism</p> <p>Seriousness of purpose</p> <p>Service to others</p> <p>Proof of eligibility</p> <p>Academic achievement</p> <p>Other application requirements:</p> <p>Resume, SAT/ACT scores.</p> <p>Additional information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Current applications available September 1st through November 15th of each year. • Must submit online and hard copy applications. • Preference given to those with minimum 3.0 GPA, 1600 SAT score (reading and math) and/or 25 ACT score. • Must undergo polygraph and security screening.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Freshmen must major in computer science or electrical or computer engineering. • Awardees must work at NSA in area related to major for 12 weeks in summer and after graduation for at least one and a half times length of study. • If work debt not repaid, scholarship reverts to debt. • Tuition cap is \$30,000 per year. • See Website for current program information. <p>More information and applications are available at: https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_stokes_educational_scholarship_9168.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
<p>11/01/17</p>	<p><u>BE the Whale Scholarship - \$1,000.00</u> 2D original artwork California High School Students! We have chosen the "San Joaquin Kit Fox" as our Endangered Species for the State of California. The entry deadline for your artwork will be November 1st 2017. For any questions or info about this project visit our website or FB page. Good luck Students!!! One of you will win a \$1000.00 Art Scholarship! We can't wait to see all of your artwork entries. Please pick up an entry form in Student Services.</p> <p>More information and entry forms are available at: Facebook page: Be the whale Website: bethewhale.com Email: bethewhale@gmail.com</p>
<p>11/10/17</p>	<p><u>Maryknoll Scholarhship - \$1,000 – 6 Awards (Deadline: November 10, 2017)</u> To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Students grades 9-12 (Division II) qualify. Entries must be written in English, only one entry per student. Children f Maryknoll employees, associates and affiliates are not eligible.</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/12706/maryknoll_essay_contest_scholarship.php</p>
<p>11/15/17</p>	<p><u>Student Photography Scholarship - \$2,500 – 11 Awards (Deadline</u> To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) High school students applying for these scholarships must have completed one year at an accredited high school (student must therefore be a sophomore or older) and should have taken at least one photography or related art class.</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9451/student_photography_scholarships_scholarship.php</p>
<p>11/27/17</p>	<p><u>COS Foundation Scholarship</u> One application = access to hundreds of scholarships. Application deadline: November 27</p> <p>More information and applications are available at:</p>

	COS.edu/scholarships
11/30/17	<p><u>Siddhi Yoga Scholarship - (1 Award - \$1,000)</u></p> <p>More information and applications are available at: http://schoe=newsletter01&larshipguidance.com/scholarship_siddhi_yoga_scholarship_9160.php?&utm_sourcutm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201709&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
11/30/17	<p><u>StyleMann Young Professionals Scholarship - November 30, 2017 (1 Award - \$1,800)</u></p> <p>There are an incredible amount of talented students out there and we want to hear from them! The aim of the StyleMann Young Professionals Scholarship is to give students the opportunity to demonstrate their writing talents and win an award for them.</p> <p>To be eligible for the scholarship a student must:</p> <p>For the scholarship, you need to submit a 1000-1500 words article "How Fashion Industry Changed E-commerce And Its Impact On Us". You can write about its positive, negative or neutral changes.</p> <p>Eligibility:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Participants must be students of any educational institution in any location. Academic level and major do not matter. 2) Each student must write an essay. <p>More information and applications are available at: https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_stylemann_young_professionals_scholarship_9164.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201709&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
11/30/17	<p><u>Sixt Scholars - \$5,000 – 5 Awards (Deadline: November 20, 2017)</u></p> <p>Sixt rent a car has established a scholarship program to assist high school students who plan to continue their education in college. Scholarships are offered each year for full-time study at an accredited institution of the student's choice.</p> <p>This scholarship program is administered by Scholarship America®, the nation's largest designer and manager of scholarship, tuition assistant and other education support programs for corporations, foundations, associations and individuals.</p> <p>Awards are granted without regard to race, color, creed, religion, sexual orientation, gender, disability or national origin.</p> <p>Eligibility</p> <p>Applicants to the Sixt Scholars Program must –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be graduating high school seniors within the United States. • Plan to enroll in full time undergraduate study at an accredited two year or four year college or university for the entire 2018-2019 academic year. • Have a minimum grade point average of 3.7 on a 4.0 scale (or its equivalent). <p>More information and applications are available at: https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10645/sixt_scholars_scholarship.php</p>
11/30/17	<p><u>Andrew Flushe Scholarship - \$2,000 – 5 Awards</u></p> <p>ELIGIBILITY:</p>

	<p>The following people are eligible for the scholarship:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school seniors who have been accepted into a college, university, or trade school. • Students who are currently enrolled in a college, university, or trade school. • You must be a citizen or lawful resident of the United States in order to apply <p>More information and applications are available at: https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_andrew_flushe_scholarship_9010.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
11/30/17	<p>Guidance Tech Leaders Scholarship - November 30, 2017 (1 Award - \$1,000) More information and applications are available at: https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_guidance_tech_leaders_scholarship_9167.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
11/30/17	<p>Griswold Home Care - Award Amount: \$1,000 annually, non-renewable. Recipients: Two awards offered annually, one per deadline.</p> <p>Deadline Info: Applications and information about this award can be found online at the Griswold Home Care website using the link provided. To be considered for this award, eligible students must submit an online ... sign up for full scholarship deadline information.</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_griswold_home_care_scholarship_9169.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
12/1/17	<p>HSC Home Warranty Scholarship - \$2,000 – 1 Award Applicant Eligibility Requirements for the HSC Home Warranty Scholarship: A) Open to high school seniors or college students who are legal residents of the United States B) Scholarship payable to the winner who should be living in the United States C) Student must enroll in semester beginning no later than Winter 2018 D) Winner is not based on financial need E) Relatives of Home Service Club staff may not enter F) Home-schooled students may apply so long as your course of study is equivalent to a high school senior G) Applicants required to submit a video (see "Make A Video" tab for details)</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/14465/hsc_home_warranty_scholarship_scholarship.php</p>
12/1/17	<p>Barbara Lotze Schoalrships for Teachers - \$2,000 – 5 Awards To be eligible for the scholarship a student must:</p>

	<p>A) An undergraduate student enrolled in an accredited two-year college, four-year college or a university: or a high school senior accepted for such enrollment.</p> <p>B) Pursuing, or planning to pursue , a course of study leading toward a career in physics teaching in the high schools.</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_barbara_lotze_scholarships_9013.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
<p>12/1/17</p>	<p><u>National Space Club Scholarship - \$10,000 – 1 Award</u></p> <p>Conditions of Eligibility</p> <p>A) The applicant must be a U.S. citizen.</p> <p>B) The scholarship is open to seniors in high school through graduate students.</p> <p>C) The applicant must have the intention of pursuing a career in the STEM fields and plan to attend an accredited U.S. college or university to follow a course of study to pursue a career in the STEM field, with a preference for those with space related interests.</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_national_space_club_scholarship_9014.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
<p>12/1/17</p>	<p><u>Look Twice, Save a Life Scholarship - December 1, 2017 (1 Award - \$1,000)</u></p> <p>How to Apply</p> <p>1) Create a form of social awareness that inspires other students to focus on Looking Twice for Motorcycle Safety. This can be a video, artwork, essay or anything that would engage other students to focus on safe driving.</p> <p>2) Once you have completed Step 1, please proceed to fill out the application in our contact form below.</p> <p>3) Submit a link to your video, artwork, essay or creative element of your choice in the final step of the application form.</p> <p>Qualifications</p> <p>A) Current college student or anyone planning on attending college (or another form of higher education) in the upcoming school year.</p> <p>B) Student must have a valid driver's license.</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_look_twice_save_a_life_scholarship_9027.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
<p>12/1/17</p>	<p><u>Lamber-Goodnow Scholarships – (8 Awards - \$1,000)</u></p> <p>The Lamber-Goodnow Injury Law Team (an award winning personal injury law firm in Phoenix) awards several academic scholarships to students pursuing undergraduate and graduate degrees in a range of programs and schools. Follow the links below to find out more about each of our</p>

	<p>scholarship opportunities: College Scholarship - Two for \$1,000 each Nursing Scholarship - One for \$1,000 Law School Scholarship - One for \$1,000 Medical School Scholarship - One for \$1,000 Physical Therapist / Occupational Therapist Scholarship - One for \$1,000 Summer College Scholarship - One for \$1000 Summer Law School Scholarship - One for \$1000</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_lambergoodnow_scholarships_9170.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
<p>12/15/17</p>	<p><u>Burger King Scholarship - (10 Awards - \$50,000)</u> Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be living in the United States, Canada or Puerto Rico • Be graduating high school seniors (U.S. and Puerto Rico), graduating from grade 12 (Canada) or graduating from home school education in the U.S., Puerto Rico or Canada • Have a cumulative high school grade point average of 2.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale, or the equivalent • Plan to enroll full-time, without interruption, for the entire 2018-19 academic year at an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school in the U.S., Canada or Puerto Rico <p>More information and applications are available at: http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_burger_king_scholarship_9020.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201709&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
<p>12/31/17</p>	<p><u>NRA Scholarships – December 31, 2017 (4 Awards - \$1,000)</u> Eligibility: The contest is open to all students enrolled, or who will be enrolled, in an elementary, junior high, or high school during the 2017-2018 academic year, including homeschooled students in an equivalent grade level, who have not previously received a prize in their category. For example, a previous winner in the junior category, who is now eligible for the senior category, may submit an entry. Format and Contents: All essays should be about 1,000 words, neat, and legible (double spaced, typed preferred). The fund historically receives a large number of entries and the contest is highly competitive. Include your name, age, address, telephone number, school, and grade as well as a statement from a teacher or parent certifying that the essay is your original work.</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_nra_scholarships_9009.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>

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12/31/17	<p><u>Thiel Fellowship – (30 Awards - \$1,00,000)</u></p> <p>Founded by technology entrepreneur and investor Peter Thiel in 2011, the Thiel Fellowship is a two-year program for young people who want to build new things. Thiel Fellows skip or stop out of college to receive a \$100,000 grant and support from the Thiel Foundation's network of founders, investors, and scientists. Between 20-30 Fellows are selected annually. You do not need a pitch deck to apply, but it helps. A short deck or prospectus is a great way to state clearly and concisely what you're working on. You may apply for the fellowship if you are in school, though if you're selected you'll need to stop out in order to accept the Fellowship. There is no application deadline since we accept rolling applications and review them as they coming in. For more information or to apply, please visit the scholarship provider's website.</p> <p>More information and applications are available at:</p> <p>https://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_thiel_fellowship_9171.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201710&utm_content=ef3cb5584ba2064c7cdb352021a3aa02</p>
2/1/18	<p><u>California State PTA Scholarship</u></p> <p>\$750 Volunteer Service Scholarship — This scholarship recognizes graduating seniors for their volunteer service in schools and communities, allowing them to register for courses at accredited colleges, universities, trade or technical schools. Applicants must be PTA members graduating from a California high school between January 1 and June 30 of the current academic year.</p> <p><u>Apply online at capta.org</u></p> <p>Applications, reference forms and all supporting documents must be received in the California State PTA office by February 1. All applicants are notified of their status in March. Scholarship winners receive a letter of congratulations and recognition certificate from California State PTA along with a check. For questions and more information, please contact the California State PTA Scholarship and Grant Chairman at grants@capta.org</p>
2/1/18	<p><u>California State PTA Scholarship</u></p> <p>\$500 Dr. Ralph E. White Graduating Senior Scholarship – Honoring the volunteer and public-service legacy of Dr. Ralph E. White and his wife, Eleanor, this additional scholarship provides \$500 each to two successful applicants of the Volunteer Service Scholarship who intend to pursue a career in a medical field.</p> <p><u>Apply online at capta.org</u></p> <p>Applications, reference forms and all supporting documents must be received in the California State PTA office by February 1. All applicants are notified of their status in March. Scholarship winners receive a letter of congratulations and recognition certificate from California State PTA along with a check. For questions and more</p>

	<p>information, please contact the California State PTA Scholarship and Grant Chairman at grants@capta.org</p>
<p>3/31/18</p>	<p><u>Ray Jones Scholarship Fund</u></p> <p>The RAY JONES SCHOLARSHIP FUND provides financial assistance to selected California Indian students graduating from a central valley high school and pursuing a postsecondary degree. Five scholarship awards of \$2,500 each will be awarded to selected applicants seeking a postsecondary degree at a two or four-year college, university, or vocational- technical school. One \$5,000 scholarship will be awarded to a selected applicant seeking a bachelor's degree from a four year college or university.</p> <p>Eligibility Criteria: Eligible applicants must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Be a California Indian descent 2. Be a graduating senior in good standing with a minimum 2.0 G.P.A 3. Graduate from high school in Merced, Mariposa, Madera, Fresno, Kings, or Tulare County 4. Demonstrate financial need 5. Seek enrollment in a postsecondary degree program at an accredited two or four year college, university, or vocational- technical school <p>Applications are available in the Student Services Office.</p>
<p>4/30/18</p>	<p><u>Student Tour Deals Scholarship</u></p> <p>Scholarship Value: \$500</p> <p>Eligibility Criteria: To be considered eligible for the Student Tour Deals Scholarships you must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A) Be attending college/university no later than the fall of 2019 B) Have a GPA of 2.75 or greater. C) Be a resident of the United States or Canada D) Write an essay that is less than 1000 Words on a topic chosen by the sponsor <p>The essay must contain two essential elements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The essay must provide a thesis statement (in the introductory paragraph). It must be clear and coherent, and it must answer the question that has been put forth on the application. 2. The essay must follow basic rules of format and grammar. Every paper must contain a beginning (introductory paragraph), a middle (several supporting paragraphs that comprise the body of the paper), and an end (concluding paragraph). Grammar is vital for essay composition. Sentence fragments, misspellings, and improper punctuation denote a carelessly-written and poorly-conceived paper. <p>Essay Question: Why do you feel it's important to travel before starting your career? (Please ensure your essay does not exceed 1000 words.)</p> <p>More information and applications are available at: https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/14419/student_tour_deals_scholar</p>

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5/22/18	<p><u>B. Davis Scholarship - \$1,000</u></p> <p>This Scholarship is available to all high school juniors and seniors as well as all students currently registered in any post-secondary institution.</p> <p>Criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• There is no age restriction• Be sure to include your name and the school you are attending this year and next• This is not an academic scholarship but we would like to know where you are going to school now and what your future academic plans are. <p>Please do not send transcripts or letters of recommendation at this time.</p> <p><u>More information and applications are available at:</u></p> <p>http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarhsips.htm</p>