# SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

# EL DIAMANTE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2019 SCHOLARSHIP WEBSITES

FastWeb: <u>www.fastweb.com</u> – Financial Aid & Scholarship Search

College Board: <a href="https://www.collegeboard.com">www.collegeboard.com</a> – SAT/AP, College, Career, Scholarship Search

ACT: <u>www.actstudent.org</u> – ACT, College, Career, Scholarship Search

Hispanic Scholarship Fund: www.hsf.net - Scholarship search

Hispanic Access Foundation – <u>www.hispanicaccess.org</u> – Scholarship search Latino College Dollars: <u>www.latinocollegedollars.org</u> – Scholarship search Student Scholarships: <u>www.studentscholarships.org/newsletter.php</u> - Search Scholarships4Students: <u>www.scholarships4students.com</u> – Scholarship search

Scholarships 360: <u>www.scholarships360.org</u> – Scholarship search

Scholarship Mentor: <u>www.scholarshipmentor.com</u> – Scholarship search

Scholarships.com: <u>www.scholarships.com</u> – Scholarship search

Scholarships America: <u>www.scholarshipsamerica.org</u> – Scholarship search

FAFSA: www.fafsa.ed.gov - Free Application for Federal Student Aid

Senior Learning Director: Larry Buenafe e-mail: <a href="mailto:lbuenafe@vusd.org">lbuenafe@vusd.org</a> phone: 735-3513

DUE DATE	<u>SCHOLARSHIP</u>				
2/15/2019	Flavorful Futures Scholarship  We are looking for fun and unique candidates for our Flavorful Futures Scholarship.  Sparkling Ice® is awarding FIVE \$5,000 scholarships to eligible high school seniors who are planning their bright and colorful futures. If this sounds like one of your students, tell them to apply today!				
	Amount: FIVE \$5,000 scholarships				
	Qualifications:				
	<ul> <li>Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent legal resident of the United States.</li> <li>Must be a high school senior graduating between August 1, 2018 and July 31, 2019.</li> <li>Must have a cumulative high school grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.5</li> </ul>				
	on a 4-point scale (high school/home school seniors).  • We support applicants in a vocational/trade, 2-year, or 4-year program.				
	How to apply: flavorfulfutures.com				
	Deadline: February 15, 2019. Winners will be announced in Spring 2019.				

## 2/15/2019

# **Tulare County School Boards Association Scholarship**

A senior will be chosen from each Tulare County high school.

## **Amount:**

\$350

#### **Qualifications:**

- Cumulative GPA of 2.75 or better
- Good citizenship
- Participation in extracurricular activities
- Community involvement
- Enroll in an accredited institution of higher learning (fall semester following graduation)

## How to apply:

Pick up an application in the Student Services office and return the completed application packet to Student Services as well.

#### **Deadline:**

**February 15th, 2019** 

#### 2/15/2019

# The Scholarships for Military Children

This program is celebrating its 19<sup>th</sup> year of outreach to the military community. Each year the program, supported through the military commissary system and administered by the Fisher House Foundation, awards hundreds of scholarships to qualified seniors planning to enroll in a four-year program of studies the following fall, or to college students already enrolled in a four-year program.

#### Amount:

At least one \$2,000 scholarship is awarded at every commissary location with a qualified applicant.

#### **Qualifications:**

Program is open to sons and daughters of active duty, reserve/guard, or retired military commissary customers. Recipient must be enrolled or planning to enroll full-time in a four-year undergraduate college or university, accredited in the U. S or a two-year community college. They must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 basis.

# How to apply:

www.militaryscholar.org

#### **Deadline:**

# Applications must be submitted by **February 15, 2019.**

## 2/15/2019

## Ruiz 4 Kids

#### **Qualifications:**

- Must be a graduating Senior in High School
- Plan to attend one of the following; a 4-Year College/University, Community College or Trade School
- Maintain an overall GPA of 3.0 if attending a 4-year college/university
- Maintain an overall GPA of 2.5 if attending a Trade School or Community College
- Your school district is within the following radius: California-35-mile radius from Dinuba or Tulare

## How to apply/Deadline:

Download and complete the Ruiz 4 Kids 2019 High School Scholarship Application found on our website <a href="www.ruiz4kids.org">www.ruiz4kids.org</a>. Mail completed application to the address below with a **postmark of no later than February**, **15**, **2019**. Only typed submissions will be accepted.

Ruiz 4 Kids

Attn: Scholarship Program

PO Box 37

Dinuba, CA 93618

# Applications are also available in Student Services.

## 2/28/2019

## **New E-commerce Scholarship**

The Internet has changed our lives in many aspects. Whatever you're looking to buy, whether it is a matte screen guard or any other accessories – the internet will help you. Our aim is to help our customers to find the best product, anything from best usb c cable to the best apple MacBook 13 inch touch bar.

So, we wish to extend our love and passion to everyone, across the globe, in a better way. Our obligation is to ensure people get the best services. Therefore, we have scholarships program to the deserving students.

As the effort to promote future education, we have started to offer a \$1500 scholarship to one student per year. This will be offered based on merit for students. (https://www.moarmouz.com/pages/scholarship)

#### **Amount:**

\$1500

#### **Qualifications:**

We only accept applicants who show proof that they are studying and enrolled in

an accredited school/university. You must be at least seventeen years old to apply, so the ages are really open to just about anyone. The scholarship contest is considered as an international, so don't feel like your school/university might not be considered for its location. Moreover, Terms and conditions apply.

## How to apply:

## We want the applicants to write a 600 words essay on the following:

Why is e-commerce good for the growth of the business? Tell us about the new business ideas that could cope well in the e-commerce world? How can these new ideas be beneficial to customers and make their life easier? Are you currently working on any idea that would ease the working of e-commerce professionals on daily basis?

Once you completed your work, please send it to the following email address: scholarships@moarmouz.com

Your submission should also include the following items:

- o An image copy or PDF of your current student ID (make sure it's not expired).
- Personal information like the name in full, residential and telephone among others, the name of the school and your area of study.
- A 600 words essay which answers the questions that we have mentioned above. The main point of the scholarship is to understand what type of ideas you have in terms of e-commerce development. We encourage you to get as descriptive as possible.
- Please submit all of the documents in PDF form. We prefer formatting to be in Arial, 12-point font and double-spaced.

#### **Deadline:**

Application deadline: 28th of Feb 2019

Scholarship winner announced: **3rd of March 2019** 

#### 3/1/2019

# **Lorna Cheng Memorial Scholarship**

The family of Lorna Cheng has felt a desire to establish scholarship funds to memorialize Lorna's productive life.

#### Amount:

Two \$1,000 scholarships

#### **Qualifications:**

- A Chinese student majoring in science or ministry.
- Any student indicating need, area of chosen study and deserving of a scholarship.

# How to apply:

Applications are available in **Student Services**.

	Deadline: Applications must be mailed by March 1, 2019.				
3/1/2019	Sons of Norway – Stordalen Lodge Scholarship				
	<b>Amount</b> : Two \$200 scholarships. The scholarship will be paid to the student recipient at the Lodge's April meeting, April 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2019.				
	<ul> <li>Qualifications:</li> <li>Has a cumulative 3.0 GPA. Include a copy of transcript to verify.</li> <li>Personal references must be signed and delivered in sealed envelopes.</li> <li>Applicant must be a senior in one of the following communities: Tulare, Visalia, Hanford, Lemoore, or Porterville.</li> <li>Graduating from high school in 2019.</li> <li>Will be attending an accredited institution of higher learning in the fall of 2019.</li> </ul>				
	How to apply: Applications are available in <u>Student Services</u> .				
	Deadline: Applications must be postmarked no later than March 1, 2019.				
3/1/2019	Sons of Italy Western Foundation  The Grand Lodge of California, Order Sons and Daughters of Italy in America, announces the availability of scholarships for graduating seniors in the Class of 2019.				
	<ul> <li>Qualifications:</li> <li>Applicant must be wholly or partially of Italian descent</li> <li>Applicant MUST BE enrolled in an accredited Trade School, College, University or Community College in the fall of 2019.</li> </ul>				
	How to apply: www.osiaca.org				
	Applications are available in <b>Student Services</b> .				
	Deadline: Applications must be mailed in or completed online at the link above by March 1, 2019.				

3/1/2019

**Tulare County Farm Bureau** 

The Tulare County Farm Bureau Scholarship program was organized to give scholarships annually based on academic achievement, leadership skills and need. Note, not all awards may be given each year and are contingent upon available funding and applicant pool. Below are the requirements:

#### Amount:

Ranges from \$500-2,500

## **Qualifications:**

- Student must attend high school currently or have graduated from a high school in Tulare County
- Undergraduate and Graduate students may be considered.
- Must complete and return application
- Must submit two distinct letters of recommendation
- Must submit a copy of current school transcripts by March 1 deadline. \*\*\*
   See Frequently Asked Questions for more info.
- Student must be able to attend an in-person interview with selection committee.

## How to apply:

http://www.tulcofb.org/documents/Application%202018%20fill%20in.pdf

## **Deadline:**

Complete application and send it in by mail or through email by March 1, 2019.

## 3/1/2019

# The Tulare County Dairy Children Scholarship

#### **Qualifications**:

- Senior graduating high school
- Must be a resident of Tulare County
- Must plan on attending a 2 or 4 year college
- Must have parent currently employed on a dairy
- Must have a GPA of 3.0 or better
- Children of the dairy owners are not eligible

# How to apply/Deadline:

Applications must be EMAILED by <u>March 1, 2019</u> to <u>Melissa.gomes@farmcreditwest.com</u>

# **Applications are available in Student Services**.

## 3/1/2019

# **Tulare County Cattlemen's Association Scholarship**

The Tulare County Cattlemen's Association is offering scholarships based on academic achievement, agricultural involvement and leadership skills. Below are the

requirements for applicants and a list of available scholarships.

#### Amount:

- Art Tarbell Memorial Scholarship \$1500
- Robert Travioli Memorial Scholarship \$1500
- Multiple other scholarships in various amounts up to \$1000 per scholarship will be awarded to qualified students.

## **Qualifications**:

- Student must attend school currently, or have graduated from a high school in Tulare County to be eligible.
- Undergraduate and Graduate Students are eligible to apply.
- Application must be completed and postmarked by the due date of March 1, 2019

## **How to apply/Deadline:**

If your application is not complete and postmarked by **March 1**, **2019** it will not be considered.

# **Applications are available in Student Services**.

#### 3/1/2019

## The Tulare County Dairy Women Scholarship

## **Qualifications**:

- Senior graduating high school
- Must be a resident of Tulare County
- Must plan on attending a 2 or 4 year college
- Must have a career goal that relates to agriculture industry
- Must have a GPA of 3.0 or better
- Applicants that have previously been awarded this scholarship are not eligible

## How to apply:

Applications are available in **Student Services**.

#### **Deadline:**

Applications must be EMAILED by March 1, 2019 to

# Melissa.gomes@farmcreditwest.com

## 3/1/2019

# **Tulare County Farm Bureau Scholarship**

The Tulare County Farm Bureau Scholarship program was organized to give scholarships annually based on academic achievement, leadership skills and need.

Below are the requirements for applicants:

## Qualifications:

- Must attend high school currently or have graduated from a high school in Tulare County
- Undergraduate and graduate students may be considered for awards
- Must complete and return application (PDF form by email or paper version by mail)
- Must submit two letters of recommendation (from different individuals)
- Must submit a copy of current school transcript with application (prior to March 1)
- Student must attend an in-person interview with the selection committee

## How to apply:

Applications are available in **Student Services** and PDF applications are available at: <a href="https://www.tulcofb.org">www.tulcofb.org</a>.

#### **Deadline:**

Applications must be emailed or mailed by March 1, 2019.

## 3/1/2019

## **Dick Watson STEM Scholarship**

One stem scholarship will be awarded to a boy and one will be awarded to a girl.

## Amount:

\$2,000

#### **Qualifications**:

- Must attend a VUSD high school for at least two years
- Must plan on pursuing a career in Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics
- Must be accepted and planning to attend a four year accredited university/college
- Must graduate in good standing with a grade point average of 3.8 or higher
- Must demonstrate excellence and/or leadership in one or more extracurricular activities during time at a Visalia public high school. Examples: Varsity sport captain or MVP, Multiple Varsity sports, notable achievements in the Arts, recognition for excellence in academic competition (math club, science fair, design contest, etc.)
- Must be someone who will be obtaining a four year degree
- Must maintain a 2.5 or higher G.P.A. over the first year in college

## **Selection Process:**

Scholarships are awarded through a competitive review process. Applications will be judged using the following criteria:

• 35% Activities

- 20% Test Scores (SAT or ACT)
- 20% GPA and rigor of classes
- 10% Written statement
- 10% Letters of Recommendation
- 5% Financial Need

Only two applicants, one female and one male, will receive an award each year.

## How to apply:

The application can be found at the following link:

http://www.visaliarcfoundation.org/sites/default/files/Scholarship/Watson.pdf

Applications are also available in **Student Services**.

#### **Deadline:**

Applications must be taken in or mailed by 12:00 PM on March 1, 2019.

## 3/1/2019

# **Provident Salierno Family Foundation Music Scholarship**

A scholarship for students who are interested in a music career.

#### Amount:

\$1,000

## **Qualifications**:

- The student must pursue an education in the field of music.
- The applicant must be a graduating senior from one of the following high school: Redwood High School Mt. Whitney High School Golden West High School El Diamante High School Tulare Union High School.
- The applicant must graduate with an overall G.P.A. of 2.8 or greater.
- The applicant must maintain a 2.8 or greater G.P.A. their last semester.
- The applicant should come from a low to middle income family.
- The applicant must be enrolled in an eligible institution of education for the next semester.
- The applicant must maintain a 2.8 or higher G.P.A.
- Applicant must show their identification and Social Security card to the Foundation representative.
- Scholarships are NOT transferable to another eligible institution of education, unless that institution provides a curriculum that your first school does not offer. (E.g. You start at C.O.S. and transfer to another school to finish your four year degree)

#### **Selection Process:**

Scholarships are awarded through a competitive review process. Applications will be judged using the following criteria:

- 50% GPA
- 20% Written Statement

- 15% Activities
- 10% Letters of Recommendation
- 5% Financial Need

One applicant per eligible school will receive an award. The offer of a scholarship is valid only during the academic period for which the offer is made. A scholarship is not transferable to another eligible institution of education.

## How to apply:

The application can be found at the following link: <a href="http://www.visaliarcfoundation.org/sites/default/files/Scholarship/Salierno.pdf">http://www.visaliarcfoundation.org/sites/default/files/Scholarship/Salierno.pdf</a>

Applications are also available in **Student Services**.

#### **Deadline:**

Applications must be taken in or mailed by 12:00 PM on March 1, 2019.

## 3/1/2019

# **Tulare County Cattlewomen Scholarship**

The Tulare County Cattlewomen are currently offering scholarships based on academic achievement and leadership skills. Students must be planning to pursue an education in the agriculture industry with a livestock emphasis. Below are the requirements for applicants and a list of available scholarships.

#### **Amount:**

\$1,500 – Marian Guthrie Memorial Scholarship

\$1,000 – 3 additional scholarships in this amount will be awarded to students planning to major in the field of agriculture preferably with a livestock emphasis

#### **Qualifications:**

- Student must attend school (college or Jr. College) currently, or have graduated from a high school in Tulare County to be eligible.
- Undergraduate and Graduate Students are eligible to apply.
- Student must major in an agriculture field with a livestock emphasis highly preferred
- Must complete and return application by the due date of March 1, 2019 (postmarked)
- Please see attached forms for further instructions and requirements. If your application is not complete it will not be considered.

# How to apply:

Mail completed application packet to the address below:

Tulare County Cattlewomen/Cattlemen Scholarship Committee C/O Judie Church

18905 Rd 216 Strathmore, CA 93267 559-359-3586

#### **Deadline:**

Must complete and return application by the due date of **March 1, 2019** (postmarked)

Applications are available in **Student Services**.

#### 3/2/2019

## Fresno Pacific University-Schuil Family Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 2001 to provide financial aid to students wishing to attend Fresno Pacific University. Schuil and Associates, Inc. established this endowed scholarship as part of their commitment to Christian higher education.

#### Amount:

\$500

#### **Qualifications:**

- Students who are incoming freshmen from Immanuel High School in Reedley, Kingsburg High School in Kingsburg, Central Valley Christian High School, El Diamante High School and Redwood High School all in Visalia.
- Continuing sophomore, junior or senior students from the above designated high schools;
- Student athletes must meet NCAA Division II Regulations for scholarships;
- Evidence of Christian commitment to the Lordship of Christ in their life and have demonstrated a heart for service;
- Personal character reflects the moral and ethical standards of Fresno Pacific University.
- GPA of 2.5+
- Financial Need

# How to apply:

https://scholarships.fresno.edu/scholarship/schuil-family-endowed-scholarship

#### **Deadline:**

March 2, 2018

#### 3/8/2019

# **California Association of Winegrape Growers Foundation**

At least two four-year scholarships worth \$8,000 each and four two-year scholarships worth \$2,000 each will be awarded to qualifying students in 2019. Students may study the subject of their choice at any campus within the University of California system. California State University system or California Community College system.

#### Amount:

Two four-year scholarships worth \$8,000 each and four two-year scholarships worth \$2,000 each will be awarded to qualifying student.

#### **Qualifications**:

- Be graduating from high school and planning to attend a California four-year university/state college or a two-year community college in the fall;
- Have a parent or legal guardian who was employed by a California winegrape grower during the current or past growing season;
- Complete the application;
- Attach an official high school transcript;
- Provide a letter of recommendation from an instructor, school principal or counselor that includes their signature and provides the address, telephone number and position held at the school;
- Submit a 500 word essay (approximately 2 pages, see application for details);
- Attach a copy of your SAT or ACT results if you are applying for a 4-year

# How to apply:

http://cawgfoundation.org/

Applications are also available in **Student Services.** 

#### **Deadline:**

Postmarked by March 8, 2018

#### 3/8/2019

Visalia Education Foundation Scholarships

#### Amount:

\$250-\$7500

#### **Qualifications:**

• Must be a Visalia Unified School District Senior

## How to apply:

http://www.visaliaedfoundation.org/student-scholarships.html

Applications are also available in **Student Services**.

#### **Deadline:**

Application must be received by 5 PM on Friday, March 8th, 2019

## 3/8/2019 Robert Miller Scholarship

Bob's enthusiasm for building a world-class wine region will be perpetuated by investing in the future of young people from the Central Coast who want to make their career in the Central Coast grape and wine industry.

#### Amount:

Each year either a \$500 (for Alan Hancock Community College) or a \$1,000 (for Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo) scholarship will be awarded.

## **Qualifications:**

- Be a Central Coast high school senior or a student enrolled at Alan Hancock Community College or Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo;
- Plan to major or are majoring in viticulture or enology at either Alan Hancock Community College or Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo;
- Complete the application form;
- Attach official high school transcript and/or most current class enrollment and transcript forms:
- Attach a copy of your SAT or ACT results if you are applying for Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo;
- Provide a letter of recommendation from an instructor, the school principal or counselor (high school applicants) or college instructor, counselor or administrator (current Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo applicants). The letter should be signed and provide the address, telephone number and position held in the school.
- Submit a 500 word essay (approximately two pages, see application for details).

# How to apply:

http://cawgfoundation.org/robert-miller-memorial-scholarship/

Applications are also available in **Student Services.** 

## **Deadline:**

Postmarked by March 8, 2019

## 3/15/2019

Kiwanis Division 18 Agriculture & Conservation Scholarship

#### Amount:

Varies

#### **Qualifications:**

- GPA of 2.5 or better
- Citizenship
- Community involvement
- Extra-curricular activities
- Must have specific agriculture-related goals

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	How to apply: Applications are available in <u>Student Services</u> .  Deadline:				
	<u>March 15, 2019</u>				
3/15/2019	Kiwanis Division 18 Key Club Scholarship				
	Amount: Varies				
	Qualifications:				
	GPA of 2.5 or better				
	Citizenship				
	Community involvement				
	Extra-curricular activities				
	<ul> <li>Must be a Key Club member within Kiwanis Division 18</li> </ul>				
	How to apply:				
	Applications are available in <b>Student Services</b> .				
	Deadline:				
	March 15, 2019				
3/15/2019	Cabrillo Civic Clubs of California Scholarship				
	Amount:				
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	Applications are also available in <u>Student Services.</u>				
	Deadline:				
	Postmarked by March 15, 2019				
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## **Qualifications:**

- Student must be currently enrolled in 6 units within a nursery-related program
- Legibility is critical (12-point type preferred but no smaller than a 10-point No unusual fonts)
- Grades are important, but a B student who participates in horticulture related activities may be selected over the A student who does not participate in FFA, 4-H, horticulture club, or related activities
- Current school year letters of recommendation are important. Sources to contact for three letters are noted on the application. Email letters of recommendation are not accepted.
- Current transcripts need to be included with the application. Please make sure your students understand that computer-generated transcripts (not printed by the school's admissions office) must be signed by the horticulture instructor.
- Applications postmarked after March 15th, 2019 will not be considered.

# How to apply:

Applications can be found online <u>www.cangc.org</u> and are also available in <u>Student</u> Services.

## Deadline:

March 15th, 2019

## 3/15/2019

## **Italian Catholic Federation Scholarship**

Since 1964, the Italian Catholic Federation has awarded over \$2,000,000.00 in scholarships to more than 6,000 high school students, of the Catholic faith, attending college.

#### Amount:

First year scholarships in the amount of **\$400** will be awarded to approximately 200 applicants. First year scholarship winners are eligible for second, third, and fourth year awards of **\$500**, **\$600**, and **\$1,000** respectively.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Students must achieve a total cumulative GPA (3½ years) of at least 3.2 and meet one of the following:
- Are Roman Catholic and of Italian Descent and live within the Roman Catholic Dioceses of Arizona, California, Illinois and Nevada, only where Branches of the Federation are established; or,
- Are Roman Catholic but need not be of Italian Descent or live where Branches of the Federation are established if either Roman Catholic parent, guardian or grandparent is a member of the "Italian Catholic Federation."

## How to apply:

https://www.icf.org/scholarships/

#### **Deadline:**

March 15, 2019

## 3/22/2019

## **Proteus Scholarship**

## **Applicant Criteria:**

- Applicant family must be low income: Please refer to attached Poverty Guidelines (attached)
- Applicant and/or their parents must have received a service from Proteus within the last 4 years.
- Must live in either: Kern, Kings, Fresno, or Tulare Counties
- Your enrollment status must be full time for 2019-2020 school year.
- Plan to attend a two or four-year College, or an accredited Post -secondary institute.
- Student not eligible to apply for scholarship are: Proteus employees or their immediate relatives.

## **Requirements:**

- Scholarship Application Form must be signed by applicant/ parent or legal guardian if under the age of 18.
- Typed Personal Statement
- Two letters of recommendation
- Completed application and attachments must be postmarked by March 22, 2019.
- If awarded and prior to scholarship disbursement an enrollment and payment verification will be requested to demonstrate full-time college enrollment.

# Amount:

## \$500

## **Application packets must include:**

- Cover page
- Personal Statement
- Two letters of recommendation
- Completed Application

## How to apply:

Applications are available in **Student Services**.

#### **Deadline:**

Applications must be received at the Proteus Administration Office by March 29,

**2019**. However, if you choose to mail your application, the envelope must be postmarked no later than **April 1st, 2019**.

## 3/29/2019

## **Caltrans District 6 Scholarship**

This year the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) District 6, is pleased to announce the Twelfth Annual Caltrans Scholarships. Students graduating from local high schools in Fresno, Madera, Kings, Kern or Tulare counties are eligible and encouraged to apply.

#### Amount:

We are pleased to offer a total of six (6) scholarships ranging up to **\$2,000**. Four (4) Caltrans District 5/Central Region Transportation Scholarships are available to high school students who pursue a career in a transportation field. Applicants will have the opportunity to be selected for a \$1,000 or a \$2,000 scholarship. Two (2) Caltrans District 6/Central Region Employee Family Scholarships are available for high school students related to a current, former, or retired Caltrans District 6 employee to be selected for a \$1,000 or a \$2,000 scholarship.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Be a graduating High School Senior from District 6/Central Region (Fresno, Kern, Kings, Madera, and Tulare counties)
- Possess a GPA of 2.5 or better
- Plan to attend a university or junior college, or trade school
- Plan to pursue a career in one of the following fields or other related transportation field (Accounting, Anthropology, Archaeology, Animal or Plant Biology, Business Administration, Communications, Construction, Electrical, Engineering, Environmental Science, Equipment Operations, Graphic Design, Human Resources, Information Technology, Landscape Architecture, Legal, Planning, Project Management, Real Estate, Surveying)

# How to apply:

http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist6/

Applications are also available in **Student Services**.

#### **Deadline:**

Postmarked by *March 29, 2019* 

## 3/29/2019

## **Self-Help Enterprises Program**

This program is available to students who plan to enroll full time (12 units or more) in a vocational or trade school, community college or four-year university. Scholarship recipients must submit verification of enrollment prior to disbursement of funds.

The following must be received by Friday, March 29, 2019:

- The scholarship application form
- A 1-2 page essay discussing family background, future goals and aspirations, and how the scholarship award will help achieve those goals
- A copy of the high school or college transcript
- Two letters of recommendation

# How to apply:

Applications are available in **Student Services** and at the following website: www.selfhelpenterprises.org, under the "Get Involved" tab.

# Scholarship Application Deadline: Friday, March 29, 2019.

## 3/29/2019

# P.P.A.V Scholarship

## **Qualifications:**

- Application must be typed or neatly printed in black ink
- Must be Portuguese descent (state relatives)
- 3.0 GPA or above required for consideration
- Involvement in volunteer and/or religious organizations in your community
- Leadership qualities
- Academic honors

#### **Amount:**

\$500

## How to apply:

Applications are available in **Student Services**.

#### **Deadline:**

March 29, 2019.

## 3/31/2019

## Ray Jones Scholarship

#### Amount:

Five \$2,500

One \$5,000

#### **Qualifications:**

- Be of California Indian descent
- Be a graduating senior in good standing with a minimum 2.0 GPA
- Graduate from high school in Merced, Mariposa, Madera, Fresno, Kings, or Tulare County
- Demonstrate financial need

 Seek enrollment in a postsecondary degree program at an accredited two or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school

## How to apply:

Applications are available in **Student Services.** 

#### Deadline:

March 31, 2019

#### 4/1/2019

## **Visalia Unified Teachers Association**

This scholarship is designed for students who intend to major in education studies at the college level in order to become teachers.

#### Amount:

\$250

# **Qualifications:**

- Applicants must be a 2019 Visalia Unified School District high school graduating senior student.
- Student must have a cumulative grade point average of a 3.0 or better.

# How to apply:

Applications are available in **Student Services.** 

## Deadline:

Please return the completed application (typed or legibly handwritten) by **April 1**, **2019** to your school learning director.

#### 4/1/2019

# Sequoia Visalia Kiwanis Club

The Sequoia Visalia Kiwanis Club will be awarding \$5,000 in scholarships this year to deserving high school seniors within Visalia Schools.

#### Amount:

\$5,000

#### **Qualifications:**

- GPA of 2.5 or better
- Citizenship
- Community involvement
- Extra-curricular activities

## How to apply:

Applications are available in **Student Services.** 

## Deadline:

Must be postmarked no later than **April 1st**, **2019**.

## 4/4/2019

# **Pursuing Victory with Honor Scholarship**

This scholarship is designed to acknowledge students who demonstrate exemplary character on and off the field.

#### Amount:

(4) \$500

#### **Qualifications:**

- 2019 Graduate of any Tulare County High School
- Possess 3.0 cumulative High School GPA
- Exhibit exceptional sportsmanship, school and community service, and leadership
- Plan to attend an accredited college/university as a full-time student (12 units or more) during the 2019-20 academic year

# How to apply:

Applications are available in **Student Services.** 

#### Deadline:

Postmarked no later than April 4th, 2019.

## 4/6/2019

## Valley Oak Quilt Guild

The Valley Oak Quilt Guild, founded in 1987, continues to encourage interest in the fiber arts and in quilting among young people. We are happy to offer several scholarships to students from Tulare or Kings County high schools who are involved in the fiber arts or quilting and are interested in continuing their education.

# How to apply:

Applications are available in **Student Services.** 

## Deadline:

April 6, 2019

## 6/14/2019

## **Abbott & Fenner Scholarship**

Abbott & Fenner are committed to continuing our efforts at helping those who have the desire and ambition to succeed. The winner(s) of this annual scholarship will receive their award within 2 weeks of the listed deadline. All applicants should include their full name and mailing address with their submissions as well as the school they are currently attending.

(http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.php)

#### Amount:

\$1,000

# **Qualifications:**

The A&F Scholarships are available to all high school juniors and seniors as well as all students currently registered in any accredited post-secondary institution.

# How to apply:

To apply for this scholarship you will need to write an essay on the topic below. The essay should be between 500 and 1000 words. Your submissions must be sent to us by email at: scholarships at abbottandfenner.com

**Topic:** Describe your educational career and life goals. Explain your plan for achieving these goals. Include your degree/major, why you selected it, and how this degree/major will help you achieve your goals.

#### Deadline:

June 14, 2019

#### 6/19/2019

## The BigSun Scholarship

The BigSun Organization is proud to be able to help young athletes succeed in their academic pursuits. In order to do our part we are offering an annual scholarship to a deserving student.

#### Amount:

\$500

## **Qualifications:**

- All student athletes are eligible regardless of the sport they are engaged in or the capacity in which they participate.
- The student must be a high school senior or be attending a post-secondary institute.

## How to apply:

http://www.bigsunathletics.com/

## Deadline:

June 19, 2019