

## 2008 SCHOLARSHIP NOTES - January

Scholarship Name	Eligibility Requirements	Award Amount	Application Deadline
<a href="http://www.bsbs.info">www.bsbs.info</a> numerous links to Scholarships	Visit the website for eligibility requirements	Varies	See website for application deadlines
Alpha Delta Kappa	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Applicant MUST be pursuing Teaching as a field of study.</li> <li>2. High School record must indicate probable college success.</li> <li>3. Applicant must be sponsored by an active member of ADK (see guidance).</li> <li>4. Must submit Financial need-recent copy of Federal tax return.</li> </ol>	Varies – Not less than \$300	February 7, 2008
American Legion National High School Oratorical Contest	<p>A prepared oration of 8 to 10 minutes must be given on any phase of the constitution of the United States and will emphasize the attendant duties and obligations to our government. Contestants will compete in Post, Zone and State finals.</p> <p>For more information, you may contact your guidance counselor or visit:                      Website: <a href="http://scarolinalegion.org">scarolinalegion.org</a> under Legion Program (Oratorical Contest)                      Email: <a href="mailto:dept.programs@aldsc.org">dept.programs@aldsc.org</a>                      Phone: (803) 612-1171 ext. 22                      (800) 642-7793 ext. 22</p>	State scholarships will be awarded as follows: 1 <sup>st</sup> place - \$3,500 2 <sup>nd</sup> place - \$2,000 3 <sup>rd</sup> place - \$1,000 4 <sup>th</sup> place - \$1,000 State winner \$1,500. National winner \$18,000.	January 26, 2008
Archibald Rutledge Scholarship	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Seniors in high school may apply.</li> <li>2. Applicants must be US citizens who have attended SC public schools for the past 2 years.</li> <li>3. Applicants may participate in one of the following areas: drama, creative writing, music, or visual arts.</li> <li>4. Applicants must submit one original composition and a process folio.</li> </ol> <p>Applications are available at <a href="http://ed.sc.gov/">http://ed.sc.gov/</a></p>	\$4000	February 1, 2008
The Boiling Springs Business Association Scholarship - Scholarship in honor of Mr. Gerald Moore, retired principal of BSHS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Student must be a US Citizen, resident of the Boiling Springs Community, Spartanburg County School District 2 for a minimum of 3 years prior to application.</li> <li>2. Student must be a high school senior at BSHS as of application date, and must have attended BSHS a minimum of 3 years prior to application.</li> <li>3. Student must submit official transcripts and ACT and/or SAT scores.</li> <li>4. Student must have demonstrated qualities of good citizenship, honesty, integrity, and sound moral character throughout their high school years.</li> <li>5. Student must demonstrate leadership qualities, and community involvement of volunteer service. These are key requirements for either Scholarship (Gerald Moore Scholarship and Dupree Brady Memorial)</li> <li>6. Student must make a commitment to pursue an Education Degree for the Gerald Moore Education Scholarship or student may choose any field of study for the Dupree Brady Memorial Scholarship. (see Dupree Memorial Scholarship)</li> </ol>	\$1000	February 7, 2008
Burger King Scholars	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Applicants must have a GPA of at least a 2.5</li> <li>2. Applicants must work part-time an average of 15 hours per week.</li> <li>3. Applicants must demonstrate participation in community service and/or co-curricular activities.</li> <li>4. Applicants must demonstrate financial need.</li> <li>5. Applicants must obtain a written recommendation from both a school official and employer.</li> <li>6. Applicants must plan to enroll in an accredited two or four-year college, university, or vocational-technical school in the fall immediately after graduating from high school.</li> </ol> <p>Applications are available at: <a href="http://www.bk.com/scholars">www.bk.com/scholars</a>                      Questions regarding the scholarship are directed to J.R. Simon at 615-320-3149 or <a href="mailto:rsimon@spaprog.com">rsimon@spaprog.com</a></p>	\$1000	February 15, 2008
Columbia College-Music Department Scholarship Auditions	<p>Columbia College, Music department has scholarship opportunities for Women Vocalists, Pianists, Organists, and Instrumentalists (string, woodwind, brass, percussion). The scholarships in music are very substantial and competitive and are for students who are majoring in music. Audition is required. Dates will be provided by Columbia College. Applicants with a SAT score of at least 1300 are eligible for full tuition Founders Scholarships. Contact admissions at 1-800-277-1301.</p>	Varies	February 2, 2008  February 23, 2008  April 5, 2008
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Scholarship	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Must enroll within 12 months of receiving scholarship or it will be forfeited.</li> <li>2. Have at least a 2.5 GPA.</li> <li>3. Submit a completed copy of the FAFSA form.</li> <li>4. Have 2 letters of recommendation.</li> </ol>	Two scholarships of \$1,000	Complete applications must be received by February 29, 2008
Dupree Brady Memorial Scholarship	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Student must be a US Citizen, resident of the Boiling Springs Community, Spartanburg County School District 2 for a minimum of 3 years prior to application.</li> <li>2. Student must be a high school senior at BSHS as of application date, and must have attended BSHS a minimum of 3 years prior to application.</li> <li>3. Student must submit official transcripts and ACT and/or SAT scores.</li> <li>4. Student must have demonstrated qualities of good citizenship, honesty, integrity, and sound moral character throughout their high school years.</li> <li>5. Student must demonstrate leadership qualities, and community involvement of volunteer service. These are key requirements for the Scholarship.</li> </ol>	\$1,000	February 7, 2008

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	6. Student can choose any field of study for the Dupree Brady Memorial Scholarship.		
Fast Web Scholarship Search	1. This is a free scholarship search with more than 600,000 scholarships worth \$1 billion dollars. 2. Students will receive automatic email updates. Visit <a href="http://www.fastweb.com">www.fastweb.com</a> for more information.	Varies	Varies
Gates Millennium Scholarship  (Applications can be found at <a href="http://www.gmsp.org">www.gmsp.org</a> )  Questions can be answered at 1-800-690-4677	1. Applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 3.3 2. Applicants must be a citizen or permanent resident of the US. 3. Applicants must enter an accredited college as a full-time, degree-seeking freshman in the fall of 2008. 4. Applicant must have financial need (based on FAFSA) 5. Applicant must have demonstrated leadership commitment through community service, or extracurricular activities. 6. Applicants must be African Americans, American Indians, Alaska Natives, Asian Pacific Islander Americans, or Hispanic Americans.	Full Tuition for up to 5 years	January 11 for online submissions  December 31 for paper submissions
Harry Hampton Scholarship	1. The applicant must attend a South Carolina School. 2. The applicant must plan to major in wildlife biology, fisheries, biology, forestry, marine science, environmental science, or related fields. 3. The student must be a full-time resident of South Carolina. 4. The applicant must maintain a GPA of 2.5 or above.	\$2500	January 31, 2008
Hispanic Scholarship Fund	1. The applicant must have at least a 3.0 GPA. 2. The applicant must be a US citizen or legal resident with a valid permanent resident card or passport. 3. The applicant must plan to pursue their first degree and must complete the FAFSA. Applications and information available at <a href="http://www.hsf.net">www.hsf.net</a>	\$2, 125	March 15, 2008
J.P. Coates/SCACT Scholarship	1. The applicant must attend an accredited college or university in South Carolina. 2. The applicant must plan to pursue a career in education. 3. The student must maintain a 3.0 GPA while attending the college or university. 4. The applicant must demonstrate leadership ability. 5. The applicant must need financial assistance	\$500 per semester for 4 years	March 15, 2008
James F. Byrnes College Scholarship  <b>Applications available at <a href="http://www.byrnesscholars.org">www.byrnesscholars.org</a></b>	To be eligible applicant must: 1. Have one or both parents deceased 2. Be a South Carolina resident and US citizen 3. Plan to pursue a bachelor's degree at an accredited 4-yr college or university 4. Have a satisfactory academic record 5. Have a need for financial assistance in order to attend college 6. Demonstrate excellence in character, ability, and enterprise to indicate that the student will make worthy contributions to society 7. Have completed no more than 1 year of work in college	\$3250 per year of college	February 15, 2008
Johnson and Wales University's Chancellor's Scholarship program	1. Applicants must have applied and been accepted to the university's honors program. 2. Applicants should be among their school's top students, both in terms of academic performance and campus involvement. Students may call 1-800-DIAL-JWU or visit <a href="http://www.jwu.edu">www.jwu.edu</a>	\$7500 to full-tuition	None given
Joseph L. Cooke Scholarship	1. The applicant must submit two letters of recommendations. 2. The applicant must submit a writing sample on a given topic. 3. The applicant must submit ACT or SAT scores and be involved in extra-curricular activities.	\$1500	March 3, 2008
KFC Colonel's Scholars	1. The applicant must be a graduating senior. 2. The applicant must have at least a 2.75 GPA and plan to enroll in a public, in-state college/university and be pursuing a Bachelor's degree. 3. The applicant must be a US citizen.	\$5,000 per year	February 15, 2008
Laura M. Fleming Scholarship	1. The applicant must be a high school senior with at least a 3.5 GPA. 2. The parents and/or guardian of the applicant must be a member of Founders Federal Credit Union for at least 2 years. 3. The applicants must show a good record of citizenship, such as community involvement. 4. The applicant must document financial need based on a copy of the FAFSA form. Applications are available online at <a href="http://www.ffc.org/scholarships">www.ffc.org/scholarships</a>	\$1000 to \$2500 annually and may be renewed.	March 1, 2008
McKelvey Foundation Entrepreneurial Scholarship	1. Graduate from high school in the Spring of 2008 2. Attend a 4-year college/university, public or private 3. Own and operate a genuine business, non-profits are eligible 4. Have at least one employee, even if only part time Contact <a href="http://www.mckelveyfoudation.org">www.mckelveyfoudation.org</a> for more info.	Up to \$10,000 per academic year	January 15, 2008

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Memphis College of Art	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The applicant must be admitted to the Memphis College of Art for the fall session.</li> <li>The applicant must contact the school's financial aid department at 1-800-727-1088 or 901-272-5151.</li> </ol>	Varies	None given
National Commission for Cooperative Education	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To be eligible for a merit co-op scholarship, a student must apply and be accepted at one of the following NCCE Partner Colleges and Universities: C.W. Post Campus of Long Island Univ., Drexel Univ., Johnson and Wales Univ., Kettering Univ., Northeastern Univ., Pace Univ., Rochester Institute of Technology, Univ. of Cincinnati, Univ. of Toledo, Wentworth Institute of Technology. Questions regarding the scholarship should be directed to Mr. Schettino at 617-373-3406.</li> </ol>	\$6000 renewable each year	February 15, 2008
NROTC (Marines)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The applicant must have: SAT-1000 ACT-22</li> <li>The applicant must be in good physical health and have eyesight correctable to 20/20. For more information, log onto <a href="http://www.nrotc.navy.mil">www.nrotc.navy.mil</a> or call Sgt. Britton at 864-574-7381.</li> </ol>	4-year scholarship valued at more than \$125,000	None given
NROTC (Navy)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Applicant must be a US citizen and 17 years old by September 1 of the year starting college, be physically qualified by Navy standards, and academically qualified (test scores, ACT: Math 21, English: 22 or SAT Math 520 Critical Reading 530. Scholarship applicants are not required to be in the Junior ROTC to qualify. For more information, please visit <a href="http://www.nrotc.navy.com">www.nrotc.navy.com</a></li> </ol>	Full-Tuition, books, fees and other financial benefits	January 31, 2008
RMHC (Ronald McDonald House Charities)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The applicant must be a graduating senior. For more information on the numerous scholarships available under RMHC, please visit <a href="http://www.rmhc.org">www.rmhc.org</a></li> </ol>	Varies	February 15, 2008
ROTC (Army) Scholarships - Presbyterian College	<p>At Presbyterian College, Cadets who apply and are awarded the ARMY ROTC Scholarship receive a free education. The scholarship pays for tuition, fees, books, and supplies. Presbyterian College pays for room and board. Applications for the Army ROTC Scholarship are found at the US Army Cadet Command website: <a href="http://www.rotc.monroe.army.mil">http://www.rotc.monroe.army.mil</a></p>	Full tuition	December 20, 2007 February 15, 2008 April 21, 2008
Robert C. Byrd Scholarship Program	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Applicant's GPA must be at least a 3.5.</li> <li>SAT Score 1300 or better/minimum ACT score of 29</li> <li>Must be involved in extracurricular activities.</li> <li>Student must write a composition.</li> </ol>	\$1,500 per year for 4 years	February 1, 2008
SAMMY	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The applicant must be a 12<sup>th</sup> grade scholar athlete.</li> <li>The applicants will be judged on academic performance, athletic excellence, leadership, community service and what role milk plays in their success. Applications and official rules available at <a href="http://www.sammy.bodybymilk.com">www.sammy.bodybymilk.com</a></li> </ol>	\$7500	March 7, 2008
SCDOT	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students must be high school seniors attending a public or private school in South Carolina.</li> <li>Students must be a son, daughter, ward or grandchild of a current Adopt-A-Highway volunteer. Seniors who are volunteers may participate.</li> <li>Students must have a GPA of at least a 2.5 and plan on attending a two or four year college in the state of South Carolina and type a 500 word essay on "The Benefits of the Adopt-A-Highway Program to South Carolina and the Environment."</li> <li>The winner must be able to attend the Awards Ceremony on April 10, 2008. Scholarship information can be obtained on the website at: <a href="http://www.scdot.org/community/adoptahighway.shtml">http://www.scdot.org/community/adoptahighway.shtml</a></li> </ol>	\$500 and \$500	March 1, 2008
S. C. Governor's Committee (Journalism Contest)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The applicant must be able to verify financial need, which may include the completed FAFSA form.</li> <li>The applicant must be a SC resident 16-19 years old.</li> <li>The applicant must submit an essay to be judged by a panel of professional journalists. For more information contact the SCVRD Office at 803-896-6833 or <a href="http://www.scvrd.net">www.scvrd.net</a></li> </ol>	4- year scholarship to a S.C. state supported school	January 22, 2008 <a href="http://www.scvrd.net">www.scvrd.net</a> keyword "Journalism"
SC Association of Educational Office Professionals	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must plan to enter a post high school accredited institution in the fall term following granting of the scholarship.</li> <li>Must have a "C" or better average in high school courses; a "B" or better average in business courses. Criteria for judging: 50% - Need for assistance 25% - School Achievement 10% - Initiative 10% - Quality &amp; Completeness of Application 5% - Extra Curricular Activities</li> </ol>	\$1,000	February 1, 2008
South Carolina Association of Title 1 Administrators (SCATA)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Applicant must be eligible for free or reduced priced lunch based on current USDA eligibility criteria.</li> <li>Applicant must be enrolled in an accredited high school and meet requirements for a South Carolina High School Diploma.</li> <li>Applicant must be able to meet the entrance requirements of an approved post-secondary institution.</li> <li>Applicant must submit a completed application.</li> </ol>	\$2,000	February 4, 2008

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South Carolina Federation of Music Clubs	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The applicant must apply and be accepted to Brevard College.</li> <li>The applicant must audition for the Brevard music scholarship which will take place on February 1, 2008 at Converse College.</li> </ol> <p>For more information, please contact Ms. Ruth Kissell at 864-579-0565.</p>	varies	January 15, 2008
SCLEOA - S C Law Enforcement Officers Association	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must be a graduating high school senior.</li> <li>Parent(s) must be legal resident of SC for at least 1 year.</li> <li>Scholarship recipient must attend a 2 year or 4 year college in SC.</li> <li>The applicant must have the recommendation of his/her principal, headmaster or guidance counselor.</li> <li>The applicant must be of good moral character and reputation.</li> <li>The students must write a 1,000 word essay.</li> </ol> <p>Students must request an application by sending a postage paid, self addressed envelope to:          SCLEOF Scholarship Award          P.O. Box 210709          Columbia, SC 29221-0709          Or students can go to <a href="http://www.scleoa.org">www.scleoa.org</a> for an application</p>	Scholarships in the following amounts will be awarded: One - \$5,000 Two - \$2,000 One - \$1,000	February 15, 2008
South Carolina Scholastic Press Association	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Applicant must apply to the University of South Carolina.</li> <li>Requirements differ for each scholarship.</li> <li>Applicant must be a member of the S.C. Scholastic Press Association or the Southern Interscholastic Press Association.</li> <li>Applications are available at <a href="http://www.sc.edu/cmcsis">www.sc.edu/cmcsis</a></li> </ol>	\$500-\$1000	Deadlines vary. Visit website at: <a href="http://www.sc.edu/cmcsis/so">www.sc.edu/cmcsis/so</a>
SC Sheriff's Association	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The applicant must write a 1000 word essay on the topic "The Problem of Underage Drinking."</li> <li>The applicant must submit an official high school transcript.</li> <li>The applicant must have letters of recommendation from the school principal, and guidance counselor or teacher.</li> <li>The applicant must submit the original application along with four copies.</li> </ol>	Four (4) - \$1,000 Scholarships to seniors to attend the school of their choice within the state of SC One (1) - \$2,000 scholarship to a senior <u>who is a child of a law enforcement officer</u> and who plans to pursue any major at a college or university in SC	February 22, 2008
Spartanburg Association of Educational Office Professionals	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Applicant must be a graduating senior from a Spartanburg County Public High School.</li> <li>Applicant must have achieved an overall GPA of 2.8 or higher and a 3.0 GPA or higher in high school business-related courses.</li> <li>Applicant must plan to enter an accredited higher education institution for the fall term.</li> </ol> <p>Selection Criteria:          30% - Financial need          20% - Scholastic Achievement          15% - Recommendations          15% - Written Response          10% - Extracurricular Activities          10% - Quality and Completeness of application materials</p> <p>This scholarship is open to students who plan to pursuit a career in the business field, especially in, but not limited to, the educational area.</p>	\$500	All materials must be postmarked by January 15, 2008
Spartanburg Community College Scholarships	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students should visit <a href="http://www.sccsc.edu/finaid">www.sccsc.edu/finaid</a> for more information</li> </ol>	Varies	Varies
SunTrust Scholarship Sweepstakes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Applicant must be a high school senior.</li> <li>Applicant must apply online at <a href="http://suntrusteducation.com">suntrusteducation.com</a></li> <li>Applicant must attend an accredited college or private career school.</li> </ol>	\$1000	May 15, 2008
Susan G. Komen	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The applicant must have a parent who has died from breast cancer.</li> <li>The applicant must live on one of the Upstate counties.</li> <li>The applicant must exhibit financial need and plan to attend a state-supported college in South Carolina.</li> <li>The applicant must have at least a 2.8 GPA on a 4.0 scale.</li> <li>The applicant must not have been subject to disciplinary action by any institution or entity, including educational or law enforcement.</li> </ol> <p>Applications available at <a href="http://cms.komen.org">http://cms.komen.org</a></p>	\$10,000 renewable	February 1, 2008
Tuition Funding Sources	Visit the website <a href="http://www.tuitionFundingSources.com">www.tuitionFundingSources.com</a> or <a href="http://www.bsbs.info">www.bsbs.info</a> for more information.	varies	Varies per scholarship
University of South Carolina-Aiken University Achievement Scholarship	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Applicant must apply and be accepted to USC-Aiken.</li> <li>Applicant must rank in top 25% of class, 1050+ on SAT or 22+ on ACT and earn at least a 4.0 GPA.</li> </ol> <p>Contact Nick Kelch at 803-641-3363 or <a href="http://www.usca.edu">www.usca.edu</a></p>	\$2000 per year	None given
Wal-Mart Scholarship (Sam Walton Community Scholarship)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Applicants cannot be a Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. Associate or the dependent of a Wal-Mart Stores, Inc Associate as of April 25, 2008.</li> <li>Applicant must have a GPA of at least 2.5 and have taken either the SAT or ACT.</li> <li>Applicant must be enrolled full time (at least 12 college credit hours) in the fall 2008 and spring 2009 semesters.</li> </ol>	\$1000, one time non-renewable	January 14, 2008

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	Applications and additional scholarships and information available at <a href="http://www.walmartfoundation.org">www.walmartfoundation.org</a>		
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