

DUE	SCHOLARSHIP NAME	AMOUNT	WEBSITE	CRITERIA
08/31/18	Nursing Schools Almanac	\$1,000	https://www.nursingschoolsalmanac.com	<p>We will award this scholarship to the applicant who best demonstrates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A track record of academic excellence, particularly in science and mathematics • A passion for the nursing profession and the overall field of healthcare
07/31/18	UEW Healthcare EEOICPA	\$1,000	www.uewhealth.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This scholarship is judged & awarded primarily on merit & need.
07/15/18	James H. Jensen	4 @ \$500		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a resident of the State of South Dakota and a high school senior OR • Be a resident of the State of South Dakota in an engineering program at South Dakota School of Mines or South Dakota State University for the upcoming academic year • Be a United States citizen • Have a parent, grandparent, sibling, uncle, aunt or cousin employed a minimum of 3 years (or retired) with the South Dakota Department of Transportation • Have a current High School GPA of 3.0 or higher • Demonstrate the ability to become an asset to the engineering field. The student's personal aims and goals should be consistent with this requirement • For legal reasons, applicant must not be a relative of James H. Jensen
05/22/18	B. Davis	\$1,000	www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships	<p>Essay less than 1,000 words:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe the three characteristics of leadership you value most. Discuss why you believe that these traits are so important and how you feel that they are developed in an individual.

05/18/18	Opportunity Scholarship	\$6,500	https://sdos.sdbor.edu/	<p>The South Dakota Legislature established five requirements that all South Dakota high school graduates must meet in order to establish their initial eligibility in the Opportunity Scholarship program. These requirements specify that a recipient must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a resident of South Dakota at time of high school graduation. • Have an ACT composite score of 24 or higher before the beginning of post-secondary education. If using a SAT score, the sum of the verbal and mathematics scores on the SAT must be at least 1090 (testing before January 2016) or 1180 (testing after March 2016). • Complete high school course requirements with no final grade below a "C" (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) and a cumulative high school GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (grade of "B") prior to graduation (Note: One unit of high school credit equals 1 year of instruction). • Effective for those students entering into postsecondary education for the first time on or after August 2013, the curriculum requirements specified in section 3 above are not required for any student who has received a composite score on the ACT of at least 28 and meets the ACT college readiness benchmarks scores equaling or exceeding 18 for English, 22 for Reading, 22 for Math, and 23 for Science. If using an SAT score the sum of the verbal and mathematics scores on the SAT must be at least 1260 (testing before January 2016) or 1320 (testing after March 2016). • Attend a university, college, or technical school accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools and that provides instruction from a campus located in South Dakota. • Enter into the program within 5 years of high school graduation, or within 1 year of the student's release from active duty military service (if that release is within 5 years of the date of the student's high school graduation). Students seeking to transfer from a regionally accredited university, college, or technical school located outside of South Dakota may do so within two years following high school graduation and be eligible to receive partial award.
05/01/18	Catholic Daughters	\$300		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An essay of approximately 250-300 words typed and double-spaced describing in your opinion: "How does my Catholic faith guide me?" (This must be submitted with the cover sheet and application provided). • Applicant must be a confirmed Catholic who attends one of the Sioux Falls area Catholic parishes • Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 or greater • Must be willing to attend the presentation of scholarship or have a representative such as a parent or legal guardian in your place
05/01/18	Sioux Falls Business & Professional Women	2 @ \$500	www.siouxfallsbpw.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
05/01/18	Plains Commerce Bank	\$1,000	www.plainscommerce.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This scholarship will be based primarily on the individual's activities, community involvement, character and need, not GPA

05/01/18	Drone Technology	2 @ \$1,000	https://www.dronepilotgroundschoo.com/scholarship/	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Drone Technology College Scholarship will provide two awards of \$1,000 each to U.S. undergraduates who have an interest in pushing the drone industry forward, as demonstrated in an essay of 750-1,000 words. The only eligibility requirement is that applicants be enrolled in a U.S. college or university at the time of receiving the award.
05/01/18	American College Foundation	Multiple @ \$1,000 to \$5,000	www.AmericanCollegeFoundation.org	<p>All applications for the American College Foundation (“ACF”) Visionary Scholarship Program will consist of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a completed ACF Visionary Scholarship Application, a copy of the student’s most recent unofficial high school transcript, a 500 word, typed, double-spaced essay. All components of the application must be received for a student to be eligible for an award. Applications are judged on the ability to follow guidelines (25%), grammar and punctuation (25%), and the merit of the written essay (50%). Applicants must be United States Citizens or Eligible Non-Citizens and may be asked to participate in a qualification interview as part of the application process to assist the ACF in ultimately determining the winners.
04/15/18	Unity Lodge #130		www.unitylodge130.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Residents of Minnehaha and Lincoln County (SD), or direct descendants of a Unity Lodge member Plan to attend a public or private college, university, or technical school in SD Demonstrate financial need and scholastic ability Preference will be given to those having a connection, by blood or marriage, to a member of the Masonic fraternity, living or deceased
04/13/18	Voyage Federal Credit Union	2 @ \$500	www.voyagefcu.org	<p>All applicants must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be a graduating high school senior Have a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA Be a primary Voyage FCU member in good standing Not be a Voyage FCU employee, director, committee member, or an immediate family member of one
04/13/18	Sioux Falls Federal Credit Union	2 @ \$1,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Entrants must be a member of Sioux Falls Federal Credit Union in good standing, or meet the eligibility criteria and become a member prior to submitting the entry form The applicant must show proof of enrollment before scholarship funds will be disbursed
04/06/18	Sioux Falls Women Run	2 @ \$250		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SFWR will award two-\$250 scholarships to female Sioux Falls area seniors that will graduate in May or June of 2018 who have demonstrated a love for running and a commitment to the sport of running and the running community. Consideration for any scholarship award is based on a point system including GPA, participation in extra-curricular activities, school organizations and community service.

04/06/18	First District Development Company	5 @ \$1,000		<p>To be eligible for a First District Development Company scholarship, you must meet all of the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a U.S. citizen. • Be a high school senior attending a South Dakota High School. • Be accepted into a business/finance program at an accredited, post-secondary institution in South Dakota. • Have a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or greater, calculated on a 4.0 grading scale. • Submit an application (with documentation) by April 6, 2018.
04/02/18	Home Builders Association of the Sioux Empire	Multiple @ \$1,000	http://hbasiouxempire.com/care-foundation/scholarships/	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To be considered for a scholarship, students must reside within the Home Builders Association of the Sioux Empire (HBASE) four county area of Lincoln, McCook, Minnehaha or Turner County and have applied for acceptance into a college or technical institution within the home building industry or related fields
04/01/18	South Dakota Association of Towns & Townships	\$500 & \$1,000	www.sdtownships.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reside in South Dakota • Currently attend a South Dakota public, private, parochial high school or a home school program • Live in a town or township that is a current member of SDATAT • Graduates of 2018 are eligible to apply
04/01/18	USA Softball			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The USA Softball of South Dakota Scholarship Program has been established to award scholarships to those who have participated in USA Softball of South Dakota & desire to further their education. • These participants must have participated in the USA Softball of South Dakota sanctioned programs for at least 3 years as a player, coach, umpire, USA Softball of South Dakota official, or in an official capacity of the USA Softball of South Dakota sanctioned teams or league. • Applicants must be 19 years of age or younger and be a graduating senior from an accredited high school during the year of application.
03/31/18	IHELP Student Loans	5 @ \$1,000	http://ihelploan.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Random drawing in April on KSFY
03/31/18	Woods, Fuller, Schultz & Smith	5 @ \$1,000	http://woodsfuller.com/about/community	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school senior, attending an accredited post high school educational institution • Have not previously received a Woods Fuller scholarship • Reside within the counties of Lincoln or Minnehaha in South Dakota or O'Brien in Iowa. • In 300 words or less, describe why you should be considered for a Woods Fuller scholarship. Please include the accredited institution you plan to attend and whether or not you have been accepted.

03/30/18	South Dakota Society for Technology in Education	\$500		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a graduating High School senior enrolling or who has gained acceptance to a post secondary educational institution in the field of Educational Technology or Informational Technology related field. • Provide an official high school transcript demonstrating a minimum 2.5 grade point average or above. • Have a current member of SDSTE in their district or have a parent who is a current member of SDSTE. • Provide a Verification letter for Community Service • Provide two (2) Letters of Recommendation from a teacher, coach, school administrator, and/or employer. • Provide one (1) Letter of Recommendation from a current member of SDSTE.
03/20/18	Citi Youth Leadership Award	\$1,000	www.helplinecenter.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students need to be a senior at a Sioux Empire high school during the 2017-2018 academic year • Students need to have contributed at least 100 hours of service within the last 12 months • This service cannot include fundraising, lobbying, proselytizing, paid or stipend service.
03/18/18	Critical Needs Teaching		https://www.sdbor.edu/student-information/Pages/Critical-Teaching-Needs-Scholarship.aspx	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agree in writing to stay in South Dakota and work in a critical teaching need occupation for five years after graduating from a participating postsecondary institution; • Agree, through a promissory note, that failure to abide by the employment requirement above will result in the scholarship being converted into an interest-bearing loan; • Attend a participating South Dakota postsecondary institution as an undergraduate enrolled in your final two years of postsecondary education and be fully admitted in an elementary or secondary education program at the institution that is preparing you to work in a critical need teaching area; • Be a U.S. citizen or lawful permanent resident; and • Have a minimum cumulative 2.8 GPA on 4.0 scale, and an average of 2.8 GPA for all major coursework.
03/16/18	Bellator Titans Motorcycle Club	\$500/year x4		<p>Essay 500 words</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please describe a time in your life in which you had to overcome adversity • Please explain how your life experiences have prepared you for life after high school.
03/16/18	CorTrust Bank	\$1,000	https://www.cortrustbank.com/resources/scholarship/online-scholarship-application/	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a graduating high school senior in the year in which the scholarship is awarded • Have accomplished a GPA of 2.75 or higher • Attend high school in the community of a CorTrust Bank location offering the scholarship • Be attending a South Dakota college or post-secondary school

03/16/18	First Premier Bank	15 @ \$1,000	www.firstpremier.com/fp/scholarships	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Either the parent or the student must be a current customer of the bank at the time of application. • Student must be a U.S. Citizen. • Student must be a high school senior. • Student must plan to attend a South Dakota accredited post-high school college, university, technical school, community college or junior college in the Fall semester of the current year. • Student must provide confirmation of enrollment to the South Dakota accredited school. Payment of the scholarship will be made directly to the school.
03/15/18	JA Leo Crawford	\$500	http://jasd.org/Programs/scholarships.html	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Available for South Dakota seniors who have had Junior Achievement at some point in their K-12 education (including the high school JA Ethics program).
03/15/18	Sioux Falls Area Community Foundation	\$250 to \$5,000	www.sfacf.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SFACF has more than 50 different scholarship opportunities available for students heading to colleges in the fall.
03/15/18	Blanche Irene Doolittle			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Selection is based upon GPA, financial need, extracurricular activities, abilities and character.
03/15/18	South Dakota Aviation Association & DJ Fischer Foundation	\$1,000 to \$3,000		<p>Please attach a resume outlining the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High School Activities • Community Service Activities • Honors and Awards Received • Education and Career Goals • A short paragraph outlining why you should receive the scholarship and how your future career will relate to or benefit the Aerial Application Industry.
03/15/18	Coach Russ Morrell	2 @ \$500	http://www.coachmorrellscholarship.org	<p>Applicants for this scholarship award must meet the following minimum criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduate from a South Dakota school • Attain a minimum 3.2 GPA through 7 semesters of high school • Provide a list (resume) of extra-curricular and community service activities • Submit a 300 to 500-word essay detailing a personal story which illustrates an event in which the applicant demonstrated resourcefulness and optimism in the face of adversity; and • Provide contact information (phone and e-mail) of two character references (not related to the applicant)
03/10/18	Curtis Marvin Hohn	\$1,000		<p>Applications will reflect the values that embodied Curt Hohn's life. These characteristics may include, but not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal integrity, individual character, and courage • Leadership in school and community • Demonstrated involvement in civic affairs • Participation in organizations that shape the school and community • Individual leadership to reform policies that benefit the public good of the school and community • Demonstrated work ethic in the school and community • Demonstrated interest in national and global issues that impact the public interest • Demonstrated interest in humanitarian issues

03/09/18	Scott Mecham BBB Student of Integrity Award Scholarship	3 @ \$2,000	http://www.bbb.org/nebraska/for-businesses/programs-services/bbb-awards-pages/student-of-integrity-award-scholarships/	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Qualifies as a high school senior • Plans to continue education after high school graduation • Resides in BBB's service area (includes South Dakota)
03/05/18	First Dakota National Bank	18 @ \$1,000	www.firstdakota.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 250 word essay
03/01/18	The National Catholic College Admission Association	\$1,000	http://www.catholiccollegesonline.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants must graduate in the spring (i.e., spring 2018 high school graduation for fall 2018 awards). • Recipients must be accepted to one or more National CCAA member institutions. Click here for a current list of member institutions, as of January 12, 2018. • Recipients must enroll at a National CCAA member institution beginning in fall 2018. • High school and college information will be verified for students receiving the scholarship awards. Award recipients give the National CCAA permission to use the recipient's name and image for all public relations associated with the scholarship award.
03/01/18	Farmers Union Insurance Agency	25 @ 1,000	www.fuiagency.com	<p>To be eligible, applicants must be any one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a South Dakota high school senior whose parent or parents are current policyholders of Farmers Union Insurance Agency • a Member of the South Dakota Farmers Union • a Friend of the Farmers Union Foundation • a Participant in any South Dakota High School Activity Association's (SDHSAA) sanctioned events
02/19/18	Cardinal Newman Society	\$5,000	https://cardinalnewmansociety.org/recommended-colleges/essay/	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The topic for this year's contest is to reflect, in 500-700 words, on the following question: "How will a faithful Catholic college education prepare you for life?"
02/10/18	Hy-Vee	80 @ \$1,000	www.hy-vee.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant must be a high-school senior working for Hy-Vee or subsidiary who began employment on or before September 15, 2017
02/01/18	Dakota Corps		https://www.sdbor.edu/dakotacorps/Pages/welcome.aspx	<p>To be considered for the scholarship you must meet all of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have graduated from an accredited South Dakota high school with a Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.8 or greater on a 4.0 scale. Home schooled students will be allowed to provide supplemental information to qualify if the information for this requirement is not available. • Have a composite ACT score of 27 or greater (or the SAT equivalent). • Agree in writing to stay in South Dakota and work in a critical need occupation after graduation for as many years as the scholarship was received plus one year.* • Apply for the first Dakota Corps Scholarship for a school period that begins within one year of high school graduation, or within one year of release from active duty of an active component of the armed forces. • Be an incoming freshman at a participating South Dakota college as an undergraduate student in a program that will prepare the student to work in a critical need occupation. • Be a U.S. citizen or national.
02/01/18	ESA Foundation	Various	www.epsilonsigmaalpha.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •

