

SCHOLARSHIPS

2025-2026

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***FAFSA – Free Application for Federal Student Aid**

Opens October 1st - Complete as soon as possible as some schools/states have limited funds

Many schools require FAFSA completion for any aid at all including school-based grants and scholarships

Who: Seniors

<https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>

<https://www.fastweb.com/financial-aid/articles/what-s-the-fafsa-and-why-you-should-care>

For help filling out the FAFSA and free financial aid support for Texas students and Families go to:

www.Uaspire.org/txcan

Other opportunities to consider:

\$Student or Parent Place of Employment

\$Student membership in non-school related activities and organizations

\$Church Membership

\$Public school websites in your area could have additional scholarship opportunities

\$College/University that you plan on attending

Ongoing possible scholarship opportunities:

College Board

Scholar Dollars: A Scholarship search tool

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search>

Scholarships.com

<https://www.scholarships.com/>

Scholarship Buddy - Texas

<https://scholarshipbuddytexas.com/>

Kaleidoscope

<https://www.mykaleidoscope.com/>

Going Merry

<https://www.goingmerry.com/>

FFA Grants and Scholarships

<https://www.ffa.org/participate/grants-and-scholarships/>

FastWeb

www.fastweb.com

Niche.com

<https://www.niche.com/colleges/scholarship/no-essay-scholarship/>

Greater Houston Community Foundation

<https://apply-ghcf.smapply.io/>

Mike Rowe “Works” Foundation for technical degrees

<https://www.mikeroweworks.org/about/#problem>

Bold.org

<https://bold.org/scholarships/by-year/high-school/seniors/>

Imagine America Foundation (Career & Technical School Scholarships)

<https://www.imagine-america.org/applyforscholarships/>

Christian Connector (Christian Colleges and Scholarships)

<https://christianconnector.com/chs>

Raise Me App – download on personal device

Get Scholarship dollars to schools for various HS activities

Scholly App

App with a wide variety of Scholarship Opportunities

Burger King Foundation Scholarship – December 15, 2025

Due: December 15, 2025

Who is Eligible:

- Graduating Seniors
- Must be a first time applicant
- Must have a GPA of 2.0 or better (on a 4.0 scale)

Amount: \$1000 – \$60,000

Apply Online:

https://scholarshipamerica.org/scholarship/burgerking/?utm_source=commercial&utm_medium=commercial&utm_campaign=commercial1&_gl=1*1lgmfhq*_ga*MTc0MjAwOTIxNC4xNzU5OTM2NzA0*_ga_GR8N6KG4K2*cze3NTk5MzY3MDQkbzEkZzAkdDE3NTk5MzY3MjYkajM4JGwwJGgw

Amazon Future Engineer Scholarship & Internship – January 15, 2026

Due: January 15, 2026

Who is Eligible: Seniors with a 2.3 GPA or better who plan to pursue a degree in computer science, computer engineering, or other computer science related field

Amount: \$40,000 + a paid internship programming at Amazon

Information: Get a \$40,000 scholarship (\$10,000/year) towards an undergraduate degree in engineering or computer science and a guaranteed summer internship at Amazon! Apply online.

Application Website:

<https://www.amazonfutureengineer.com/scholarships>

TX Farm Credit: – January 15, 2026

2 scholarships one application

Ag Champs Scholarship – \$1000 (18 Available)

Martha Martin Scholarship - \$5000 (10 Available)

Due: January 15, 2026

Who is Eligible: Seniors in FFA or 4-H

Application website:

texasfarmcredit.com/our-story/community/scholarship-programs

FFA Scholarships – January 16, 2026

Due: January 16, 2026 Applications open November 1, 2025

Who is Eligible:

- Graduating Seniors who are active members of FFA
- Must have a FFA membership ID that is linked to your active membership and the linked FFA.org email address

Apply online at:

<https://www.ffa.org/participate/grants-and-scholarships/scholarships/>

Information: Whether you are pursuing a trade school, vocational certificate or a two-year or four-year degree, a National FFA Scholarship can help with your next steps in education. One application is all that is required for multiple scholarship opportunities totaling nearly \$2.5 million.

Bluebonnet Coop Washington DC Youth Tour - January 16, 2026

Due: January 16, 2026

Who is Eligible: Juniors and Seniors who are current Bluebonnet members

Tour Dates: June 14-22, 2026

Information: Two high school students, juniors or seniors, in Bluebonnet's service area have the opportunity to travel to Washington, D.C., to tour our nation's capital. Students also visit the state Capitol, the Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum and receive a \$1,000 scholarship.

Application website:

<https://bluebonnet.coop/scholarships>

San Bernard Coop Washington DC Youth Tour – January 19, 2026

Due: January 19, 2026

Who is Eligible: Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors who are current San Bernard members

Tour Dates: June 14-21, 2026.

Information: In June, the Government-in-Action Youth Tour, sponsored by the state's electric cooperatives, sends select students on an all-expense-paid trip to the nation's capital.

Application website:

<https://www.sbec.org/youth-tour>

Austin County Soil and Water Conservation District Essay Contest – February 2, 2026

Due: 2/2/2026

Who is Eligible: All students enrolled in Public or Private school in Austin County (District 3)

Information: Essay Contest Guidelines

- Essay Title: "Soil. Where It All Begins"
- Essay may be up to 300 words in length for ages 13 and under and 500 words in length for ages 14-18
- See Printed Guidelines for complete rules
- Informational website: <https://www.tsswcb.texas.gov/programs/public-information-and-education/texas-conservation-awards-program>
- Essays will be submitted to the local conservation district

Application: See Mrs. Klecka for guidelines and application

Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association Scholarships – February 6, 2026

Due: February 6, 2026

Who is Eligible: Seniors planning to major in an agricultural or veterinary science major. Must have a background in beef cattle production.

Information: Various scholarships available. A complete list is available at the website.

cattleraisersmuseum.org/scholarships-awarded/

Brazos Valley Schools Credit Union Scholarship – February 27, 2026

Due: February 27, 2026

Who is Eligible:

- Graduating Seniors
- Must be a current member of BVSCU or join by 2/27/2026
- Must have a GPA of 3.0 or better (on a 4.0 scale)

Amount: 21000 – 5 to be given

Application: See Mrs. Klecka for an application

Submit to: Brazos Valley Schools Credit Union

Attn. Marketing Department

25525 Katy Mills Parkway

Katy, TX 77494

SPE-GCS Scholarship – March 2, 2026

Due: March 2, 2026

Who is Eligible: Seniors planning to study science or engineering or planning a career in the energy industry.

Amount: \$2000/semester, \$4000/year

Information: This application consists of 5 sections. All sections must be complete before the deadline for the application to be considered.

- Confirm Eligibility & Basic Information
- Basic information
- Detailed Questions
- Essay
- Letters of Recommendation

<https://www.spegcs.org/scholarship/>

Bluebonnet Electric Coop Academic Scholarship - March 6, 2026

Due: March 6, 2026

Amount \$2500

Who is Eligible: Seniors who are current Bluebonnet members planning to pursue a bachelor's degree

Apply online at:

<https://bluebonnet.coop/scholarship>

Bluebonnet Electric Coop Trade and Technical Scholarship – March 6, 2026

Due: March 6, 2026

Amount \$2500

Who is Eligible: Seniors who are current Bluebonnet members planning to pursue trade and technical certificates

Apply online at:

<https://bluebonnet.coop/scholarship>

Create a Greeting Card Scholarship - March 9, 2026

Due: Opened July 7, 2025 – Deadline March 9, 2026 Voting open until April 22, 2026

Who is Eligible: High School Students

Information: Submit original photo, artwork, or computer graphics for the front of a greeting card and have your friends and family vote

Apply online at:

<https://www.gallerycollection.com/greetingcardscontests>

San Bernard Electric Co-op Academic Scholarship - March 9, 2026

Due: March 9, 2026

Amount: \$2500

Who is Eligible: Senior in top 50% of class planning to attend a technical school, 2 year college, or 4 year university whose parents are members of San Bernard Electric Cooperative.

Apply online at:

<https://www.sbec.org/scholarships>

San Bernard Electric Co-op Curtis Wood Memorial Scholarship - March 9, 2026

Due: March 9 2026

Amount: \$2500

Who is Eligible: Senior in top 50% of class and member of SBEC planning to attend Prairie View A&M University

Apply online at:

<https://www.sbec.org/scholarships>

Cody Thompson Memorial Scholarship - March 13, 2026

Due: March 13, 2026

Who is Eligible: Graduating Seniors who reside in Austin, Colorado, Fayette, Lavaca, or Wharton County

Amount: \$5000

Application: Available online at www.codythompsonmemorial.com

Submit to: codythompsonmemorial@gmail.com

Information:

- Will need to include the following
 - Answers to application questions
 - Letter of recommendation
 - Copy of transcript
- They place preference on students who work, are involved with agriculture, sports, volunteering, and pursue their faith as well as intend on going to a tech school or trade school.
- Winner should plan to attend golf tournament where scholarship will be awarded

Commit for Life – March 16, 2026

Due: March 16, 2025

Amount: \$1000

Who is Eligible: Seniors who are active members of the blood drive team whose schools have at least 2 blood drives a year.

Information: Use your imagination and creativity to submit a 30-60 second video commercial or a 500 to 1,000 word essay that will educate and inspire individuals to save lives as a Commit for Life blood donor. Complete guidelines available on the website.

Apply online at:

<https://www.giveblood.org/programs/high-school-programs/cfl-scholarship/>

F.E. Foundation Scholarship – March 30, 2026

Due: March 33, 2026

Who is Eligible: Graduating Seniors with a GPA of 2.5 or Higher

Amount: \$650

Apply online at:

<https://thefefoundation.org>

Information: Must include a 250 word College-Career response.

Austin County Texas A&M Mothers' Club Scholarship – March 31, 2026

Due: March 31, 2026

Amount At least \$500

Who is Eligible: Austin County residents admitted to A&M with at least a 2.5 GPA

Information:

Applications – Fillable versions available online.

Submit applications to address listed on the form

<https://austincounty.aggie moms.org/scholarships-2/>

Will Byler Memorial Scholarship – April 15, 2026

Due: April 15, 2026

Who is Eligible:

- Graduating Seniors who reside in Austin County
- Must have participated in the Austin County Youth Rodeo Association
- Must have a minimum GPA of 2.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale or equivalent
- Applicants must enroll or plan to enroll in either college or university within the confines of the State of Texas

Amount: \$2000

Application: See Mrs. Klecka for an application

Submit to: Will and Bailee Byler Memorial Foundation
c/o Bill and Kerri Byler
PO Box 706
Bellville, TX 77418