

Upcoming Scholarships for 12th Graders @ EHS

- This year Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc., Lambda Zeta Chapter will be awarding the \$2000 (two thousand dollar) High School Community Scholarship and the \$1500 (one thousand five hundred dollar) Minority Engineering Scholarship. The purpose of these scholarships is to help defray the expenses of a student in the pursuit of studies at an institution of higher learning.
 - Scholarship applications are in electronic form and are **due no later than January 22nd, 2022**. Please access these applications via our chapter website at <https://www.zphiblz.org/scholarship> or at the links below:
 - High School Community Scholarship Application: <https://forms.gle/DGwhPeVmojBUPWGk8>
 - Minority Engineering Scholarship Application: <https://forms.gle/WmNC99VwqvZrQ9QGA>
 - Jaylen Avery Scholarship for Students with Special Needs: <https://forms.gle/EahqPTzJ8twmWoCn8>
 - Three letters of recommendation and an official transcript are to be sent electronically with the completed application (via upload) or emailed to the Scholarship Committee Chair at lzscholarshipcommittee@gmail.com.
- The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™ scholarship application is completed entirely online. Applicants will upload supplemental documents when completing the online application. Then, a school official or counselor will complete a second portion of the application online. The application is **due by February 1st @ 8pm** and can be found @ <https://apply.mykaleidoscope.com/scholarships/hlsrscholarship2022>
- The **George Foundation Higher Education Scholarship** application is now open. Applications are **due Feb. 15, 2022 at 3:00 PM**. More information can be found on our website at: <http://www.thegeorgefoundation.org/scholarships/higher-education-scholarships/>
To go directly to the application click here: <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/georgefoundation/>
- **The Sallie Mae Fund Scholarships**

To help first-generation, low-income, and minority students access and complete college, The Sallie Mae Fund, the charitable arm of Sallie Mae®, has again partnered with Thurgood Marshall College Fund to offer scholarships through its Bridging the Dream Scholarship Program.

- **The Bridging the Dream Scholarship for High School Seniors:** The Sallie Mae Fund will award (25) \$10,000 scholarships to high school seniors who plan to enroll in a two- or four-year degree professional certificate, or vocational training program. Seniors who excel inside and outside of the classroom and demonstrate financial need can apply **NOW through Feb. 28** at www.salliemae.com/landing/bridging-the-dream.
- **The Completing the Dream Scholarship:** The Sallie Mae Fund will award (185) gap scholarships worth up to \$2,500 each to minority students and those from underserved communities who are on track to graduate but are at-risk of not completing due to financial emergency or unpaid school bill. Students can apply **NOW** for the Completing the Dream Scholarship at www.salliemae.com/landing/completing-the-dream.

For official scholarship rules, visit www.salliemae.com/about/scholarship-opportunities. No purchase necessary. Void where prohibited.

- **2021-2022 Funding the Future Scholarship Opportunity - [2021_FTF_App_HR.pdf \(bvscu.org\)](#)**

TO BE ELIGIBLE, APPLICANTS MUST:

- Be a current member of BVSCU in good standing or join BVSCU by february 28, 2022.*
- Be a high school senior and on schedule to graduate from an accredited school.
- Submit all required documents with application. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
- Be able to provide BVSCU with a written acceptance letter to an accredited u.s. university or college that will award a degree upon completion if he or she is chosen to receive a scholarship.
- Have a gpa that reflects a 3.0 or better (*on a 4.0 scale*).
- Be a u.s. citizen or permanent legal resident.

*Open a savings for \$5 online at www.bvscu.org or visit one of our locations.

- **Foundation 649**, a non-profit dedicated to discovering and empowering young, talented Asian Americans who are actively shaping our cultural and social identity. We're currently accepting applications for our 2022 scholarship to graduating Asian American/ Pacific Islander high schoolers (5 awards of \$4,000 USD spread over 4 years). This is our third year sponsoring the scholarship, and we would love for your seniors to **apply by March 1, 2022** via <https://www.foundation649.com/>.
- All applications to the Doug Miller and Don Sanders Scholarship Fund must be **received by March 1, 2022**.
 - If you know a student who is deserving of a full scholarship to a Texas public university, please encourage them to apply. www.dmdsscholarship.org
- Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation is pleased to announce that its scholarship program, Tzu Chi Scholars 2022, is now accepting applications. All high school graduating seniors are encouraged to apply. Tzu Chi Scholars are selected on the basis of financial need, academic achievement, and community involvement. This is a nationwide program and each scholar will be awarded a total of \$1,500. Students can also fill out the application online at <https://www.tzuchi.us/scholarships/> no later than **March 31, 2022**.
- The Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. Scholarship Foundation will award \$10,000 scholarships with paid summer internship opportunities, if the Firm hosts an intern program, to achieving high school seniors who are members of a racial/ethnic group which has been historically underrepresented in the legal profession (Black/African American, Asian (including South Asian), Hispanic/Latino, Native American/Indigenous, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, Middle Eastern/North African, and/or identify as a member of the LGBTQ+ community in the greater Austin, Dallas and Houston areas. These seniors must be interested in a career in law, be in the top 20% standing in their class with a minimum combined SAT score of 1100 or ACT score of 22, and demonstrate a financial need to attend college.
 - Students can apply via [V&E Diversity Scholarships | About Us | Vinson & Elkins LLP \(velaw.com\)](#) no later than **April 1, 2022**.
- **Men's College Scholarship** - Men are choosing paths other than college. To counter this trend, a diverse group of fraternity alumni founded the Men's College Scholarship which will award \$50,000 in scholarships this year to inspire college attendance and academic success by young men. **APPLY BY APRIL 1, 2022**

- The scholarship is designed to identify and reward outstanding high school seniors who have demonstrated an ability to excel in the fields of academics, extra-curricular school activities, and community involvement. The scholarship is available to any male, graduating senior from an accredited high school who is enrolling in a four-year undergraduate college program that commences in the fall. [High School Scholarship - Foundation for Fraternal Excellence \(foundationfe.org\)](https://www.foundationfe.org)

- Bill of Rights Institute's **2022 We the Students Essay Contest**
 - The grand prize is \$7,500 and a scholarship to the Constitutional Academy summer program in Washington, DC. Submissions are due **April 15th at 11:59 p.m. ET.** @ <https://billofrights.org/we-the-students-essay-contest>
 - This year's topic is: *How does an understanding of natural rights and respect build a free society?*
 - Answering the question requires an understanding of natural rights and how they relate to the principle of respect and how the flourishing of a free society is dependent upon them. To truly explore this question in an essay that is between 500 -800 words, students will need to go beyond "dictionary definitions," and express their understanding and reasoning about the connections among these principles. This reasoning involves a combination of observation, experience, and some pretty "big ideas." What does it take to understand them? To build toward and maintain them? To see them with regard to each other? Why are these relationships important?