

Current College Info

March 12, 2020

Class of 2020 Google Classroom invitation code- mortki1

Class of 2021 Google Classroom invitation code- bip5sx

Scholarship/Helpful Websites:

*<http://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship.php> -- a great scholarship link

*www.indianacollegecosts.org - calculates college costs, finds scholarships, explores Indiana colleges, and tips on how to save for college

www.mycollegedollars.com - scholarship database

www.fafsa.ed.gov - federal financial aid website

www.finaid.org - scholarship database, info on student loans

www.fastweb.com - scholarship and college database, career planning

www.legacyfdn.org/scholarships.php - local scholarship material

www.collegegoalsunday.org - free help with FAFSA

www.in.gov/che -- Division of Student Financial Aid

collegebound.gohammond.com/index.php - City of Hammond College Bound

<http://www.studentscholarships.org/2015scholarships.php>

www.parchment.com - scroll down to "college admission tools" to see acceptance chances to certain colleges plus other helpful info

<http://www.dreamersroadmap.com/> - Scholarship opportunities for undocumented students

www.CollegeCovered.com/Assist- Valuable free resources from Discover Card for college scholarships.

<http://www.laplazaindy.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/09/La-Plaza-Scholarship-Guide-English-Fall-2015.pdf>- Scholarship guide for Indiana Latinos.

<https://nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/> - what college is right for your budget

The Cox Scholarship at Indiana University is being offered to all students. Please find more information at www.coxscholars.indiana.edu.

College Board is offering the College Board Opportunity Scholarship worth between \$500-\$40,000 to students all students regardless of GPA, test scores, family income and citizenship status. Students need to complete all six actions which can be found by visiting <https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/>.

Louie's Tux Shop is hosting its 7th annual statewide model search beginning September 1st. The top models who are picked will receive a \$1,000 college scholarship. To learn more about this scholarship, please visit www.louiestuxshop.com/modelsearch.

The Mazzaro Organization of McDonalds is offering college tuition assistance to all employees. Employees can receive up to \$2,500 per year in assistance. If you are interested in learning more about this employee assistance program, please visit <http://www.archwaystoopportunity.com/>.

The Next Generation Scholarship of \$500 is available to all seniors who are attending a university, college or trade school in the fall of 2020. Applications are available in the guidance office and the deadline is **March 13, 2020**

The Fueling the Minds of the Future Scholarship worth \$2,000 is available to all seniors with at least a 2.5 GPA. The scholarship can be found by visiting <http://fuelingminds.com/> by **March 16th**. This scholarship does require an essay, so prepare ahead of time.

The Hammond City Council is once again providing fifteen \$1,000 scholarships to Hammond Indiana high school seniors graduating in May/June, 2020. The Scholarship application is available in the main office. Completed application can be turned in to Mrs. Schassburger. Deadline to turn them in is **March 29, 2020**.

The Construction Advancement Foundation is offering a scholarship to those students interested in pursuing a career in the construction or related field such as engineering. Applications are available in the guidance office. Deadline to apply is **March 31, 2020**.

Advance Federal Credit Union is offering several scholarships to students who are members or have family members who are members of the credit union. Interested students should visit www.advancefcu.org by **March 31, 2020**.

Proud Scholars is offering a scholarship to students who identify as LGBT. The scholarship window is from **November 1st to March 1st** and please find more information at www.proudscholars.org/forstudents.

Prom Genie is offering a scholarship to girls with a 3.0GPA or higher. Applications are available in the guidance office. Deadline to apply is **March 6, 2020**.

BP Amoco is offering the BP Global STEM Academics Scholarship where 100 students will be given the opportunity to study abroad in Brazil or Egypt. This four-week program exposes students to key STEM principles and global competence skills. Students must be

between the ages of 15-17.5 years of age and all information can be found by visiting <https://afs.org/stem-academy-scholarships/>. Scholarship due date is **March 9, 2020**.

The Fueling the Minds of the Future Scholarship worth \$2,000 is available to all seniors with at least a 2.5 GPA. The scholarship can be found by visiting <http://fuelingminds.com/> by **March 16th**. This scholarship does require an essay, so prepare ahead of time.

The Polish Heritage Association of Michigan City is offering its eight annual scholarship/essay contest. The competition is open to any high school or college student, regardless of ethnic background, legally residing in Northwest Indiana (Lake, Porter, LaPorte, Starke, St. Joseph Counties). We invite all your qualified students to compete for one of three prizes: 1st Place (\$1,000), 2nd Place (\$500), or 3rd Place (\$250). Applications are in the guidance and the deadline to apply is **March 31, 2020**.

Standard Motor Products is offering a scholarship for women who are pursuing an education in automotive technology or repair at a technical school. For more information and to apply, visit www.SMPWIACscholarship.com Deadline is **March 31, 2020**.

St Catherine Hospital is offering several scholarships to students pursuing the healthcare field. Application packets can be found in the guidance office. All materials must be received by **April 1, 2020**.

The Indiana Sheriff's Association is offering a scholarship to all Indiana seniors who will be pursuing a degree in criminal justice. Applications are available in the guidance office. **Deadline is April 1, 2020**.

Women's International Network of Utility Professionals is offering a \$500 STEM scholarship to students planning to attend school after high school in a science, technology, engineering, or mathematics curriculum. The application can be found at: https://www.winup.org/content.aspx?page_id=22&club_id=537788&module_id=371848 Deadline to apply is **April 3, 2020**.

The Hoosier Coho Club is offering up to 2 \$1000 scholarships to qualifying students. Applications and eligibility requirements are available in the guidance office. Deadline to apply **April 3, 2020**.

The Alberico Scholarship worth \$2,500 is being offered to all Chicagoland and Northwest Indiana seniors who have at least a 3.0 GPA and can demonstrate financial need. For more information and to apply online, please visit <http://www.albericoscholar.com/apply/> by **April 15th**.

The Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority is offering 4 \$1000 scholarships to two female and two male African American Students. Must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher. Applications are available in the guidance office. Deadline to apply is **April 17, 2020**.

Student Insights is offering the Student View Scholarship worth between \$500-\$1,5000 to all students regardless of test scores or GPA. Scholarship materials can be found by visiting www.student-view.com and all materials are due by **April 22, 2020**.

The Alpha Omega Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International is offering a \$500 scholarship to a female student entering the teaching field. Applications are available in the guidance office and you must have 4 letters of recommendation, so do not wait until the last minute. Deadline to apply is **April 24, 2020**.

Indiana ADA Coordinator's Scholarship is open to students who are pursuing a degree in education, architecture, medicine, physical therapy, civil engineering, etc. Qualified applicants will have a 3.0 GPA, ACT of 21 or higher, or SAT of 1030 or higher. Applications can be found in the guidance office. Deadline is **May 1, 2020**.

The Hammond Branch NAACP scholarship is available to a senior who has demonstrated outstanding academic achievement and strong community leadership. Applications are available in the guidance office. The deadline to apply is **May 8, 2020**

B. Davis Scholarship is available to all seniors. A small essay is required. Visit <http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm> for more information. Deadline is **May 22, 2020**.

Blue Streak is offering a \$5,000 scholarship to 4 deserving students who pursuing an education in automotive technology or repair at a technical college. For more information and to apply, visit www.bluestreakscholarship.com Deadline is **May 31, 2020**.

PB & J Scholarship is open to students who have experienced challenges in their life but have a drive to succeed. To apply, visit <http://bit.ly/pbjolars2020> by **May 31, 2020**.

Abbott and Fenner are offering a \$1,000 scholarship to juniors and seniors who can elaborate on post-graduation plans. There is no GPA requirement. Please visit <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.php> for all application materials by **June 12, 2020**.

The AES Engineers Scholarship worth \$500 is being offered to all students regardless of their field of study. To be eligible the student needs to answer one of the essay questions that can be found at <http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm>. The deadline to apply is **October 5, 2020**.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha offers more than 200 scholarships to deserving students. You do not have to be an ESA member to apply for a scholarship, and our application process is 100% online. The information about the scholarships, requirements and applications are available on our website: www.epsilonsigmaalpha.org/scholarships-and-grants

Archways to Opportunity is a tuition-assistance program offered by McDonalds for all employees that work at least 15 hours a week. For more information, please visit <http://www.archwaystoopportunity.com/>.

IUPUI-The George W. Carver Teaching Initiative (CTI) is a scholarship and career development program dedicated to the recruitment, retention, and support of high-achieving, underrepresented minority youth in STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics) teaching careers. Among the many benefits, CTI Scholars receive up to \$33,000 in scholarship support; paid summer internships, professional networking and career building opportunities, and support with job placement. Interested students can learn more by visiting <https://www.es2rp.org/cti>.

The Indiana Nursing Scholarship was created in 1990 to encourage students to pursue degrees and careers in nursing. To be eligible, students must be accepted to an approved nursing program at a state institute of higher education, must have a minimum GPA of 2.0, and must demonstrate the requisite level of financial need. This is an award-for-service scholarship, and recipients must agree to work at a critical need healthcare facility within the state for a minimum of 2 years. The maximum annual award is \$5000, and the scholarship is renewable for as long as the student meets the eligibility requirements. For more information, please visit <https://www.nursingscholarships.org/indiana/>.

The Minority Teacher/Special Services Scholarship was created in 1988 to address the critical shortage of African-American and Hispanic-American teachers within the state of Indiana. Eligible applicants must be pursuing a teaching certificate at a state college or university. While non-minority students may apply, preference is given to students of African-American and Hispanic-American descent. The maximum annual award is \$4000 for minority students and \$1000 for non-minority students. The scholarship is renewable for as long as the student can meet the program requirements. For more information, please visit <https://www.in.gov/che/4507.htm>.

Please visit <https://ulofnwi.communityforce.com> for more scholarship opportunities from Urban League of Northwest Indiana.

!!Important Info!!

The National College Fair will be held at the Donald E Stephens Convention Center on **Saturday, March 14 from 11am - 3pm**. Register for free at www.gotomyncf.com

The Kelley School of Business at Indiana University is hosting a two-week Business is Global program for high school sophomores, juniors, and seniors interested in experiencing the intersection of business, language, and culture. The application deadline is **April 8th** and all materials can be found by visiting <http://go.iu.edu/6bw>. The cost of the program is \$1,900 and scholarships are available.

Elite Medical Training/ Elite Ambulance is offering an 18 week program on becoming an EMT. For more information on how to become an EMT and sign up for this course, please visit www.eliteamb.net/careers.

Valparaiso University is hosting several fall career fairs in the fields of education, business, nursing, and non-profit management. For dates please visit www.career.center@valpo.edu.

Todd Young's Office presents Academy Day to all students who are interested in learning more about the US Armed Services and being admitted into a US Service Academy. Several dates are coming up in late August. For more information and to RSVP, please visit <https://www.young.senate.gov/help/academy-nominations>.

In Training College is offering weekend Certified Nursing Assistant Courses. For more information, please visit <https://www.intrainingcollege.com/>.

Integrity Tree Services is looking for employees who are interested in learning how to operate heavy machinery and complete diagnostic tree care. Interested parties can apply at www.integritytreecareers.com.

Elite Medical Training/ Elite Ambulance is offering an 18 week program on becoming an EMT. For more information on how to become an EMT and sign up for this course, please visit www.eliteamb.net/careers.

The University of Notre Dame is hosting a Summer Scholars program for all interested high school students. The program dates are from **June 27th-July 11th** and programs offered include: photography; accounting; STEM fields; social sciences; and literature. For more information and to apply, please visit <https://precollege.nd.edu/summer-scholars/>

The International Union of Elevator Constructors Local 2 is taking apprenticeship applications. The application opens June 16th and will remain open until 800 applications are received or the **June 29th** deadline. Applicants need to be at least 18 years-old, have a high school degree or GED, and pass a drug screening and written exam. The annual median salary is \$79,480. Please find the application by visiting <https://www.neiep.org/> or by calling 800-228-8220.

The Clinical Assistant Program is being offered through the Community Healthcare System. This 12 week program is designed to prepare students for entry level positions in a clinical laboratory. A career as a Clinical Assistant involves patient registration, specimen collection such as blood drawing, as well as, preparing patient samples for laboratory testing. For more information please visit www.comhs.org/cap.

Dates to Remember:

- **SAT** May 2 (Deadline April 3)
- **ACT** June 13 (Deadline May 22)

(Please remind students to check out Khan Academy online for personalized test prep for the SAT)

Check college websites for application deadlines and admission requirements!

If we are sending your scholarship application, DO NOT WAIT until the due date!

When you receive a college acceptance letter or letter from the military, please bring it to Mrs. Polen to copy so we can hang it up and celebrate with you!