

GWHS Scholarship Newsletter #4– December, 2018

1. 2019-20 FAFSA Opens – Any student planning to attend college in the 2019-20 academic year should file a FAFSA at fafsa.gov beginning **October 1, 2018**.
2. Promise Scholarship – Applications open for the class of 2019 on **October 1, 2018**.
3. Going Merry – This is a free platform that enables students to find and apply directly to all of their scholarships from one site. It also allows counselors to track and support their students' applications. Go to www.goingmerry.com/sign-up.
4. March 2 Success- This is an online, self-paced course designed to improve student performance on standardized tests while enhancing student math, science, English and STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering , and Math) skills. It is available 24 hours/day, 7/days per week so that students can log on at all times. This is through the US Army but there is no obligation whatsoever.
5. National Center for Learning Disabilities – Anne Ford and Allegra Ford Thomas Scholarships. These scholarships offer financial assistance to two seniors with documented learning disabilities and/or ADHD who are pursuing post-secondary education. Go to: Allegra Ford Thomas Scholarship (<http://www.ncid.org/scholarships-and-awards#scholarship-318>). Anne Ford Scholarship (<http://www.ncid.org/scholarships-and-awards#scholarship-320>).
6. ROTC National Scholarship Program – This scholarship provides high-achieving students with both four and three-year scholarships that pay for full university tuition and fees OR room and board valued at \$10,000/year. (<http://www.goarmy.com/rotc/high-school-students/four-year-scholarship.html>).
7. Brandeis University Scholarships – Numerous scholarships are available for outstanding students that range from \$10,000 to \$20,500 annually. These scholarships are awarded to the most academically outstanding students. Students do not need to apply for merit funding. They will be thoroughly considered during the application process. Please see your counselor for additional information.
8. BLUR Scholarship – This is a new revolutionary private messaging and gaming app. They are giving away thousands of dollars in scholarship and prizes every day! You can begin winning scholarship money and prizes by downloading BLUR for the iPhone or Android by visiting www.theblurapp.com.
9. Mensa Foundation Scholarships – This foundation is offering scholarships to students of all ages. The application period is open from **September 15, 2018 through January 15, 2019**. Applicants must submit an essay to be considered. Grades, academic program and/or financial need are not included in the final determination of scholarship recipients. Find out more by visiting mensafoundation.org or by calling (888)294-8035, ext. 5509.
10. Military Child of the Year - \$10,000. **Deadline: December 5, 2018.**
11. AXA Achievement Scholarship - \$25,000. **Deadline: December 14, 2018.**
12. North American Van Lines Logistics Scholarship - \$1,000 – 5 Awards. Applicant must be a US citizen (or permanent resident) and be enrolled (or enrolling) as a full-time student of an accredited college/university within the US for completion of an undergraduate degree in Logistics or equivalent field. Go to: <https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/11374/north-american-van-lines-logistics-scholarship-scholarship.php>. **Deadline: December 15, 2018.**
13. Norwich University “Take the Lead” Scholarship - \$2,000. Complete an online application for Fall, 2019 enrollment. Send in any required supplemental items (i.e. high school transcript, test scores). Complete the FAFSA and include Norwich University – 00369200. Students that complete these 3 easy steps by **December 15, 2018**, and are accepted, will earn an additional \$2,000 for the next four years. That is equivalent to \$8,000 towards a Norwich education.
14. Dolman Law Group Scholarship - \$1,100 – 1 Award. Applicant must be currently attending or planning to attend a college or university during the 2019-20 academic year and be in good academic standing with your current educational institution. Go to: <https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/11192/dolman-law-group-scholarship-scholarship.php>. **Deadline: December 29, 2018.**
15. SBO Essay Scholarship Contest - \$1,000 – 10 Awards. Applicant must be a legal resident of the US or Puerto Rico and be planning on attending a college or university during the 2019-20 academic year. Go to: <https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10084/sbo-essay-scholarship-contest-scholarship.php>. **Deadline: December 31, 2018.**
16. UNIGO \$10K Scholarship – **Deadline: December 31, 2018.**
17. The West Virginia Junior Chamber International Senate – Applicant must be a US citizen to qualify for this scholarship and state must have an active JCI Senate Program. Go to: www.usjcisenate.org for application. **Deadline: January 11, 2019.**

18. WVU Merit Scholarships – Some criteria have changed for the 2019-2020 academic year. For more information, go to: <https://admissions.wvu.edu/files/d/276df541-ce85-47b4-9a2c-a2eaab71c37a/scholarship-handout-web.png>. For information regarding the most prestigious merit awards for the Neil S. Bucklew & Foundation Scholarships, go to: <https://www.honors.wvu.edu/about/staff/development-officer>. You can also contact Brian Hoover in the WVU Honors College at brian.hoover@mail.wvu.edu. WVU encourages incoming freshmen students to visit Scholarship and Financial Aid website at <https://financialaid.wvu.edu/home/scholarships/freshmen/residents> for up-to-date information and to learn more about the comprehensive listing of WVU merit opportunities.
19. Kids' Chance of West Virginia Scholarships – These are administered by the Greater Kanawha Valley Foundation and are for one year only. A renewal application must be filed for subsequent years. To apply, complete the foundation's online scholarship application a www.tgkvf.org/scholar.htm. **Application Deadline: January 15, 2019. Recipients will be notified by May 15, 2019.**
20. 10 Words or Less Scholarship - \$500 – 1 Award. Applicant must be anyone who is between the ages of 14-25 who will be attending school in the fall of 2019. Go to: <https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10258/10>. **Deadline: January 31, 2019.**
21. WV Garden Club Scholarship – This is a scholarship made possible from longtime member, Esther Hinchman. It is a \$500 scholarship offered to students majoring in some form of Horticulture or Environmental Studies. Applicant must be a high school senior and have a 3.25 GPA or higher. Applications are available from any WV Garden Club District Director or Club President. **Deadline: February 1, 2019,**
22. Gettysburg College Stem Scholarship – In order to be eligible student must be a US citizen, national alien admitted as a refugee or an alien lawfully admitted to the US for permanent residence. They must demonstrate financial need through submission of FAFSA and the CSS Profile, be enrolled as a full-time student and intend to major in one of the following fields: Biology, Biochemistry & Molecular Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematics or Physics. Student must complete the application online or complete and mail the PDF application by **February 1, 2019**. You must also complete and submit your application for admission by the Regular Decision deadline date of **February 1, 2019**. Submit financial aid applications by **February 1, 2019**. See your counselor for more info.
23. Deadline to Submit the FAFSA – Deadline to complete the FAFSA and complete the application to apply for **PROMISE Scholarship – March 1, 2019.**
24. WV Italian Heritage Festival Scholarship – These scholarships are open to students of Italian descent and range in funds available from \$250 up to \$1,000. Details are: Applicants must be of Italian descent. Applicants must pay \$10.00 registration fee (non-refundable). **Forms must be postmarked by March 1, 2019.**
25. WV Higher Education Grant Program – Deadline to submit the FAFSA to apply for WV Higher Education Grant Program – **April 15, 2019.**
26. Nursing Scholarship – Application becomes available – **April 15, 2019.**
27. Cancer Unwrapped Teen Writing Contest From Cancer Pathways – The goal of this program is to open a dialogue with teens about the emotions they have felt when dealing with cancer. Essays can be about their own experience of a personal diagnosis or about their experience with the diagnosis of a loved one/schoolmate/friend. **Contest Deadline: April 15, 2019.**
28. Federal Pell Grant – <http://www.fafsa.gov> - **June 1, 2019.**
29. Christian College Scholarship Drawing – Applicant must be a high school junior or senior who plans to enroll for the first time as a full-time student at a Christ-centered Christian college or Bible college with 18 months of being notified that they have won the award. **Deadline: May 31, 2019.**
30. Christian College Edge Scholarship - \$1,000. Applicant must complete a survey found on the sponsor's website to be automatically entered into scholarship drawing. Applicant must also be enrolling for the first time as a full-time student at a Christian college/university. **Deadline: May 31, 2019.**
31. University of Texas – Dallas McDermott Scholarship Program – These scholars are an eclectic and multi-talented group of individuals. It offers: \$1,400/monthly stipends year around, \$1,000/yearly textbook stipend, \$12,000 to study abroad, \$3,000 for professional development, tickets to cultural events in Dallas, travel home twice a year and much, much more. Value: \$250,000
32. H&R Block Budget Challenge – Learn fiscal discipline and budgeting skills. Through the free online game, students pay bills, manage expenses, save money, invest in retirement and pay taxes as if they were recent college graduates. Just for playing, students could win one of ten \$20,000 college scholarships!

33. WV Army National Guard- Up to 100% paid college tuition and up to \$11,000 per year (up to completion of a Graduate Degree). There is a \$20,000 enlistment bonus. For more information, contact your area WV Army National Guard Representative – SGT Gerald Fitzwater (304) 415-0864.
34. ONET- For students interested in researching a particular career, go to ONET.com.
35. Other scholarships and sites to research – Some of these are awarded monthly:

American Bullion Scholarship	Fifth Month Scholarship	Top 10 Scholarship	Small Business Scholarship
Sweet and Simple Scholarship	Make Me Laugh Scholarship	No Essay Scholarship	Scooter Scholarship
All About Education Scholarship	Shout It Out Scholarship	Fastweb	I Have a Dream
DO-Over-Scholarship	Zombie Apocalypse Scholarship	Schooly	Turner Pest Control Scholarship
Flavor of the Month Scholarship	Education Matters Scholarship	CFWV.com	Ivey Engineering Scholarship
CollegeWeekLive Scholarship	ScholarshipPoints \$10,000 Scholarship	CollegeXpress	Video Contest Scholarship
Goodcall.com	Unigo.com/Our-Scholarships	You Deserve It	Tese Caldarelli Memorial Scholarship
Course Hero Scholarship	Courage to Grow Scholarship	World Dances	Zagunis Student Leader Scholarship
Cappex Easy College Money	eCollege Fitness Scholarship	Edge Scholarship	Create-a-Greeting Card Scholarship
Refer a Friend	ScholarshipOwn	JRC Insurance Group	Courage to Grow Scholarship