

SHS SCHOLARSHIPS

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DID YOU KNOW?

Students received a total of \$122.7 billion in scholarships and grants in 2013-14. About 40% of this free money comes from the federal government and, to qualify, you need to fill out the FAFSA. Here's a breakdown of where grant money comes from: 40% Federal 39% College 13% Private 8% State

SCHOLARSHIP	GRADE	DESCRIPTION/QUALIFICATIONS	AMOUNT	DUE DATE
OK Promise	8 th 9 th 10 th	Students whose families earn less than \$50,000 can qualify for 5yr tuition waiver at any Oklahoma college. Students must maintain a 2.5 GPA in their core subjects and in their cumulative courses, and stay out of trouble and away from drugs/alcohol. Information is in the counselor's office or go to www.okhighered.org	Tuition	June 30, 2016
OK College Savings Plan		This is our State's official 529 college savings plan www.ok4saving.org		
OU, OSU, OCCC, Seminole, ECU, UCO	Seniors	Check the specific college website for available scholarships for next fall. Several are listed for each college/university. For most websites, look under their prospective student category then find the scholarship link www.ecok.edu www.ou.edu www.uco.edu www.occc.edu www.okstate.edu www.msocok.edu	Varies	February – March depending on the school
Oklahoma Hall of Fame Scholarship	Seniors	HS seniors who attend on OK public/private charter or homeschool. Students will not be restricted in their field of study and may be used at any higher ed institution. Based on academic achievements, leadership roles, civic/community involvement along with knowledge learned from researching members of the OK Hall of Fame. www.oklahomaHOF.com	\$5,000	Friday Sept 25, 2015
Coca-Cola Scholarships Foundation	Seniors	www.coca-colascholars.org is an achievement-based scholarship awarded to graduating high school seniors each year. Students	Up to \$20,000	October 31, 2015

		are recognized for their capacity to lead and serve, and their commitment to making a significant impact on their schools and communities.		
Wendy's	Senior	Applicants must be entering their high school senior year and participate in one of 27 officially sanctioned sports. Eligible students have a minimum 3.0 GPA. Selection is based on academic achievement, community service and athletic accomplishments – https://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com/	Opens 7.1 Closes 10.2 Reviewer deadline 10.6 School winners announced 10.26 State winners announced 11.2	
Jack Kent Cooke College scholarship program	Senior and college students	The Jack Kent Cooke Foundation's scholarship programs are designed to encourage and support outstanding students who work hard and have financial need. Our scholarships provide financial assistance and academic support to high school, undergraduate, and graduate students. www.jkcf.org/scholarship-programs	Up to \$40,000	Sept-Nov
Dell Scholars	Senior	Our GPA requirement is Grit, Potential and Ambition. www.dellscholars.org		Open Nov 1 Deadline Jan 15
Elks National Foundation	Senior	Students must be US citizen or a lawful resident of the US. Information available at www.elks.org/enf/scholars	\$1,000 - \$12,500	December 4, 2015
US Dish	Senior	www.usdish.com/scholarship	\$1000	December
OYE	Senior			December
AXA Achievement	Senior	Students who set and reach ambitious goals, demonstrate drive, determination and ability to succeed in college who have respect for self, family and community. Go to www.axa-achievement.com For more information	\$10,000-\$25,000	
NFIB Young Entrepreneur	Senior	Must be involved in extracurricular activities leadership activities, and entrepreneurial endeavors. Go online to www.NFIB.com/YEA to apply		
Oklahoma JCI Senate Club	Senior	The applications will be judged based on appearance, neatness, content, scholastic abilities, extracurricular activities, and financial need. Go online for more information www.jayceefoundationofok.org/applications.htm	\$1,000	

RESOURCES & LINKS

<p>Online Scholarship Searches or resources</p>	<p>Senior Junior Sophomore</p>	<p>www.collegeview.com www.cappex.com/scholarships www.collegestart.com www.fastweb.com www.wiredscholar.com www.findtuition.com www.collegeboard.com www.moolahspot.com www.nextstepu.com www.finaid.org www.okhighered.com www.scholarships.com www.scholarshipexperts.com www.christianconnector.com http://www.skillsusa.org/membership-resources/scholarships-financial-aid/ www.superfuturescholarship.org https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college/grants-scholarships www.petersons.com www.collegexpress.com www.nacacnet.org www.ucan-network.org www.ok-ahead.org/scholar.html (Disability Scholarships) www.hsf.net (Hispanic Scholarships) www.am-blk-coll.com (African American Scholarships)</p>		
<p>Native American Scholarship Sites and scholarships</p>	<p>Seniors</p>	<p>www.chickasaw.net www.choctawnation.com www.cherokee.org www.seminoletribe.org John C. Smith Scholarship (SAP) (\$5,000 yr matched by Choctaw Nation) Mitchell Scholarships (SAP) Oklahoma Indian Student Honor Society Chief Ellis Scholarship – National JOM Chief Pushmataha College Scholarship Fund (SAP) Choctaw Nation Higher Education Scholarship Udall Scholarship</p>		
<p>ACT/SAT Test Prep & books</p>		<p>www.act.org www.toptestprep.com</p>		
<p>Financial Aid Sites</p>		<p>www.okhighered.org www.fafsa.ed.gov www.nasfaa.org</p>		

		http://studentaid.ed.gov		
Discounted Textbooks		www.alibris.com www.chegg.com www.ecampus.com		
Resume		www.resume-now.com		

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

Leadership Oklahoma Juniors Only	Juniors that live in Oklahoma and have at least a 3.25 GPA. There will be a Youth Leadership week in June. You will travel to selected locations in Oklahoma to learn about and experience our state's treasures, meet adult community and state leaders, and develop personal leadership skills. All expenses related to transportation, lodging, and meals will be paid. You can go online for more information www.leadershipoklahoma.com	Application opens in January 2016
OUS President's Leadership Council Conclave	The OSU Leadership Conclave will be a two-day event held in February, on the Oklahoma State University campus and will be centered on developing leadership characteristics essential to both college and individual success. While providing workshops, service opportunities, and guest speakers, the Conclave will be student organized and guaranteed to be an exciting weekend of learning and fun	