

# SCHOLARSHIP NEWSLETTER

Central Kitsap High School

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## SCHOLARSHIPS

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### ALERT MAGAZINE

*Deadline: June 1, 2010* \$500 to seniors with 2.5 GPA or above. Write an essay (600-1000 words) about a personal encounter you/someone you know had with drugs and/or alcohol abuse, how it was dealt with, and what was right or wrong about the way the incident or problem was handled. Visit [www.alertmagazine.org](http://www.alertmagazine.org)

**AMERICAN MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC ACADEMY AUDITIONS & SCHOLARSHIPS** *Deadline: Feb 1, 2010* Seniors, if you are pursuing acting, musical theatre, dance or performing arts, pick up a nomination form in Counseling. AMDA will notify you if you are chosen for an audition. See [www.AMDA.edu](http://www.AMDA.edu) for details.

### ANCHOR BAY MORTGAGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

*Deadline: April 23, 2010* \$300 Seniors with a GPA of 3.0 or higher may apply. Write an essay on your major, your first choice of a college, when you started planning, and how you plan on paying for college. Pick up an application in Counseling.

### BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU - Students of Integrity

*Deadline: December 1, 2009* Scholarships of \$1,000 for seniors with a GPA of 3.5 or higher. One letter of recommendation and a 1,000 word essay on the importance of ethics and integrity in tough economic times. Apply online at <http://alaskaoregonwesternwashington.bbb.org/scholarship>.

### CULINARY INSTITUTE OF AMERICA SCHOLARSHIPS

The CIA in New York is the place where the food world find its next executive chefs, managers, food writers and media personalities. Multiple scholarships are available! Cream of the Crop, Top Turkey, and SAT/ACT to name a few. See [www.ciachef.edu](http://www.ciachef.edu).

### DR. SUESS—"Oh the Places You'll Go"

*Deadline: Feb. 15, 2010* \$5000 to a high school senior who understands and values the limitless possibilities that education can offer with a scholarship award. See [www.ohtheplaces.org](http://www.ohtheplaces.org)

### GATES MILLENNIUM SCHOLARS

*Deadline: January 11, 2010* Renewable scholarships for seniors of African American, American Indian, Asian Pacific Islander or Hispanic decent. You must have at least a 3.3 GPA, have demonstrated leadership abilities, and are eligible for financial aid. Application and instructions online at [www.gmsp.org](http://www.gmsp.org), and in the counseling office.

**GET - Guaranteed Education Tuition** If you buy one year of college tuition today (100 GET units), the state guarantees that price, no matter how much tuition increases in the future. GET units purchased ten years ago have realized a 77% return! The choice of eligible colleges is almost unlimited, nearly any public/ private or vocational school in the country. It is a state 529 plan, so your money grows tax-free. To learn more visit [www.get.wa.gov](http://www.get.wa.gov).



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# Scholarships

## **GET READY FOR MATH & SCIENCE CONDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIP**

*Deadline: Jan. 8, 2010* Up to \$7,000 is renewable for students majoring in math or science at a Washington state community, technical, or 4-year college, and will work in Washington state for at least three years after graduation. Income limits apply, see Mrs. Jones or go to <http://www.hecb.wa.gov/paying/waaidprgm/GETREADYformathscience.asp>

## **GILDA'S CLUB OF SEATTLE—"It's Always Something" Scholarship**

*Deadline: Feb 1, 2010* \$2,500 for the Guy Robichaud Prize to the winner of the essay about their personal experience with a cancer diagnosis. The \$2,500 Kai Leamer prize goes to the winner of the essay contest about their cancer experience of a friend or loved one. There will also be \$1,000 and \$500 winners for second place, and six runner-ups. Pick up an application in Counseling.

## **KELLY FOUNDATION OF WASHINGTON - Ewing C. Kelly Scholarship**

*Deadline: March 10, 2010* \$2,500 Looking for seniors that will be judged on academic merit, extra-curricular achievements both scholastically and in the community, and financial need. You must have an application pending at a public/private college/university. Need a composite score of 20 on the ACT, or a composite score of 1400 on the SAT. Pick up an application from Mrs. Jones in the Counseling Office.

## **KENTUCKY FRIED CHICKEN COLONEL'S SCHOLARS**

*Deadline: February 10, 2010* \$20,000 Up to \$5,000 per year for seniors that have a minimum GPA of 2.75 and pursuing a bachelor's degree at a public in-state college or university. Must be a U.S. citizen. Go to [www.kfcscholars.org](http://www.kfcscholars.org) to apply!

## **MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY**

MSU has a fantastic scholarship program! For new freshman scholarships or achievement awards, all students need to do is apply for admission and have their official ACT or SAT scores sent directly to MSU from the testing company. Or go online at [www.montana.edu/admissions/scholarships.shtml](http://www.montana.edu/admissions/scholarships.shtml).

## **NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT BUSINESS - Young Entrepreneurs Scholarship**

*Deadline: December 31, 2009* \$1,000-\$10,000 The committee seeks students that are entering an accredited 2 or 4 year university, college, or Voc/Tech. They should demonstrate an entrepreneurial spirit and initiative, such as starting your own business, participation in DECA, Future Business Leaders of America, or Junior Achievement, etc. An official established business is not a requirement. Apply online at [www.NFIB.com/YEA](http://www.NFIB.com/YEA).

## **NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR COOPERATIVE EDUCATION**

*Deadline: February 15, 2010* \$6,000 170 scholarships available, renewable, merit, co-op scholarships from participating colleges. Including Pace Univ., Drexel Univ., U of Cincinnati, Wentworth Inst. Of Technology, Kettering Univ., U of Toledo, Rochester Inst. Of Tech., and Johnson & Wales Univ. Go to [www.co-op.edu](http://www.co-op.edu) to apply.

## **NATIONAL MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS SOCIETY—O'Donnell Family Scholarship**

*Deadline: Jan 15, 2010* Up to \$3,000 a year for students that have MS or have a parent with MS, and live in Washington state. Go to [www.MSwashington.org](http://www.MSwashington.org) and click Programs & Services, then on Financial Support.

## **SEATTLE UNIVERSITY – Sullivan Leadership Award**

*Deadline: November 15, 2009* Nine awards are given each year based on demonstrated service, leadership and academic achievement. This award is for full tuition and room/board for four years. Candidates usually have at least a 3.5 GPA. Award and admissions application must be completed and postmarked by November 15th. Info and application at [www.seattleu.edu/sullivan](http://www.seattleu.edu/sullivan).

## **UNITED STATES JUNIOR CHAMBER INTERNATIONAL SENATE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP**

*Deadline: Jan 10, 2010* \$1,000 A varying number of grants are offered each year. This scholarship is based on financial need, leaderships, activities, awards, and employment. Pick up an application in Counseling.

## **UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON—Husky Promise**

*Deadline: February 2010* Tuition and fees covered for students who have been admitted to any of UW's three campuses and qualify for State and Federal Pell Grants. You must submit your FAFSA form by February ! Visit [www.washington.edu](http://www.washington.edu).

## **WALMART - SAM WALTON COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP**

*Deadline: January 29, 2010* \$3,000 for seniors with a minimum 2.5 GPA and demonstrated financial need. There are also two other scholarships available for dependents of Walmart employees. One awards \$3,000 to a dependent with a minimum 2.5 GPA and financial need, the other \$13,000 over four years with at least a 22 on the ACT or 1030 on the SAT. See [www.walmartfoundation.org](http://www.walmartfoundation.org) for the application.

## SCHOLARSHIP WEBSITES

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### **US BANK**

*Deadline End of March, 2010* Up to forty, \$1,000 to high school seniors planning to attend a 2 or 4 year college full-time next fall. Recipients are selected through a random drawing process. Check website for eligible colleges. Online applications only. Go to [www.usbank.com/studentloans](http://www.usbank.com/studentloans).

### **WASHINGTON AEROSPACE SCHOLARS PROGRAM**

*Deadline: Nov 6, 2009* Juniors interested in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) this program will help you explore career options and address the national shortage in these fields. Selected applicants will complete a series of web-based lessons on history and the future of space exploration. There will be a six day residential experience in Seattle in July. There is no cost for participation. Pick up an application in Counseling or visit [www.museumofflight.org/washingtonaerospacescholars](http://www.museumofflight.org/washingtonaerospacescholars).

### **WASHINGTON CROSSING FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS**

*Deadline: Jan. 15, 2010* Competition open to all high school seniors who are U. S. citizens and are planning careers of service to the United States in local, state, or federal government. Entrants receiving full four-year scholarships shall be eligible only for one-year special awards. Awards for those entering Armed Forces Colleges are eligible for one-year special awards. See [www.gwcf.org](http://www.gwcf.org) for details.

## SCHOLARSHIP WEBSITES



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| www.fastweb.com       | www.students.gov     |
| www.freschinfo.com    | www.collegeboard.com |
| www.collegenet.com    | www.thewashboard.org |
| www.collegeanswer.com | www.collegeplan.org  |
| www.finaid.com        |                      |
| www.salliemae.com     |                      |
| www.anycollege.net    |                      |

## COLLEGE WEBSITES & MERIT-BASED SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINES

**Be sure to check out these websites for a complete list of their scholarship opportunities! Dates listed are deadlines for automatic consideration for merit-based scholarships when you fill out an admission application.**



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| University of Washington    | www.washington.edu | Dec. 1, 2009       |
| Washington State University | www.wsu.edu        | Jan. 31, 2010      |
| Central WA University       | www.cwu.edu        | Feb. 1, 2010       |
| Eastern WA University       | www.ewu.edu        | Feb. 15, 2010      |
| Western WA University       | www.wwu.edu        | Jan. 31, 2010      |
| Art Institute of Seattle    | www.ais.edu        | Various            |
| Gonzaga                     | www.gonzaga.edu    | Feb. 1, 2010       |
| Pacific Lutheran University | www.plu.edu        | Dec. 15, 2009      |
| Seattle Pacific University  | www.spu.edu        | Feb. 1, 2010       |
| Seattle University          | www.seattleu.edu   | Jan. 15, 2010      |
| University of Puget Sound   | www.ups.edu        | Jan. 15, 2010      |
| Olympic College             | www.olympic.edu    | End of March, 2010 |

## AVAILABILITY

Some applications are located behind Ms. Jones' desk in the Counseling Office, many are available online. Questions? Email Ms. Jones at [Allisonj@cksd.wednet.edu](mailto:Allisonj@cksd.wednet.edu) or stop by! To receive this newsletter at home, email Jo Conner at [joc@cksd.wednet.edu](mailto:joc@cksd.wednet.edu) to be added to the E-News list, or call 662-1620 to receive the paper version of E-News.