

GEORGE WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
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Scholarship Newsletter #3
October 16, 2023

NOTE: Seniors are responsible for mailing their own scholarships unless directed otherwise in the George Washington High School Scholarship Newsletter. Scholarship applications that do not have an internet link will be in the scholarship file cabinet in the Guidance office. *Pay attention to deadlines as some of these scholarships are closing soon.*

- The Eugene McDermott Scholars Program (University of Texas at Dallas): Full ride scholarship which includes tuition, stipends and educational resources such as study abroad funding and group travel. Deadline is Nov. 1st. https://provost.utdallas.edu/mcdermott-programs/emsp-overview/
- 2. **The Sallie Mae Scholarship**: Must meet one of the four eligibility requirements. **Deadline** is Oct. 31st. https://www.salliemae.com/scholarships/2k-scholarship/?dtd cell=SMPLSODCZPPSOTOTOTHOTHRN010000&utm source=studentscholarships&utm medium=cpc&utm campaign=acq1p ss s u u sch u u&utm content=app.
- 3. **Big Future Scholarship**: This scholarship is open to high school seniors who meet eligibility requirements. If eligible the student will automatically earn a chance to win a \$500 scholarship and an additional chance to win a \$40,000 scholarship after completing a college planning step using the student's college board account. **Deadline** is Oct. 31st. https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college/bigfuture-scholarships?excmpid=oc487-st-09-ss.
- 4. Jack Kent Cooke Foundation College Scholarship: This scholarship program is available to high-achieving high school seniors with financial need who look to attend the nation's best 4-year colleges and universities. Each award is intended to cover a significant share of educational expenses including tuition, living expenses, books and required fees.
 Deadline is Nov. 16th. https://www.jkcf.org/our-scholarships/college-scholarship-program/how-to-apply/.



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- 5. Frito Lay Community Builder Scholarship: This scholarship assists students who plan to continue their education in college or vocational school programs. Deadline is Nov. 20th. https://www.fritolay.com/frito-lay-opens-new-scholarship-for-college-students-to-celebrate-community-builders.
- **6. Volunteer for Vets Scholarship:** This scholarship is for Veterans or a child of a Veteran. Deadline is Nov. 30th. https://pontiustaxlaw.com/volunteer-for-vets-scholarship/.
- 7. VA Sports Hall of Fame: This scholarship is looking to honor student-athletes that exemplify excellence in Athletics, Academics, and Community Service. **Deadline** is Oct. 20. https://vasportshof.com/2023-student-athlete-achievement-awards-nomination/.
- 8. VA Space Grant Consortium: Provides free Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) opportunities for VA students in grades 10th, 11th, and 12th. There are 3 different courses. The VA Space Coast Scholars (VSCS): Focuses on the current missions at Wallops. https://vsgc.odu.edu/spacecoast/. The VA Aerospace Science and Technology Scholars (VASTS): Focuses on human spaceflight. Students can earn up to five free dual enrollment college credits. https://vsgc.odu.edu/vasts/. The VA Earth System Science Scholars (VESS): Focus on the Earth's responses to climate changes, weather, and natural hazards. Students can earn up to five free dual enrollment college credits. https://vsgc.odu.edu/vesss/. The Deadline for all the following is Oct. 24.
- **9. BBB Student of Integrity Scholarship:** The Better Business Bureau serving western VA is offering the Annual Student of Integrity Scholarship Award. The Deadline is Jan. 31st, 2024. https://www.bbb.org/local/0613/scholarship.