

\$\$Scholarships and Awards 2012-2013\$\$

The following is a list of scholarships, awards, and opportunities that we, at Pleasant Grove High School, have had experience with in the past. Most applications are available online; some are available in the Counseling Office . Because it is impossible, it is not our intention to list all scholarships - - there are several good, free, web sites that have a more complete list of scholarships. Dates and availability are subject to change. It is the student's responsibility to verify scholarship availability, application dates, qualifications and award amounts. This list is provided only as a guide and convenience.

** Last year's application date

Suggested scholarship search websites:

Zinch <http://www.zinch.com/>

Fast Web <http://www.fastweb.com>

Scholarships.Com <http://www.scholarships.com>

Scholarshipexperts.Com <http://www.scholarshipexperts.com>

QuestBridge <http://www.questbridge.org>

My Free Degree <http://www.myfreedegree.com>

www.cappex.com

Set up an account with one or all of the above websites. A profile will be created with your school choices and/or desired area of study and/or other miscellaneous choices. You will then receive email notification of scholarships that you may have an interest in applying according to your profile.

UVU DAYS ARE FREE: Open to all high school students, parents, and counselors. Get essential information about your college major. Visit and apply online at www.uvu.edu/futurestudents

Jan. 10- Aviation & Public Service Jan. 17-College of Science & Health Jan. 24- School of the Arts Feb. 7- Woodbury School of Business, Feb. 21- College of Technology & Computing Feb. 28- School of Education College of Humanities & Social Science. Enjoy breakfast & lunch. Visit www.uvu.edu/futurestudents .

Deseret News & KSL 5 Television Sterling Scholar Awards- Award amount varies, can be used at all Utah Colleges, Universities and BYU Idaho. Open to seniors only (Must have an ACT score) in recognition of academic excellence, applications are available in the Counseling Office. Completed applications are due to Mr. Deans (room

222). School winners will be announced on TBA. Categories are English, Mathematics, Social Studies, Science, Foreign Language, Computer Technology, Trade and Technical Education, Family & Consumer Sciences, Business and Marketing, Speech/Drama, Visual Arts, Music and Dance. School winners will go on to the regional competition to be held February 2013. More information is available from Mr. Deans.

New Century and Regents' Scholarships-Two statewide scholarships offered through the Utah State Board of Regents, Utah System of Higher Education. - Seniors-students start working toward these scholarships in 9th grade. For information and requirements: Apply online: Utah System of Higher Education www.higheredutah.org/index.php/scholarships/ Applications will be available online November 26, first priority application date is December 20, and final application date is February 1, 2013. Award amounts vary up to \$1250 per semester up to four semesters. See Mrs. Black in the Counseling Office.

Zions Pays for A's Scholarship Drawing 7th-12th grade teen students (ages 13-18) who receive "A" letter grades on their report cards. For rules, dates and information, visit website: www.zionsbank.com/pays4as_official_rules.jsp

AUGUST

August – June – **AnyCollege.com Scholarship** – Seniors This scholarship is given by random drawing 4 times a year. Students can apply online at . Click on “win a scholarship.” \$1,500 www.anycollege.com

August – April - **American Fire Sprinkler** – Seniors Read an essay on “History and Impact of Automatic Fire Sprinklers” and answer ten questions. Ten \$2,000 scholarships awarded nationally. Applicants are put into a random drawing. Application online www.sprinklernet.org

August - **Wendy's High School Heisman** – Seniors Athletes that have at least a 3.0 GPA and participate in at least one school sponsored sport. First 40,000 applicants will receive a gift card from Wendy's. A boy and girl will be selected from each high school. Award amount varies. Applications will be accepted now until October 3, 2010. Apply online www.wendysheisman.com .

Various deadlines - **Youth for Understanding** – Scholarships and opportunities to travel as a host student. Visit the website to see the countries and costs that are involved. Apply online (www.yfu-usa.org)

SEPTEMBER

ACT Test dates- December 8, 2012, February 9, 2013, April 13, 2013, June 8, 2013. Sign up early to avoid the late fee. Fee waivers available for students on free or reduced lunch. Go to www.actstudent.org to register. There **WILL** be a **free** ACT test given to all Juniors on March 5, 2013.

September - **Wendy's High School Heisman** – Seniors Athletes that have at least a 3.0 GPA and participate in at least one school sponsored sport. First 40,000 applicants will receive a gift card from Wendy's. A boy and girl will be selected from each high school. Award amount varies. Applications will be accepted now until October 3, 2010. Apply online www.wendysheisman.com .

September 15th – **Utah Hispanic Business Leadership Foundation Scholarship/SOMOS-** Seniors Must submit one-page personal statement, two letters of recommendation, etc. Three \$2,000 scholarships will be awarded to deserving applicants in the Hispanic community. Min. GPA 2.0, leadership, community service. Applicants must be legal residents of the state of Utah. Application is online at www.utahhcc.com/leadership

September 30th – **Questbridge** – Seniors Full four-year college scholarships. Demonstrated academic excellence in the face of economic obstacles. Apply online www.questbridge.org/index.html

September 30th – **Shout It Out Scholarship 2012** (offered by scholarshipexperts.com) ages 13 or older – submit an online short written response (250 words or less) for the scholarship topic: “If you could say one thing to the entire world at once, what would it be and why” Apply online www.scholarshipexperts.com/apply.htx#shout

OCTOBER

SAT DATES- Dec. 1, Jan 26, Mar. 9, May 4, June 1. For more information visit www.sat.collegeboard.org

October 1st - **Siemens Competition** - Open to all high school students Compete as an individual or as a team in math, science and technology. Students submit a research report/paper to be judged. Awards varies between \$10,000 and \$100,000. Apply online www.collegeboard.com/siemens/

October 3rd - **Wendy's High School Heisman** – Seniors Athletes that have at least a 3.0 GPA and participate in at least one school sponsored sport. First 40,000 applicants will receive a gift card from Wendy's. A boy and girl will be selected from each high school. Award amount varies. Applications will be accepted now until October 3, 2012. Apply online www.wendysheisman.com .

October 6th – **AES Engineers** – Seniors 1,000 word essay in response to one of two questions Apply online www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm

October 9th - **YouthLINC/Young Humanitarian Award** - Seniors - Utah resident who excels at helping others to give back to his or her community. Apply online www.youthlinc.org/programs/yha.html

October 10th – **Outstanding Students of America** – Seniors - with community service and involved in school activities. Applicants must have a 3.0 GPA. Award amount 15 @ \$1,000. Apply online www.outstandingstudentsofamerica.com

October – **PSAT National Merit Qualifying Test** – Juniors (Sophomores make take for practice) Test taken in 11th grade. Top scoring students in the state will become semi-finalists and are considered for scholarships. Test will be given at Pleasant Grove High School. Pay \$20 in the finance office to sign up.

October 15th – **Al Neuharth Free Spirit Scholarship** – Juniors an online application will be available Oct. 15, 2012. The submission deadline is Feb. 15, 2013. Students who are high school juniors in the 2010-2011 academic year are eligible to apply. Fifty-one students, representing each of the 50 states and Washington, D.C., will be accepted to attend the conference. Scholarships will be awarded to students who successfully complete the program and will be paid to the students' colleges and universities of choice in fall 2012. Apply online www.freedomforum.org/freespirit/

October – **Military Academy Nominations**- Seniors-Students wanting to attend a military academy need to be nominated by a Congressional representative. Nominations are based on SAT/or ACT scores, class rank, GPA, high school transcript, extracurricular activities and service. Nomination only. No money is attached. Contact Congressman Jason Chaffetz for a registration packet 801-851-2500. More information is available online at his website chaffetz.house.gov/services/academy-nominations.shtml

October 15th – **NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT IN THE ARTS** – Seniors Students with talent in the following disciplines: Music writing, Theater visual arts or Dance. Application fee \$35. Awards range up to \$10, 000 to be used at subscribing institutions. Further information and application online <http://www.nfaa.org/>

October – **Junior Miss Scholarship Program** - Senior girls Candidates are judged in the following areas: Scholastic, Achievement, Judges interview, Creative and performing arts presentation, Physical fitness, and Self-expression. Award amount varies. Application available online www.ajm.org

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION - GOOD CITIZEN - Senior who best exemplifies outstanding qualities of leadership, dependability, service, and patriotism in their school, home and community. PGHS's Good Citizen will complete further application for the state and national contest. PGHS's Good Citizen will receive a

pin & a certificate. The division winner receives a \$250 cash award. The national DAR Good Citizens will be awarded \$1,000, \$2,000 or \$5,000 scholarships.

DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARD - PGHS's nominee must have demonstrated commitment to social action, positive change, and cultural growth within his/her community. Award presentation at Kingsbury Hall at the U of U in January of 2013. See Mrs. Black in the Counseling office.

PRINCIPAL'S LEADERSHIP AWARD - PGHS to nominate one senior that is an outstanding leader and in the top 20% of the class. Nominee will be awarded a certificate of recognition and an opportunity to compete for one of 150 scholarships of \$1,000 each.

COMCAST LEADERS AND ACHIEVERS SCHOLARSHIP– Senior One student nominated by PGHS Counselor, Community service, demonstrate leadership abilities at work or school. Min. GPA 2.8, \$1,000.

October **ACT TEST DATES- Oct. 27, Dec. 8, February 9, 2013, April 13, 2013, June 8, 2013.** Fee waiver available for students on free or reduced lunch. Go to www.actstudent.org to register. Juniors will be taking a **FREE** ACT test March 5, 2013.

October 15- **Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship.** Seniors-go <http://ww5.komen.org/scholarship> for more information.

October 24th - **Make a Difference Day** - All ages Win cash awards for a charity by doing a community project and submitting your idea to "Make a Difference Day". Apply online www.makeadifferenceday.com

October -TBA- **Sterling Scholar** Applications available – Seniors Only. Contact Mr. Deans for information.

October 30th - **Horatio Alger Scholarship**- Seniors For those students who have exhibited integrity and perseverance in overcoming personal adversity. Letter of support, financial need, minimum GPA 2.0 \$5,000-\$20,000 Apply online www.horatioalger.org/scholarships

October 30th – **HOBY/Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership** - Sophomores. An outstanding sophomore chosen to be a representative of Pleasant Grove High School for the Hugh O'Brian Youth Foundation which is a youth leadership training Conference. Essay, Interview, GPA, Leadership skills. This year's camp will be held in May 2013 at Aspen Grove. Applications are available in the College/Career Center. For more information about The Hugh O'Brian Youth Foundation visit www.hoby.org

October TBA - **PTA Reflections** - Grades 9-12. Recognition awards in photography, music, literature, film/video, dance, theater, and visual arts. This year's theme: TBA

October 31st - **Prudential Spirit of Community Awards** – Grades 9-12 Recognizes students who have demonstrated exemplary community service. One student is chosen per school. State honorees receive \$1,000. National Honorees receive an additional \$5,000, may win all expense trip to Washington D.C. (access code spirit) www.prudential.com/spirit .

October 31st – “**Education Matters**”- \$5K Scholarship 2010 - (offered by scholarshipexperts.com) ages 13 or older. Complete an online scholarship search profile at scholarshkexperts.com. Submit an online short written response (250 words or less) the question: “What would you say to someone who thinks education doesn't matter, or that college is a waste of time and money?” Apply online www.scholarshipexperts.com/apply

October 31st - **Coca-Cola Scholarship** - Seniors Planning to pursue a degree at an accredited US post-secondary institution, 3.0 minimum GPA. For students who demonstrated leadership, commitment to community and academic achievement. Applications are available only online September 1st – October 31st Four year college scholarship. \$10,000-\$20,000 Apply online www.coca-colascholars.org PGHS CEB code 450-305 You will also need some additional information, that is available from Mrs. Black in the Counseling Office.

NOVEMBER

December 8-**ACT TEST** will be given, sign up by November 2, 2013, to avoid the late fee. To register go to www.actstudent.org Fee waiver available for students that are eligible for free or reduced lunch. See Mrs. Black in the counseling office.

November – **Utah State Office of Education Centennial Scholarship** for Early Graduation Certificate - Juniors and Seniors A partial scholarship program for high school students who graduate early from high school and enroll within one calendar year in an eligible. Utah post-secondary institution. Must enroll full time. Apply online http://www.schools.utah.gov/curr/early_college/Centennial.htm

November 1st – **Student Government** – Junior and Senior Class elected officers Senate Youth competition \$5,000 and trip to Washington D.C. Talk to Mrs. Black

November 1st – **Ron Brown Scholar Program** – African American students who excel academically, show leadership potential and are involved in community. Deadlines are November 1st and Jan 9th, 2013. For Seniors that are planning on attending a four year college or university. Award amount up to \$40,000 Applications available online <http://www.ronbrown.org/home.aspx>

November 1st -**Voice of Democracy** - Grades 9-12 Patriotic 3-5 minute audio/essay competition. 2010-2011 Theme is "Does My Generation Have a Role in America's Future?" State winners receive \$1,000 but could win the \$30,000 first place award. May

also win all expense trip to Washington D.C. Apply online <http://www.vfw.org/index.cfm?fa=cmtty.leveld&did=150> (Keyword: Programs, VFW Scholarship programs)

November 1st - **Bennington Young Writers Award**-Grades 10-12 Students submit one of the following: Poetry (a group of three), fictions (a short story or one-act play) or nonfiction (a personal or academic essay). Awards range \$250 to \$500. Apply online www.bennington.edu/go/news/young-writers-competition

November 1st through February 28, 2011 -**National Eagle Scout Scholarship** - Senior that has achieved Eagle Scout rank, application must be postmarked between November 2 and later than February 28 and received by the Eagle Scout Service by March 5, 2011. Have demonstrated leadership and a strong record of participation. Award amount \$1,500. Applications can be picked up at local scout office or are available online <http://post369.columbus.oh.us/scouting.d/fact.sheets.d/nesa.d/files.d/hmapp.pdf>

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November 9th -**ACLU Youth Activist Scholar** – Senior three \$1,000 scholarships to eligible high school seniors who have demonstrated a strong commitment to civil liberties through some form of activism. The scholarship will be applied toward their college education. \$1,000 Apply online <http://www.acluutah.org/scholarship.html>

November - **Science Day at the U 2012** - Sophomore, Juniors and Seniors that are interested in science. Science Day introduces students to the excellent education and research opportunities available at the University of Utah. Workshops and lunch are provided free of charge to students. Register online <http://www.science.utah.edu/outreach/science-day>

November 17th - **Intel Science Talent Search** – Seniors. Bright, ambitious, senior science, math, and engineering students doing scientific research. Awards from \$1,000 to \$100,000 and a trip to Washington D.C. Apply online www.sciserv.org/sts

November 26nd- **Regents' Scholarship** Application become available online - **Seniors All Regents' Scholarship application materials are due by December 20, 2012 (to meet the priority deadline)** or February 1, 2013 (to meet the final deadline). All documents must be postmarked by the deadline. Late documents are not accepted. Incomplete files will not be reviewed. Application is available online <http://www.utahsbr.edu/scholarships/> Visit the website and become familiar with requirements.

November 23 -**Freedom's Foundation** – Juniors Attend a youth conference at Valley Forge, PA. 2010-2011 dates are March 7-10, 2013 or April 25-28, 2013. \$400 cost to

student, all other expenses will be paid including airfare. Applications are available in the Counseling Office.

November 29- **Daniels Scholarship**.- Apply on line – www.DanielsFund.org Daniels Scholarships pay towards all or part of the students expenses. Be a senior, Be a resident of UTAH, demonstrate financial need, ACT score 17 or higher. See Mrs. Black for more details.

November 30th -**Team America Rocketry Challenge** – Grades 7-12 To win, each team must design, build, and fly a model rocket that carries one raw egg to an altitude as close to 800 feet as possible and stays airborne for as close to 45 seconds as possible. Whoever is the closest to both and brings the egg back-unbroken wins! For more information visit www.rocketcontest.org

November -**National Honor Society Scholarship** - Seniors The National Honor Society Scholarship program is a nomination process. Students cannot apply but must be nominated through their high school National Honor Society chapter. Nomination forms cannot be sent to students or parents but must be obtained through the high school NHS Chapter Adviser. If you are a high school senior, a member in good standing of your school's National Honor Society chapter, and wish to be considered for nomination, contact your local high school NHS Chapter Adviser. 250 \$1.000 scholarships Talk to Mrs. Black Parent, information is available online <http://www.nhs.us/ScholarshipsandAwards/NHSScholarshipProgram.aspx> Final due date is January 16, 2013.

DECEMBER

December 1st – **Air Force ROTC Scholarships** - Seniors-Based on Leadership, scholarship, and extracurricular activities. Award amount includes: Tuition, book allowance, fees, plus monthly stipend. Contact: SSgt James N. Hervey, Air Force Career Specialist, 2250 N University Pkwy C44B Provo 801-375-4127 or apply online www.afrotc.com

December 1st –**Navy-Marine ROTC Scholarships** – Seniors Based on Leadership, scholarship, and extracurricular activities. Award amount includes: Tuition, book allowance, fees, plus monthly stipend. Up to \$180,000 Apply online <http://www.ahetems.org/scholarships/u-s-navy-rotc-scholarship/>

December 1st –**Elks National Foundation** - Most Valuable Student Scholarship - Seniors Applicants will be judged on scholarship, leadership, and financial need. All scholarships are in the form of certificates of award conditional upon the full-time enrollment of the winner in an accredited U.S. college or university. 500 Four-Year scholarships Award amounts varies \$4,000-\$60,000. Applications are available online <http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/mvs.cfm> or in the Counseling **Office**.

December- **AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS/AMERICAN ARCHITECTURAL FOUNDATION MINORITY/DISADVANTAGED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** High school senior entering a program leading to a bachelor's or master's degree in architecture. Candidate must be nominated by an individual familiar with the student's interest and potential to be an architect. Twenty scholarships ranging \$500 - \$2500 (depending on need) Application and information is available online [www.archfoundation.org/aaf/aaf/Programs Fellowships.htm](http://www.archfoundation.org/aaf/aaf/Programs_Fellowships.htm) under the awards tab.

December through February 11, 2013- **KFC Colonel's Scholars** - Seniors Earn a minimum GPA 2.75, enroll in a public college or university within their state of legal residence, plan to pursue a bachelor's degree, be a US citizen or legal resident. Demonstrate financial need. Awards are up to \$20,000 for tuition, textbooks, fee, room and board. The online application will be available from December 1, 2010 to February 10, 2011 www.kfcscholars.org or call toll-free 1-866-KFC-7240

December through March 5, 2013 Milk does a body good - Seniors Athletic directors, coaches, principals, teachers, guidance counselors, parents and relatives are encouraged to nominate a student-athlete for the 2010 **SAMMY Award**. Additionally, all high school senior athletes can apply at www.bodybymilk.com Awards range up to \$2500, a trip to Disneyland and a spot in a special Milk Mustache ad to run in the USA TODAY.

December 1st - **Boston University Trustee Scholarship** Competition - Seniors Planning on attending Boston College, a four-year, full-tuition scholarship to BU. Twenty scholarships. Will need to complete the "Common Application" Apply online For more information www.bu.edu/admissions/trustee

December 1st – **BYU First Priority** deadline Students planning on attending Fall 2011 Those students who complete their application by the priority deadline will receive extra consideration in the admission process. Apply online www.besmart.com Applications should be available October 15, 2012

December 1st - **Utah State University First priority** deadline for Scholarships and financial aid – Seniors Logan Utah Visit the school's website for more information. Applications are available online www.usu.edu

December 1st - **Southern Utah University Scholarship First Priority** Deadline – Seniors Cedar City, Utah Final scholarship deadline February 1, 2013 Visit the school's website for more information. Applications are available online www.suu.edu

December 1st - **Soroptimist/ Violet Richardson Award** – between the ages of 14-17 - girls only Three \$1,000 awards given to those who volunteer to make the community and world a better place. 750 word essay <http://www.soroptimist.org/> Applications are also available in the Counseling Office.

December 1st - **Do Something Awards/Scholarships for Taking Action** This website has links for many service scholarships including Best Buy, Kohl's Kids that Care, Hispanic Heritage, The Caring Institute, and many more. Some of these scholarships are open to all grades. Award amounts vary. This is amazing source of service scholarships. Applications are available online <http://www.dosomething.org/scholarships>

December 4th – **NSLI for Youth Scholarships to Study Abroad** – High School Students (15-18 years of age) 650 scholarships for youth to learn Arabic, Farsi, Hindi, Korean, Mandarin Chinese, Russian and Turkish in summer, semester and academic-year overseas immersion programs. Apply online <http://www.nsliforyouth.org/> 866-790-2086.

SAT Sign up by 12/28/2012 Recommended for Juniors and Seniors sign up online www.collegeboard.com Test will be given January 11, 2013 Check your college of choice to see if they require the SAT

December 1 - **University of Utah Scholarship First Priority Deadline** – Seniors Salt Lake City, Utah. For academic departmental scholarships speak directly to department; their deadlines vary and may be earlier than Feb 1st Apply online www.utah.edu Admissions deadline April 1, \$45 application fee.

December 15th - **AXA Achievement Scholarship** – Seniors U.S. citizens, demonstrate ambition and self-drive as evidenced by outstanding achievement in an activity in school, the community, or the workplace. Be recommended by an adult professional. One Utah scholarship awarded \$10,000 Applications are available now. Apply online (<http://www.axa-equitable.com/axa-foundation/AXA-achievement-scholarship.html>)

December 15th – **NFIB Young Entrepreneur Award** – Seniors with strong academics, character, leadership and entrepreneurial spirit. All applicants must be nominated by a member of the National Federation of Independent Business 1-800-634-2669. Information is available in the Counseling Office. access code NIFB Applications will be available online beginning October 1, 2013 (<http://www.nfib.com/YoungEntrepreneurFoundation/YEFPrograms/YoungEntrepreneurAwards/tabid/347/Default.aspx>)

Dec 19th - **USCA Lynn Jensen Memorial Scholarship**- \$500 scholarship for seniors planning to become a school counselor or public educator for Grades K-12. Requires transcript, SAT or ACT scores, two letters of recommendation, an essay and a

December 31st - **Hubbard's Writers** - Grades 9-12. Entries must be original works in English. All types of science fiction, fantasy, and horror with fantastic elements are welcome. Prizes from \$500-\$1,000, awarded quarterly Apply on line <http://www.writersofthefuture.com/contest>

December 31st - **Hubbard's Illustrators** - Grades 9-12. Open to new science fiction and fantasy artists. All judging is done by professional artists. Cash grant of \$500 each quarter. Apply online <http://www.writersofthefuture.com/contest>

JANUARY

January 30, 2013 - ACT Poster Concept Contest - Open to high school students.

ACT wants to encourage students to tap into their creativity and possibly qualify for scholarship through the national ACT Poster Contest. Awards range for \$1,000 to \$5,000. More information and applications are available online <http://www.actstudent.org/postercontest/pdf/OfficialRules.pdf>

January 1st – Free Application for Financial Aid – Seniors First day that you can file your 2012 FAFSA.

Five Reasons to File Your FAFSA - Reprinted from FASTWEB.com

Submitting your can be a complicated process. From digging through information on your family's assets to decoding income tax forms, filling out the FAFSA is a hassle, so why bother? Here are five reasons why it's worth it." [http://www.fastweb.com/fastweb/Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](http://www.fastweb.com/fastweb/Free%20Application%20for%20Federal%20Student%20Aid%20(FAFSA))

1. Federal Aid

Do you want some of the more than \$80 billion the federal government provides in grants, loans and work-study programs every year? Federal Student Aid programs are the largest source of student aid in the United States. The only way to be considered for Pell Grants, Perkins Loans, Stafford Loans and more is by submitting your FAFSA.

2. State Aid

Your FAFSA also puts you in consideration for. Eligibility and deadline dates for these programs differ by state, but they all have one thing in common -- they require the FAFSA. Learn more about the financial aid your state offers its residents at . [state financial aid programs your state's higher education agency](#)

3. School Aid

Colleges and private scholarship sponsors offer billions of dollars in financial aid. Even if you don't have a high level of financial need, you may be eligible for these awards. Most colleges and many private scholarship sponsors require students to submit their FAFSA to be considered for financial aid. Some school and private scholarship programs are specifically designed for students who were rejected for federal financial aid, so even if you don't think you'll qualify for federal aid, it's a smart move to submit your FAFSA.

4. It's Free

A completed FAFSA will put you in consideration for federal, state, college and private scholarships and it's completely free. The only thing you'll spend completing your FAFSA is a few minutes of your time, and you could get thousands of dollars of financial aid in return.

5. Getting Help is Easy and Free

Not only is submitting your FAFSA free, but it may be easier to complete than you realize. Don't know how to figure out your parents' net worth? Don't worry. When you complete you 800-433-3243). [FAFSA Web site](#)

January 11 Sign up for the -ACT Test to be given February 8. Sign up by 01/7/12 (All Jrs will be given the ACT at PGHS on Tuesday, March 5, 2013. FREE) The ACT is a required test for college admission and some scholarships. . Register online at www.actstudent.org Fee waivers are available for those on free or reduced lunch. Our school code is 450-305.

January 8th - John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest – Grades 9-12
Write an essay no more than 1,000 words. Essays must describe how an elected official demonstrated political courage by addressing an issue at the local, state, or national level. \$500-\$5,000 Rules and application are available online <http://www.jfkcontest.org/>

January 10th – Army ROTC Scholarships - Seniors-Based on Leadership, scholarship, and extracurricular activities. Award amount includes: Tuition, book allowance, fees, plus monthly stipend. Apply online www.goarmy.com

January 10th - Weber State University Scholarship Deadline- Seniors Ogden, Utah Scholarships will be awarded based on grade point average and the date when the scholarship application is submitted. Since there are more students applying for scholarships than there are available funds, the earlier you apply the more competitive you will be in receiving a scholarship. Check the website for more details and for a list of available scholarships. <https://www.weber.edu/>

January - Gates Millennium Scholarship - Seniors A scholarship established by Bill Gates for students that are African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian Pacific Islander American or Hispanic American and a citizen/legal permanent resident of the US. GPA 3.3. Have demonstrated leadership abilities and participated in community service, extracurricular or other service. Scholarships are renewable for five years at any US accredited college of their choice. Apply online www.gmsp.org

January 15th – SAE Engineering Scholarships – Seniors who plan on enrolling in an engineering or computer science major program. There are many scholarships offered through this foundation. Check the website for the many scholarships and approved school programs. \$1,000-\$10,000 Apply online <http://students.sae.org/awdscholar/scholarships/hsengineering.htm>

January 15th-Utah Elks Association Alternative/Vocational/Special Needs Scholarship - Seniors For students that are pursuing a vocation or has special needs. Apply online www.elksinutah.org under Youth Program/Scholarships scroll down to application and instructions-PDF file format. Applications are also available in the Counseling Office.

January 15th - Create-A-Greeting Card Contest - Grades 9-12 Applications are now available online or mail-in submission of design. One \$10,000 prize awarded. www.gallerycollection.com/greetingcardscontests.htm

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January 30th - UTAH ASSOCIATION OF EDUCATIONAL OFFICE PROFESSIONALS SCHOLARSHIP- Seniors Offered to students planning a business office type career. Please read application thoroughly. Award amount \$500. Contact Judy Anderson Murray High School 5440 South State Street Murray, UT 84107

January 31st – U of U Chicano – Seniors planning on attending University of Utah. Need to have lived in Utah for five or more years. Financial need. Involvement in the Chicano/Latino community. Check website of more details and other scholarships online www.chicano.utah.edu

FEBRUARY

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February- BOYS STATE - AMERICAN LEGION - Junior boys with leadership ability and a citizen of the United States. One week conference in June at Weber State University. No local scholarship available but can apply on your own. Cost is \$400.00, for Information contact Mrs. Black in the Counseling Office.

February 1st- Regents' Scholarship Application final application date - Seniors All Regents' Scholarship application materials are due **February 1, 2013** (to meet the final deadline). All documents must be **postmarked by the deadline**. Apply online <http://www.utahsbr.edu/scholarships/> Late documents are not accepted. Incomplete files will not be reviewed. Visit the website and become familiar with requirements.

February 1st - BYU Admission and Scholarship deadline – Seniors Applications found online www.besmart.com \$35 application fee (Applications should become available 10/15/10)

February 1st - Thomas S Monson (BYU) – Seniors Minimum 3.85 GPA and ACT 33 or higher. Interested students must complete a separate written application. One and one-half time LDS tuition for 8 semesters. www.byu.edu

February 1st – Utah State University-Eastern Priority Deadline – Seniors. \$25 application fee. Apply online www.ceu.edu

February 1st - Southern Utah University Scholarship Deadline –Seniors Cedar City, Utah \$45 application fee. Apply online www.suu.edu/you

February 1st - Snow College Scholarship Deadline – Seniors Ephraim, Utah \$30 application fee. Apply online www.snow.edu

February 1st - Utah Valley University Scholarship Deadline and First Priority Admissions Deadline – Seniors Apply online www.uvu.edu/finaid/schlrshp (scholarships) Admissions deadline August 15, application fee \$35. Admission application online www.uvu.edu

February 1st - Utah Valley University Scholarships - Seniors Here are a few outstanding programs that offer scholarships for tuition or housing. **Honors Program** - One for tuition and one for housing (a great program for students wanting a more rigorous education). <http://www.uvu.edu/honors/> **Wolverine Ambassador - One year** half tuition. Ambassadors will represent the school and help with high school recruitment. Applications are available at UVU Prospective Student Services or in the College/Career Center. Center for the Advancement of Leadership CAL <http://www.uvu.edu/leadership/current/scholarships>

February 1st - Ambassador (Weber State University) – Seniors Full tuition, fees, and \$750 stipend each semester. Great people skills, positive attitudes, and strong leadership skills required to help in the Student Recruitment Office. Submit letter of intent and resume 801-626-6050 Information has to be to their office by February 1st, (not just postmarked)

February 1st – Westminster – Achievement Award – Seniors Salt Lake City \$50 applications fee. Apply online <http://www.westminstercollege.edu/>

February 1st - University of Utah Scholarships and Utah State University Many other scholarships are available, check the individual school's websites under financial aid/scholarships

U of U Blake Driggs Scholarship for Deaf 2/1/13 Must have GPA 2.5 be involved in leadership and/or community service. disability.utah.edu/scholarship.htm

U of U Dan Hola Pacific Islanders 2/1/13 for students of Pacific Island heritage. www.ugs.utah.edu/scholarships/HOLA_Application.pdf

U of U Dept. Of Art, Art History 2/1/13 Art Portfolio review. 1 year scholarship www.art.utah.edu/scholarship/scholarship_info.pdf

USU - College of Education 2/1/11 Numerous scholarships each with different requirements www.usu.edu/generalcatalog/scholarships/pdf/education.pdf

USU - Don Corbett Scholarships for Women 2/1/09 For women planning to major in engineering. www.engineering.usu.edu/html/of

U of U Ivory Homes Students with demonstrated experience to the Latino community. Value \$2000 apply www.ugs.utah.edu.

February 1st USU Legacy Scholarship Utah State University- Seniors. \$1000 cash award for a child of USU alumni who will be attending USU. ACT 19, GPA 2.5. Apply online www.usu.edu/alumni/scholarships

February 1st USU J. Arza Adams Scholarship- Senior- **Must graduate from PGHS**, demonstrate academic achievement, leadership, financial need and a desire to obtain a college degree. See Shauna Black in the counseling office. Apply online www.usu.edu/alumni.scholarships

February 1st Heber J. Grant Scholarship – Senior attending BYU-I See website for qualifications. Apply online www.byui.edu/heberjgrant

February 1st - Applications are now available for the ELKS, PROVO LADIES - MUSIC –The **first 20 senior** students to apply will be invited to the competition to be held in March. See Mrs. Black in the Counseling office.

February 2^{} - Burger King Scholarships** – Seniors Min. GPA 2.5 Community service, extra-curricular activities, and demonstrate financial need. U.S resident. Apply online from 10/01 to 2/2 www.bk.com/scholars \$1,000

February 3^{} - Italian Women's/Women's Italian-American Civic League** – Seniors Utah seniors with Italian ancestry may apply. Award is based on 40% ACT scores, 40% academics, 20% extracurricular/service. Award \$1,000

February 6^{} - American Foreign Service Association Scholarship** – Seniors U.S. citizen. Min. GPA 2.0 Essay on designated topic 750 to 1,000 words. \$2500. Apply online <http://www.afsa.org/scholar/>

February 10^{} -KFC Colonel's Scholarships** - Seniors Earn a minimum GPA 2.75, enroll in a public college or university within their state of legal residence, plan to pursue

a bachelor's degree, be a US citizen or legal resident. Demonstrate financial need. The online application will be available from December 1, 2012 www.kfcscholars.org or call toll-free 1-866-KFC-7240

February 15 – USA Funds Access to Education Scholarships- Seniors Scholarship designed to help lower income students gain access to a higher education. Up to 50 percent will be targeted to ethnic minority or disabled students. Scholarship based on past academic performance, leadership and participation in school and community activities, work experience, career aspirations and unusual personal or family circumstances. Award amount \$1,500 Apply on line beginning December 15, 2010 at www.usafunds.org/planning/access_to_education_scholarship/index.htm

February 15 – BYU – George Hansen Fellowship – Seniors** Majoring in geology, earth science or space science. Apply online www.byu.edu. Information is available in the Counseling office.

February 15th - Best Buy Scholarship – Grades 9– 12 Volunteer service, solid academic performance. 1,000 scholarships awarded nationally. Financial need is not considered. GPA 2.5. \$1,500 Apply online only <http://www.at15.com>

Feb 17 - GIRLS STATE - AMERICAN LEGION - Junior** girls with leadership skills and is a citizen of the US. Students will be judged on written and oral interview. This is usually the second week in June held on the SUU campus in Cedar City. See Mrs. Black in the Counseling Office.

February 27 - UTAH CHAPTER OF THE SOCIETY OF CHARTERED PROPERTY CASUALTY UNDERWRITERS - Seniors** Based on academics and financial need. Must be majoring in finance, business, or insurance. Finalists will be asked to attend a personal interview. Award amount \$1,000. Download application at <http://utah.cpcusociety.org/>

MARCH

March - Symantec Software Scholarship – Grades 9 - 12 Scholarship will be awarded at the regional science fair in March. Applicant needs to create and enter a science project that involves computer software into a regional Utah science fair. Award \$10,000 Apply online www.symantec.com/about/profile/responsibility/software_scholarship.jsp

CTE- Career and Technical Education Scholarships and Tuition Awards - Seniors College scholarships are now available to high school seniors. These scholarships are for one year of college or ATC tuition only. The scholarships are available to students seeking associate's degrees or less, or seeking to be school teachers in CTE areas. Applications must be postmarked before the 1st of March. Apply online <http://www.schools.utah.gov/cte/scholarships.html>

Snow College Student Ambassadors - Seniors admitted to Snow College - Three easy steps to apply for Leadership Scholarship. 1- Officially be admitted to Snow 2- Complete the applications and prepare a resume. Submit to Snow College. 3 - Call and schedule an interview. Each ambassador receives up to a 2-year scholarship plus leadership training. Applications are available in the College/Career Center. Or online www.snow.edu/studentlife/stulead/ambassador.html

March 1st – UVU Latino Educators of Tomorrow - Grades 9-12 for students considering a career in education- Summer program held on the UVU campus where students can earn 5-6 college credits at no cost. For more information, contact Axel Ramirez 801-863-8091 axel.ramirez@uvu.edu This e-mail address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it or pick up applications in the College/Career Center. Send completed applications to UVU.

March 1st – UVU Latino Scientists of Tomorrow - Grades 9-12 for students considering science careers Summer program held on the UVU campus where students can earn 5-6 college credits at no cost. For more information, **contact Danny Horns 801-863-8582** or pick up an **application in the College/Career Center**. Send completed applications to UVU.

March 1st – Dixie State College Scholarship Deadline – Seniors St. George, Utah Apply online www.dixie.edu Open enrollment, \$35 application fee.

March 1st - LDS Business College Scholarship Deadline – Seniors Salt Lake City, Utah Apply online www.ldsbc.edu Open enrollment, \$35 application fee.

March 1st - Salt Lake Community College Scholarship Deadline – Seniors Salt Lake City, Utah Apply online www.slcc.edu Open enrollment, \$40 application fee.

March 1st - Westminster College Scholarship Deadline – Seniors Priority. Exemplary Achievement Award deadline February 15. \$40 application fee. Apply online www.westminstercollege.edu

March 1st - Susan W. Coda P.E.O. Sisterhood Scholarship – Senior Girls only Must be accepted to a college or university outside of Utah, have a 3.8 or higher GPA, high ACT scores, demonstrate and participate in community service, and extra-curricular activities. \$4000. See Mrs. Black in the Counseling office.

March 1st - NSPE Scholarship - Seniors to Promote Diversity in Engineering is awarded annually to a high school senior from an ethnic minority who has been accepted into an ABET-accredited engineering program at a four-year college or university. The scholarship is awarded in two disbursements of \$2,500 each at the beginning of the fall and spring semesters of the freshman year. Apply online (<http://www.nspe.org/Students/Resources/scholarships.html>)

Miss Pleasant Grove– **Girls only**- Pageant provides scholarship awards in several categories.

March 5th - Mountain America Scholarship/UPEA (Utah Public Employee Association) - Seniors- *The Utah Public Employees' Association is currently accepting applications for the following scholarship: Three - \$1,000 scholarships sponsored by Mountain America Credit Union. Individuals must be a member of both Mountain America Credit Union and UPEA. Applications may be mailed, faxed or hand-delivered to the UPEA office. Application available online*
<http://www.upea.net/documents/MACUScholar2010.pdf>

ACT Test Sign up by March 8,2013 -Required test for college admission and some scholarships. **Test will be given April 13, 2013.** www.actstudent.org Fee waivers are available for those on free or reduced lunch.

March 9th – Governor Honors Academy – SUU – Juniors Apply to attend the 10 day academy at SUU. June 2010. Attendees will receive 6 college credits and a 4-year scholarship to SUU. Minimum GPA 3.5 Apply online (www.suu.edu/gha)

March 10th - UVU - Comcast Keys to Success Scholarship - Seniors attending UVU \$1,000 to be used at UVU. Requires application, letter of recommendation, essay and have received a Key to Success Card. See Mrs. Black for information.

March 14th - Hispanic Heritage Youth Awards – Seniors Many youth awards available to apply for: Academic, Community, Engineering & Mathematics, Healthcare, Journalism, or Sports. Register online and create an account number to be put on all paperwork submitted. Apply online (www.hispanicheritageawards.org) \$2,000-\$3,000

March 15th –The SEMI Foundation and the SEMI Pacific Northwest Steering Committee – Seniors *These organizations offer three (3) \$2,000 scholarships to high school seniors who are planning to attend college during the 2009-2010 School Year. These scholarships are for students pursuing degrees in high technology fields and who are on track to graduate from high school in Idaho, Oregon, Washington or Utah. The scholarship awards can be used at colleges or universities within the United States. The student must complete an application and provide a transcript, FAFSA report, Statement of citizenship/legal residency, resume essay questions and letter of referral. Apply online*
<http://www.semi.org>

March 15th – Kohl's Kids Who Care Scholarship (ages 6-18) Available to students who have contributed to the community by performing volunteer services. Students must be nominated online from 2/1/13 to 3/15/13 Apply online (www.kohlskidswhocare.com) \$5,000

March 15th – YouthLINC –Seniors Utah resident, who excels at helping others and giving back to his or her community. \$1,000-\$5,000 Apply online
www.youthlinc.org/yha/index.html

March 15th – 2013 Scholarship Program - Society of American Military Engineers – Seniors Students pursuing Engineering as their major \$1,800 Application online <http://www.samedcpst.org/scholarship.html#overview>

March 16th – Lowes – Seniors Min. GPA 3.25, academics, leadership, community involvement or work experience. \$2,500 Apply online https://careers.lowes.com/college_recruiting_scholarship.aspx

March 16th – Renaissance Hair Design – 16 years and older *Renaissance Academie de Hair Design awards scholarship up to \$2000. Awards are made at the discretion of the scholarship committee and are based on application, personal essay, goals, activities and letters of recommendation. . Students must hold a high school diploma, GED or approved school training agreement and be a minimum of 16 years of age. Applicants must apply for admission at Renaissance Academie de Hair Design in Provo, Utah, complete the scholarship application, write a well-constructed essay, compile a list of volunteer work or activities, two letters of recommendation, prepare a "goal statement" and meet all deadlines. Contact: Jaida Renzello or Many Humphrey (801) 373-2887 Renaissance Adademie de Hair Design 227 West 1230 North Provo, Utah 84601*

March 16th - USPE – Seniors Utah Society of Professional Engineering. Engineering major at an ABET accredited school. Based on activities, honors, min GPA 3.5 ACT 30/math 26/English Apply online (www.uspeonline.com) \$1,000

March 31st - Truman D. Picard Scholarship (Native American or Alaskan Natives) – Seniors You must be pursuing an education in natural resources to qualify. To be considered for the award, you must submit a letter of application (no more than two pages in length) demonstrating the following: interest in natural resources; commitment to education and community/culture; academic merit; and financial need. To apply, the award also requires that you submit a resume, three letters of reference and validated enrollment in a federally recognized tribe or Native Alaska corporation as established by the U.S. government. If you are a high school senior, you will also need to provide documented proof of application to an institution of higher education for study in the area of natural resources. For Native American/Alaskan students pursuing higher education and studying natural resources Applications are now available online [.http://www.itcnet.org/about_us/scholarships.html](http://www.itcnet.org/about_us/scholarships.html)

March 19th - ENGINEERING STATE AT UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY - Juniors (summer between Jr and Sr year) with a strong interest in math, science, or technology or interested in becoming engineers or pilots. Workshop will be held on the USU campus. Open to the first 250 qualified applicants. Activities include engineering challenge sessions and projects, all meals, lodging at Utah State, and other activities, including several social events. More information and applications available in the Counseling office or apply online www.engineering.usu.edu

March 26th - T.H. Bell Career Teaching Loan/Scholarship – Seniors From the Utah State Office of Education for those pursuing a teaching degree with plans to teach in Utah public schools for a term equal to the number of years for which the loan was received. Once the student teaches in Utah then the loan is forgiven. Applications are available online <http://www.schools.utah.gov/cert/scholarships/APPL.pdf> Applications also available in the Counseling Office.

March 29th - UTAH SPORTS HALL OF FAME FOUNDATION (OLD TIME ATHLETES ASSOCIATION) - PAUL REAM -Seniors- Each high school in Utah may nominate one boy, one girl, & one Native American (if applicable) for scholarship consideration. Judging will be based on academic scholarship, personal character, financial need, leadership qualities and interest, and involvement in athletic activities. Eight \$2,000 scholarships. See Mrs. Black in the Counseling Office.

March 29th – QuestBridge College Prep Scholarship – Juniors Provides awards that equip outstanding low-income high school juniors with the knowledge necessary to compete for admission to top-ranked colleges. All expenses paid for college summer school programs, conference, campus visits. Individualized college admissions counseling is also available. **Apply online** <http://www.questbridge.org/cps/application.html>

March 30th - Days of '47 – Grades 9-12 Essay contest, no more than 500 words. Application guidelines available at (www.daysof47.com) Apply online.

March 31st - Utah Assoc. of Independent Ins. – Seniors Three scholarships available for students interested in business or working for an insurance company. Based on 3.0 GPA, extracurricular activities, and essay. Application in the Counseling Office or Apply online www.uaiia.org

March 31st – NFB National Federation for the Blind – Seniors Students who are blind or visually impaired. Apply online (www.nfb.org) \$3,000-\$13,000 State scholarships also available \$500 - \$1,000

March 31st – Lone Peak Dental – Seniors For students pursuing a career in dental assisting. Essay required \$1,000 Applications available in the College/Career Center.

March 31st – Law Enforcement Exploring Scholarships – Seniors seeking a career in criminal law or law enforcement. There are at least 4 different types of scholarships offered ranging from \$500 - \$1000. Apply online <http://www.learningforlife.org/exploring/lawenforcement/index.html>

March 31st – Jackie Robinson Foundation's Scholarship Program – Seniors Scholarships up to \$7500 available. Minority seniors who show leadership potential and demonstrate financial need may apply. Apply online <http://www.jackierobinson.org/apply/index.php>

March 31st - American Cancer Society Survivor Scholarship - Seniors – cancer survivor Financial need, community service, Min GPA 2.5, Essay. Apply online (www.cancer.org) \$2,500 per year for up to 4 years of college.

March 31st - Janice M Scott Memorial Scholarship Fund - Seniors *This scholarship is awarded in honor of Mrs. Janice Marie Scott who was a victim of the attacks by terrorists on September 11, 2001. She was among the 125 individuals that were killed in the Pentagon when terrorists took over and crashed American Airlines Flight 77 into that building on the morning of September 11, 2001. As a result, the family members of Mrs. Scott created the Janice M. Scott Memorial Scholarship Fund in October 2001 to honor her legacy. There are six \$2,500 scholarship and one \$20,000 scholarship for academic excellence. Required qualification/eligibility: US citizen or permanent resident; GPA 2.5 or higher; High School Seniors who must matriculate at a US accredited four-year college or university full time during the 2009-2010 School Year; Demonstrated leadership abilities through participating in community services, extra curricular or other activities. Application available online http://www.jchs.k12tn.net/Scholarships/Janice%20M.%20Scott%20Memorial%20Scholarship/JMSMSF_APPLICATION_FORM_20091.pdf*

March 31st - US Bank Internet Scholarship Program - Seniors-US Bank will award up to thirty \$1000.00 scholarship to high school seniors planning to attend accredited two or four-year colleges full-time next fall. Scholarship award recipients are selected through a random drawing process. Students can apply online by visiting the US Bankweb http://www.usbank.com/cgi_w/cfm/studentloans/marketing.cfm

APRIL

SAT Sign up by 4/5/2013 Recommended for Juniors and Seniors sign up online www.collegeboard.com Test will be given May 7, 2011 Check your school of choice to see if they require the SAT.

Applications now available - TIMP Cave Youth Volunteer - Youth ages 14 and above - Help the forest rangers at Timpanogas Cave. Applications are available in the Counseling office.

April - JoAnn Fabric and Craft 2013 Prom Contest - Open to ages 14-19 Make your own prom outfit, including an accessory with fabric and other products from Jo-Ann stores. Grand prize is \$50,000 for college and a \$1000 Jo-Ann gift card. Entry form and rules available online www.joann.com/prom. Contest ends June 15, 2010.

April - Wendy's High School Heisman – Juniors (Graduating in 2014) Athletes that have at least a 3.0 GPA and participate in at least one school sponsored sport. First 40,000 applicants will receive a gift card from Wendy's. A boy and girl will be selected from each high school. Award amount varies. Applications will be accepted now until October 3, 2010. Apply online www.wendysheisman.com.

April 1st – America's Homecoming Queen – Homecoming queen -State judging for Utah is in April. National judging is in August. Application available online <http://www.americashomecomingqueen.com/>

August – April - American Fire Sprinkler – Seniors Read essay on “History and Impact of Automatic Fire Sprinkler.” and answer ten questions. Ten \$2,000 scholarships awarded nationally. Applicants are put in to a random drawing. Application online <http://www.afsascholarship.org/highschool.html>

April 1st ** - Italian Men's – Seniors. A student of Italian descent with a good scholastic record and involved in extra-curricular activities. Applications available in the counseling office.

April 1st - "Tomorrow's Pioneers" - Sons of Utah Pioneers Scholarship – Seniors Essay based on theme. Must have exemplified through specific acts in their lives the ideals and character traits of a true pioneer. Show that they have overcome significant disadvantages and can show economic need. Award \$1,000. Applications available in the Counseling office.

April 1st – Knowledge Matters Virtual Business – Juniors and Seniors - Show excellence in business and marketing courses and accomplishment in the use of technologies within these subjects. Personal statement and be nominated by a business or marketing teacher Award range \$250-\$1,000 Apply online <http://www.knowledgematters.com/scholarships/>

April 1st – 2013 Financial Literacy Scholarships -UHEAA Jumpstart – Seniors Students who are currently in or have already taken the Financial Literacy class. Applications available in the Counseling office.

April 2nd – Holocaust Remembrance Project - Grades 9th-12th 1,200 word essay on specific theme. Winners will receive an all expense paid trip to new the Illinois Holocaust Memorial Museum and other sites with teachers and Holocaust survivors (valued at over \$2,000), a gold medal, and a Certificate of Participation. In addition, each First-Place Winner will receive a scholarship ranging from \$2,500 to \$10,000. Application available online <http://holocaust.hklaw.com/2010/index.asp>

April 5th – Exchange Club of Utah Valley – Seniors The Exchange Club offers two different scholarships: **The Youth of the Year** – involved with school activities, essay, \$1,000 **ACE Award** – for students who have overcome physical, emotional or social obstacles. Two essays, letter of recommendation, \$1,000 Application available in the Counseling office.

April 10th - Susan M Hamos Memorial Scholarship – Senior Girls – High academic potential, sincere desire to complete a college curriculum, and financial need. One student will be nominated from PGHS. Award amount \$500. Talk to Mrs. Black in the Counseling office.

April 14th -Junior Prom – Wear attire made of duck tape - (Entry due June 11th) Duck Tape Prom – Ages 14 or older attending high school prom Must be a US citizen, must enter as a couple and attend a high school prom wearing complete attire or accessories made from duct tape, and submit a color photograph. Each member of the winning couple will receive a \$3,000 scholarship. Rules and application online (www.ducktapeclub.com)

April 15th - Provo's FREEDOM FESTIVAL - ESSAY & SPEECH CONTESTS – Grades 9-12 2010 theme "American Values: Family, Freedom, God and Country". Contest rules and information available online at <http://www.freedomfestival.org/events/speech-contest/> or see Mrs. Black in the Counseling Office.

April 15th - Utah Sports Hall of Fame- Paul Reams Scholarship – Seniors Each high school nominates one boy, one girl, and one Native American. Based on academic scholarship, personal character, financial need, leadership qualities, and involvement in athletic activities. \$2,000 Applications available in the Counseling office.

April 15th – Olene S Walker Transition to Adult Living Scholarship – Seniors This is a program to assist young people leaving foster care (or who have been a ward of the state) to adjust successfully to independent adult living. Applicant must be verified by DCFS, less than 26 years old and admitted to a Utah higher education school. Scholarship is worth up to \$5000 a year. Applications are available in the College/Career Center.

April 17th – Jiffy Lube- What Drives You? – currently attending drivers ed. class or current driver Essay on What Drives You - \$1,000-\$3,500 Rules and application online <http://www.saferegister.com/yourturn/>

April 22nd - The 2013 Student View Scholarship Program - Seniors who plan to attend a four-year college, community/junior college or career school. No minimum SAT/ACT, no essay, no application fees simply log on to www.student-view.com and complete a 15-20 minute application survey. The scholarships will be awarded via a random drawing of all completed applications. The scholarship winners will be announced in May, 2013.

April 26th - The Ayn Rand Institute: Essay Contest - The Fountain Head – Grades 11-12 Awards range up to \$10,000 Rules and application online
http://www.aynrand.org/site/PageServer?pagename=education_contests_tf

April 28th - PTSA SCHOLARSHIP – Seniors. The amount of the scholarship will be determined by the funds available. See Mrs. Black in the Counseling office.

April 30th – Alliance for Unity Scholarship – Seniors - that have been accepted for post secondary education - Financial need (Family income that qualifies for free or reduced lunch.) Min. GPA 2.5. Good citizenship, after school work history. The alliance will award up to 40 \$2000 scholarships. Applications available online and in the College/Career Center <http://www.allianceforunity.org/scholarship.html>

April 30th – Northrop Grumman Engineering Scholars – Seniors Two \$10,000 scholarships available to students along the Wasatch Front. Seniors pursuing an engineering degree with an ACT of 27 or higher and at least a 3.5 GPA may apply. Application available online
<http://www.es.northropgrumman.com/community/engscholars/index.html>

April 30th – Will to Win – Seniors with asthma Scholarships of \$5,000 will be awarded to two deserving seniors in each of the following categories: Performing Arts, Visual Arts, Community Service, Athletics, and Science. Min GPA 3.5, Application available online <http://www.schering-ploughwilltowin.com/>

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Now through July 4th - Constituting America - All students K-12 Contest gives kids the opportunity, depending on grade, to write and direct an entertaining short film or public service announcement, compose a cool song, write an essay, or for younger kids, write a poem or design a holiday card! Entry themes emphasize how the United States Constitution is relevant today. Prizes include \$2,000 scholarships and a trip to Philadelphia for the high school kids, and prizes of \$100 and \$200 gift card awards for the younger kids. More information and contest materials may be downloaded on www.constitutingamerica.org

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May - Apprenticeships available - Plumbing, Pipefitting, Heating & Air Conditioning, Lineman, inside wireman electrical and Telecommunications Apprenticeships Seniors interested in any or these careers. Wages start at \$16.00 an hour. Information and applications are available in the Counseling Office.

May 14th - 2010 Tylenol Scholarship Program - Seniors - Students interested in healthcare-related education. Applications must be received by May 14th. Award amounts up to \$10,000 Apply online <http://www.tylenol.com>

JUNE

The Rocky Mountain Gas Association (RMGA) Scholarship - Seniors interested in pursuing a career in Heating, Ventilations and Air Conditioning, Hydronic heating, hearth or Refrigeration (HVACR). One \$4,000 and two \$2,000 scholarships will be awarded. (Competition is very light). Applications are available online www.utrmga.org.