

Scholarships

The following scholarships are available in the counseling office.

*Denotes a new scholarship this week.

COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS:

***Kennedy Jewelers gingerbread House Scholarship**— Build a gingerbread house and win a chance for a \$1,000 scholarship. Entries are due to the Counseling Office by Monday, Nov. 23 by 7:30 a.m. For more information, see Mrs. Peterson.

***Blue River Partners in Excellence Grants**—Covers the cost of 3 credit hours. Open to juniors and seniors with GPA of 2.0 and above. Applications are due Nov. 15.

ACT Poster Contest Scholarships of \$5,000, \$2,500, and \$1,000 are available to winners. Entries are due Jan. 30. For more information, entry forms, and official rules, go to www.actstudent.org/postercontest.

University of Iowa Presidential Scholarship Criteria: 3.80+ GPA, 30+ ACT. Due Dec. 11. See Mrs. O'Donnell or go to www.uiowa.edu/admissions/undergrad/scholarships/firstyear.

Wentworth College offers an Army ROTC scholarship in excess of \$40,000. Go to www.wma.edu or see Mrs. O'Donnell for more information.

Hendrix College Hays Memorial Scholarship—Criteria: senior, 3.6+ GPA, 32+ ACT. Due: Nov. 13 go to www.hendrix.edu/HaysNomination for more info.

KU School of Music—Degree & scholarship audition dates are: Nov. 20, Jan. 29 & 30, and Feb. 12 & 13. Information and applications at www.music.ku.edu.

Illinois Wesleyan University School of Music—audition dates are Nov. 14, Jan 16, Feb. 6 and Feb 20. Renewable scholarships are available ranging from \$8,000-\$19,000. go to www.iwu.edu/music.

Oral Roberts University offers the **Whole Person Scholarship**. Criteria: academics, <http://wholeperson.oru.edu> for more info.

Washburn University Garvey Scholarship Exam—\$500-\$2,000 renewable scholarships. Must have 3.25 GPA to take the exam. Test dates are Nov 21, Dec 5, and

Dec 9. Go to www.washburn.edu/admissions to register for the exam.

Boston University is offering the **Trustee Scholarship** totaling full tuition. Go to www.bu.edu/admissions/trustee.

MO S & T-Rolla AEPi Freshman Scholarship Criteria: attend MO S & T, senior, male, join AEPi Fraternity, GPA. Due: Dec 1.

National Commission for Cooperative Ed. Partners with 8 colleges/universities to award 170 merit co-op scholarships. See Mrs. O'Donnell for more info. Due: Feb. 15.

University of Nebraska-Lincoln offers a scholarship through the **Raikes School of Computer Science & Management**. Go to <http://raikes.unl.edu> for more info.

NATIONAL/STATE/METRO SCHOLARSHIPS:

***Dr. Seuss's Oh, the Places you'll Go! College Scholarship** Criteria: senior, essay, family members, employees of Bertelsmann, Random House, Inc., or it's subsidiaries, divisions or affiliates are ineligible. Due: Feb 15.

***NFIB Young Entrepreneur Award** Criteria: senior, demonstrates entrepreneurial spirit by: starting own business; participating in DECA, FBLA, FFA, NFTA or through other initiatives. Due: Dec 31.

***Show-Me Chapter, Soil and Water conservation Society Scholarship** Criteria: senior, essay, major in a conservation or natural resource-related field such as soil science, land use planning, forestry, wildlife management, fisheries, ag engineering, etc. Go to www.swcs.missouri.edu Due: Nov. 30.

***Ed Stegner Natural Resource Scholarship** Criteria: senior, need, attend MO college, major in fisheries, forestry, wildlife, soil or water conservation. Go to www.swcs.missouri.edu. Due: Dec 31.

AXA Achievement Scholarship—Criteria: senior, ambitious, determined to set & reach goals, respect self, family & community, ability to succeed. Go to www.axa-achievement.com Due: Dec 15.

US Bank—Criteria: senior, random drawing. Apply online at <http://usbank.com/studentloans>.

MSCPA Educational Foundation Scholarships—Criteria: senior, MO society of CPA student member, high achieving, pursuing CPA degree. Go to www.leap-forward.com.

Crime Stoppers Essay Scholarship Criteria: senior, no criminal background, 2 recommendations, 750-1000 word essay. Due: Nov 20.

MCC Partners in Excellence Grant—Criteria: junior or senior, 2.0+ GPA Due: Nov 15.

Comcast Scholarship—Criteria: senior, 2.8+GPA, leadership, strong commitment to community. 1 South nominee. Due: Nov 18

Gates Millennium Scholarship—Criteria: senior, 3.3+GPA, leadership, need, US Citizen/legal permanent resident, African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian Pacific Islander, or Hispanic American. Due: Jan 11.

Testing Information

ACT #3 is December 12. Late registration is November 7 through 20.

ACT #4 is February 6. Deadline registration is January 6. Late registration is January 6 through 15.

SAT #3 is December 5. Late registration is October 31 through November 12.

SAT #4 is January 23. Deadline registration is December 15. Late registration is December 16 through 30.

College Visits

Nov 9—Un of MO-St. Louis

Nov 10-Baker University

Nov 12-Pittsburg State Un

Nov 23-Graceland University

Dec 1-Northwest Missouri State Un

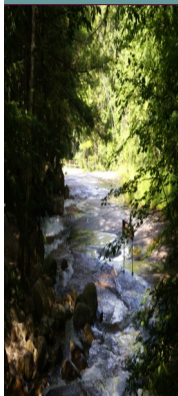
November –Senior To Do List

- Nov 1-15: For early decision admissions.
- Complete at least one college application by Thanksgiving.
- Counselors send transcripts to colleges.
- Give counselors the proper forms at least two weeks before colleges require them.

Act Tutoring

ACT Prep Shop hosted by NMSU on Nov 21, 9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. at the Kansas City Center in Liberty. Cost is \$35.00. Call Kelly Smith at NMSU at 800-633-1175.

FREE ACT Prep Review—Nov. 14 from 9 a.m.—2:30 p.m. at DeVry University-11224 Holmes Rd in Kansas City. DeVry professors will help prep students in Math and Science sections of the ACT. RSVP to alisko@devry.edu or 816-941-0430 ext. 6377.



Check Out These Careers

Mizzou Engineering Awareness Night—November 10 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at Burns & McDonnell-9400 Ward Pkwy in Kansas City. Call to RSVP (573) 884-3403.

Nonprofit Leadership Major at William Jewel—For more information on the major, courses, and internships, contact the Leadership Development Department at 816-415-5052 or go to www.pryorcenter.org.

College Visits

U.S. Naval Academy Information Night—Nov. 24 from 5 to 7:30 p.m. at the Liberty Memorial WWI Museum. RSVP to Jeff Kranz at navy744753@aol.com More info at www.usna.edu/admissions.

University of Iowa Hawkeye Visit Days—Nov. 13 in Iowa City. Go to <http://www.uiowa.edu/admissions/undergrad/visit/hawkeye.htm>.

Ranken Technical College—Campus visits throughout the fall and spring on the St. Louis campus. For dates and more information, check out www.ranken.edu.

Cleveland Chiropractic College D.C. Discovery Days—, Apr. 2 and July 9. Check out www.cleveland.edu or call 1-800-467-2252.

Rochester Institute of Technology—Campus Open House days on Nov 14 and Dec 4. check out www.rit.edu/NTID/visit

Washburn University Senior Days—Nov 13 and Dec 4 on the Washburn campus. RSVP at www.washburn.edu/admissions—Click on Ichabod Senior Days.

Delaware College of Art & Design Preview Day—Nov 9, 9a.m.-4 p.m. For more details and registration info, go to www.dcadevents.com.

Missouri Southern Campus Visit Days—Various visit days for students interested in a variety of majors are held throughout the fall and winter. www.mssu.edu/admissions.

K-State Campus Visit Days-Junior Days: Dec 3. For more information, go to www.consider.k-state.edu/junior/

College Fair

Health Professionals College & Career Fair—Nov. 12 from 6:30—8 p.m. at Truman Medical Center Lakewood Hospital. Over 20 college will be present.

Volunteering Opportunities

Voy Spears Carnival—Volunteers needed to help run carnival games on Nov. 13. contact Maria Dempsey at 985—2285 or at maria.dempsey@sbcglobal.net.

Attention

SENIORS!!!!—Deadlines for college merit scholarships are fast approaching! You should mail college applications for admission by early November. If you have any questions, stop by the Counseling Office.

Night School Applications—Now available in the Counseling Office. Night School will be Jan. 11-Mar. 2 at Valley View. Opportunity to make up 1/2 credit of a core class. **Applications due Dec. 4.**

Missouri Fine Art Academy—Selective 3-week summer camp on the Missouri State campus for students who excel in dance, instrumental or vocal music, theatre, or visual arts. See Mrs. Kenady in the Counseling Office for more info. Deadline is January 11.

Exciting Opportunities

St. John LaLande Clothing Sale—Nov. 16—19 from 2-4p.m. & 7-9 p.m. Accepting clothing donations. Free clothing available for needy families.

UMKC Conservatory of Music & Dance—Voice, piano, dance, & instrumental auditions will be Dec. 12, Feb. 6, Feb. 15, and Mar. 5. For more info, go to: <http://conservatory.umkc.edu>.

Win a new laptop or iPod!!!! - If you are part of the A+ program, go to www.molottery.com and tell how the A+ program has impacted your life for a chance to win a great prize.

Other Awards

Essay Contests for 10th—12th graders—Up to \$10,000 in prize money for the winners. Go to www.aynrandeducation.com to see a list of rules and essay topics.

First Freedom Student competition National Essay Contest—Awards of \$3,000, \$1,500, and \$750 are available. Registration deadline is Nov 23 and essays must be post-marked by Nov 28. For more information, check out: <http://firstfreedom.org/education/students.html>