

Scholarship Roundup!

May 7 - May 21, 2014

Hello, AHS Students, Faculty and Staff! Below is the last Scholarship Roundup of the school year. Be sure to check deadlines, as many organizations are taking applications well into summer. Happy applying!

Roundup Guidelines:

1. Students, if you are awarded a scholarship for any amount or selected to participate in an extracurricular experience, please notify [Mrs. Gesualdo](#) in the Career Center as soon as possible.
2. Please view scholarship "Action" located under scholarship deadline for procedural instructions.
3. Parents, ONLY AHS faculty and staff members may nominate students for scholarships and extracurricular opportunities. Students may also nominate themselves. All nominations should be emailed to [Mrs. Gesualdo](#) and should include:
 - a. The student's first and last name
 - b. The name of the award(s) in which you are nominating him or her
 - c. Students, if you are nominating yourself, please include the same information.
4. Please note that you can nominate more than one student per opportunity or for several opportunities. Not all scholarships require response nomination.
5. If you would like AHS to mail your completed applications, they **MUST be turned into the Career Center by May 15, 2014.**

AHS Nomination-Only Scholarships and Opportunities

1. [United States Achievement Academy](#) - \$1,500 - \$10,000 Grants
Deadline: May 16, 2014
Action: Faculty or staff [nomination required](#). Nominated student will receive confirmation packet and scholarship application. **Application must be returned before above deadline to:**
2528 Palumbo Drive
Lexington, KY 40509
Qualifications:
 - Nominations should be based on two or more of the following standards: Academic potential, personal motivation, cooperative classroom attitude, dependability, enthusiasm for education, leadership qualities, and serious acceptance of responsibility

- Selection committee will award scholarships based on the following criteria: GPA; academic rigor; SAT scores; honors and awards; school activities, leadership positions, sports involvement; special interests, hobbies, and community service

College-Specific Scholarships

2. [Emmanuel College - \\$500 Referral Scholarship](#)

Deadline: Referrals distributed on a first come, first serve basis. **SEVEN** scholarships are currently available.

Action: Refer student to The Career Center to obtain scholarship referral card and administrator's signature.

Qualifications:

- Only first-time, full time students strongly considering or committed to enrolling at Emmanuel College
- Student must register referral card at the above link
- Student must present referral card to Emmanuel College Financial Aid Counselor

General Scholarships

3. [Winder Rotary Club College Scholarship - 1K \(PDF application on Roundup Page\)](#)

Deadline: May 9, 2014

Action: Student must submit completed application to Mrs. Gesualdo in the Career Center by May 9, 2014.

Nominee Qualifications:

- Student must be a graduating high school senior
- Application must be planning to attend an accredited 4-year college or university
- Selection based on academic achievement, effort, outside work, and extracurricular activities that best demonstrate the Rotary Motto, "Service Above Self."

4. [Haden Camp Memorial Rotary Scholarship - \\$500 \(PDF application on Roundup Page\)](#)

Deadline: May 9, 2014

Action: Student must complete application and short essay explaining why he / she would be a worthy recipient of this scholarship and how it would help student

further career goals.

Nominee Qualifications:

- Applicant must be a graduating Apalachee High School senior
- Application must be planning to further his / her education at an accredited 2-year college or vocational school
- This scholarship is based on academic achievement, effort, outside work, and participation in extracurricular activities that demonstrate the Rotary Motto, "Service Above Self"

5. The David Skinner / Georgia Development Authority Scholarship - Award amount varies (PDF application on Roundup Page, 5 scholarships are available)

Deadline: June 2, 2014

Action: View application on Roundup Page. **Mail completed applications to:**

Georgia Development Authority
1890 Hwy 138
Monroe, GA 30655

Qualifications:

- Student must be a high school senior or not beyond their freshman year in college
- Must submit official high school transcript and **copy (DO NOT SEND ORIGINAL)** of completed Federal Student Aid Form
- 3 letters of recommendation
- 1-2 page essay
- A formal high school photo

6. The Wesley G. Adair Scholarship - Award amount varies (PDF application on Roundup Page)

Deadline: Application must be submitted by June 1, 2014

Action: View PDF Application on Roundup Page. **Mail applications to:**

Synovus Trust Company, N.A.
P.O. Box 1747
Athens, G.A. 30603-1747

Qualifications:

- Student must be a resident of Barrow County
- Student must provide copy of acceptance letter from college or vocational school
- Must be able to establish financial need.
- Attach official high school and college / vocational school transcripts (if applicable)

- Attached two letters of recommendation. Please see additional details on application concerning recommendation letters

7. **[Out of the Easy Writing Scholarship - \\$5,000 Essay Scholarship](#)**

Deadline: May 31, 2013 at 11:59 PM

Action: Applications must read Ruta Sepety's book, [Out of the Easy](#) and write a response essay to the question listed at the link above. Submission form and essay instructions can be found at the link above.

Qualifications:

- Scholarship contest open to senior, full-time matriculated students in the USA.
- Official essay rules may be found [here](#).

8. **[Abbott & Fenner Business Consultants Scholarship \(1K\)](#)**

Deadline: [Application Essay](#) is due June 14, 2014

Action: Application link is attached. Student must email complete application essay to scholarships@abbottandfenner.com

Qualifications:

- High school juniors and seniors may apply

9. **[Big Sun Athletic Scholarship - \(\\$500\)](#)**

Deadline: June 20, 2014

Action: Submit essay answering the following question: How has your participation in sports affected who you are and how you relate to others? Include the effects on your personal relationships with peers and others. Submit completed essays (along with your name and the name of the school you are attending) to:

athleticawards@bigsunathletics.com

Qualifications:

- Applicant must be a high school senior or be attending a postsecondary institution
- Applicant must be an athlete

10. **[B. Davis Scholarship - 1K Essay Scholarship](#)**

Deadline: May 26, 2014

Action: Applicants must submit 1,000 word essay.

Qualifications:

- Student must be a current high school junior or senior OR a current student attending a postsecondary institution.

- Student must submit name, school attending in 2014, and essay to awards@studentawardssearch.com
- Student must submit a 1,000 word essay on the following topic: “Pick a controversial problem on high school or college / university campuses and suggest a solution.”

11. [AES Engineers Scholarship](#) - \$500 Essay Scholarship

Deadline: Oct. 6, 2014

Action / Type: There is no application packet for this award. Please do not include your resume at this time. Be sure to include your full name as well as the name of the school you are attending this year and your plans for next year. Student submitted essay. Submit essay to scholarships@aesengineers.com

Qualifications:

- Applicant must be a high school senior
- Student must be planning to attend a postsecondary education facility
- Applications are NOT required to pursue engineering courses to be eligible
- Students must submit an essay of between 500 and 1000 words in answer to the following question: “When you look back on your life in 30 years, what would it take for you to consider your life successful? What people, things and accomplishments do you need?”

Extracurricular Experiences:

12. [The University of Georgia's Debate Summer Camp 2014](#)

Camp Dates: June 15 - 28 (Two Week Policy Debate Camp); June 15 - July 5 (Three Week Policy Debate Camp); June 28 - July 5 (One Wee Public Forum Camp)

Action: [Online application](#) available

Additional Information: Review [FAQs](#)