

Scholarship Opportunities

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- **Abbott and Fenner Scholarship Program** will give \$1,000 dollars to the winner(s) each year. The deadline is June 15th, 2012. Go too <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm>. +
- **John F. Kennedy: Profile in Courage Essay Contest** –Write about a U.S. elected official who served during or after 1956. Visit www.jfklibrary.org for more information. The deadline is January 7th, 2012.
- **Eastern Illinois University** – a scholarship of \$2,000 for the 2012-2013 school years is available for students who apply to EIU by February 1, 2012. Visit <http://www.eiu.edu/honors> for additional information.
- **The CBAI Foundation for Community Banking Annual Scholarship Program** is offering \$500 for your school and \$4,000 to the student who applies. The deadline is noon on February 6th, 2012. Call (800) 736-2224, stop in to the counseling office or go to cbaicom@cbaicom.com for more information.
- **Discover Colleges \$2,500.00 scholarship drawing**
Discover colleges provides a FREE private college information service. Log onto www.discovercolleges.com to request information and automatically be entered in the drawing.
- **Find money for college**
A free college scholarship & information search. Visit www.scholarships.com or www.collegeboard.org.
- **University of Minnesota – Institute of Technology (Engineering) “Full-Ride” Four Year Scholarship (for a Rockford Area student)**
2012 Mr. & Mrs. George W. Taylor Foundation Scholarship.
Eligible recipients must demonstrate truly outstanding academic and leadership ability. Need based. Application and information is available in the counseling office. Deadline is January 6, 2012.
- **KFC Colonel’s Scholars** is giving out \$20,000 to high school seniors with financial need and entrepreneurial spirit. The money is used for tuition, fees, textbooks, room and board. Application is open from 12/1/2011 to 2/8/2012. Go to www.kfcscholars.org.
- **The BigSun Organization** is giving out \$500 to student athletes regardless of which sport they participate in. The deadline is June 22nd, 2012. Visit www.bigsunathletics.com for more information.
- **Gilbert-Avery Foundation** will give \$28,000 annual grants to students who show leadership, outstanding academic performance, accepted as a student at the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute at Troy, New York, and may need financial assistance to attend Rensselaer. Submit the application by December 15th, 2011. Visit the SVHS counselors for additional information and the application.