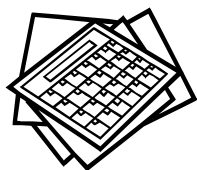


# Current Scholarships for 2008-09

Running 4/6/09



Contact Ms. Cochran, College/Career Counselor  
for additional information about scholarships/financial aid  
[rcochran@rrhs.rrps.k12.nm.us](mailto:rcochran@rrhs.rrps.k12.nm.us) or 896-5616 (24/7 voicemail)

***NEVER NEVER NEVER pay an agency to find scholarships for you.  
All of the information is available FREE from reliable web sites, college  
scholarship offices of the RRHS Career Center!!!!***

## *Scam Warning Signs:*

- You have to pay a fee
- Money-back offer or guarantees
- Credit card or bank account information required
- Provides “exclusive” information

## *Reporting scams:*

- National Fraud Information (NFIC) at [www.ftc.gov](http://www.ftc.gov)  
File an on line complaint at [www.ftc.gov/scholarshipscams](http://www.ftc.gov/scholarshipscams), or call 1-877-382-4357
- File a complaint with your state attorney’s office – visit [www.naag.org](http://www.naag.org) to locate the state attorney’s office

***Be sure to mark these dates on your calendar!!***

**April 10, 2009**  
**Postmarked**

**NM Teen Pregnancy Coalition**

**Awards: \$500**

**Criteria:**

**Category I** – Senior who is pregnant or parenting

**Category II** – senior who is actively involved in strategies for the prevention of teen pregnancy

Students must complete application form and provide an essay, 2 letters of recommendation, a transcript and complete a FAFSA

**For additional information contact:**

**[www.nmtpc.org](http://www.nmtpc.org)** or call 505-254-8737

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**April 10, 2009**

**UCB Family Epilepsy Scholarship**

**Awards/Criteria:** 20 \$5,000 scholarships to people living with epilepsy  
10 \$5,000 scholarships to family members/caregivers of people living with epilepsy

**For additional information contact:**

**<http://keppra.com>**

- April 15, 2009**  
**Received**  
**NM Assoc. of School Business Officers (NMASBO)**  
**Award:** \$1,500  
**Criteria:** GPA of 3.0 or higher, interested in pursuing a career in education  
**For additional information contact:**  
[http://nmasbo.org/about/scholarships\\_and\\_awards](http://nmasbo.org/about/scholarships_and_awards)
- April 15, 2009**  
**Postmarked**  
**Northern NM Senior Men's Golf Association**  
**Award:** two \$2,000 or sixteen \$1,000 one time awards  
**Criteria:** Interest in golf is a big plus but is not a requirement  
 GPA of 3.3 + letters of recommendation, extra curricular activities or community service  
**To request an application contact:**  
 RRHS Career Center
- April 15, 2009**  
**RR Rotary Foundation Scholarship**  
**Award:** Two \$1,000 scholarships  
**Criteria:** Graduating RRHS senior, minimum cum. GPA of 3.0, will be attending a NM college or university full time and a Phoenix awardee at RRHS  
**For a scholarship application and additional information:**  
 RRHS Career Center
- April 17, 2009**  
**What Drives You? – Jiffy Lube**  
**Award:** Total of \$3,500  
**Criteria:** No specified GPA – must be 16-18 and in high school or in a driver's education program  
**Additional information:**  
<http://yourturn2apply.com>
- RECEIVED BY**  
**April 24, 2009**  
**Sussman-Miller Education Assistance Fund – will attend Out-of-State Schools or In-State Private, Not-For Profit Schools**  
**Award** - varies according to need from \$500 to \$2,500 – renewable yearly by **4:00 pm MST** application  
**Criteria** – New Mexico resident for a minimum of 1 year  
 Minimum cum. 3.0 GPA in high school academic subjects  
 Be awarded a financial aid package that does not meet demonstrated financial need – the “gap”  
 Be accepted by and have chosen to attend a U.S. post-secondary, accredited, for-profit educational institution as a full time student  
**Applications available on the web at** [www.albuquerquefoundation.org](http://www.albuquerquefoundation.org)  
**Contact for more information:**  
 Albuquerque Community Foundation 883-6240
- April 30, 2009**  
**Received**  
**Will to Win (asthma)**  
**Award:** \$5,000  
**Criteria:** Student with asthma, cum GPA of 3.5 (unweighted) or higher, outstanding performance in one of the following: performing arts, visual arts, community service, athletics or science.  
**Applications available on the web at** [www.schering-ploughwiltowin.com](http://www.schering-ploughwiltowin.com)

**Contact for more information:**  
Email requests@schering-ploughwiltowin.com

- May 1, 2009**  
**Postmark**
- Rocky Mtn. Water Environment Assoc. Bill Martin Scholarship**  
**Award:** \$1,000  
**Criteria:** Pursuing education in a water environment profession (biology, environmental science, engineering with an emphasis in wastewater treatment, water pollution control or environmental protection) - Essay (25%) relevance of course of study (35%) Letters of recommendation (20%) GPA (20%)  
**For more information or access the application:**  
<http://www.rmwea.org/>
- May 1, 2009**
- Durham Transportation Scholarship**  
**Award:** \$500  
**Criteria:** Graduating senior of RRHS  
**For additional information:**  
RRHS Career Center
- May 1, 2009**
- Sodexo Scholarship**  
**Award:** \$500  
**Criteria:** Graduating senior of RRHS  
**For additional information:**  
RRHS Career Center
- May 1, 2009**
- AEMP Foundation Scholarship**  
**Award:** \$2,000  
**Criteria:** Desire to enroll in a 2 year diesel technician education program  
**For more information:**  
[www.aemp.org](http://www.aemp.org)
- May 1, 2009**  
**Postmark**
- Phizer Epilepsy Scholarship**  
**Award:** Twenty five \$3,000 scholarships  
**Criteria:** high school seniors that have epilepsy  
**For additional information:**  
[www.epilepsy-scholarship.com](http://www.epilepsy-scholarship.com)  
Applications are also available in the RRHS Career Center
- May 1, 2009**
- University of Oklahoma Scholarship for New Mexico HS Graduates**  
**Award:** Two \$2,000 scholarships  
**Criteria:** NM high school graduate that will be enrolling at the University of Oklahoma  
**For additional information:**  
RRHS Career Center or [www.OUClubofNewMexico.com](http://www.OUClubofNewMexico.com)
- May 1, 2009**
- AIGC (American Indian Graduate Center) - Accenture Scholarship**  
**Award:** Three \$20,000 scholarships

**Finalist Scholarship**

**Award:** Two \$8,000 scholarships

**Criteria:** Enrolled in a registered tribe, demonstrated leadership and community service; 3.25 gpa at the end of the 7<sup>th</sup> semester

**For more information or access the application:**

**[www.aigcs.org](http://www.aigcs.org)**

**June 2009**

**Duck Tape Scholarship – [Stuct@Prom](mailto:Stuct@Prom)**

**Awards:** Each person of the couple receives \$2,500 and the school receives \$2,500 – Second placement \$1,000 each member of the couple

**Criteria:** The couple must be completely attired in duck tape at their high school prom

**Additional information available at :**

**<http://www.stuckatprom.com/contests/prom/>**

**June 27, 2009**

**Big Sun Scholarship**

**Award:** \$500

**For additional information:**

**<http://www.bigsunathletics.com>**

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June 26, 2009**

**Sussman-Miller Education Assistance Fund - will attend New Mexico Public Post secondary schools**

**Award** - varies according to need from \$500 to \$2,500 – renewable yearly by **4:00 pm MST** application

**Criteria** – New Mexico resident for a minimum of 1 year

Minimum cum. 3.0 GPA in high school academic subjects

Be awarded a financial aid package that does not meet demonstrated financial need – the “gap”

Be accepted by and have chosen to attend a U.S. post-secondary, accredited, for-profit educational institution as a full time student

**Applications available on the web at** **[www.albuquerquefoundation.org](http://www.albuquerquefoundation.org)**

**Contact for more information:**

Albuquerque Community Foundation 883-6240

**Additional scholarship information you can be accessed on the following web sites:**

**[www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)** - website is often recommended by colleges – it will continually email you new scholarships that fit your profile.

**[www.finaid.org](http://www.finaid.org)** (FinAid)

**[www.review.com](http://www.review.com)** (Princeton Review)

**[www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)** (College Board)

**[www.collegeview.com](http://www.collegeview.com)** (College View)

**[www.hsf.net](http://www.hsf.net)** (Hispanic scholarship fund)

**[www.hispanicfund.org](http://www.hispanicfund.org)** (Hispanic college fund)

**[www.scholarshipsforhispanics.org](http://www.scholarshipsforhispanics.org)** (Hispanic scholarship sources)

**[www.collegefund.org](http://www.collegefund.org)** (American Indian College Fund)

[www.catchingthedream.org](http://www.catchingthedream.org) (Native American Scholarship Fund)

[www.uncf.org/index.asp](http://www.uncf.org/index.asp) (United Negro Fund)

**QuestBridge National College Match program**

Program helps outstanding low-income, high school seniors gain admission and full four-year scholarships to some of the nation's most selective colleges

[www.questbridge.org/access/collegematchtext](http://www.questbridge.org/access/collegematchtext).

**Varies**

**UNM Hospitals – Scholarships**

**Award:** Varies according to degree program

**Criteria:** Commitment to work at UNMH after receive degree

**For additional information:**

**<http://hospitals.unm.edu> or call 1-877-496-8353**

**Varies**

**S-STEMS Scholarship (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) Eastern NM University**

**Award:** Varies

**Criteria:** Admitted to ENMU, demonstrated financial need from FAFSA, have a 3.0 cum GPA or an ACT of 22

The project personnel will provisionally consider students admitted with a hs gpa between 2.5 & 3.0

**Additional information available at:**

[www.enmu.edu/S-STEM](http://www.enmu.edu/S-STEM)

**Varies**

**New Mexico Scholars – must attend a public college in New Mexico**

**Award:** Tuition, Fees, and books for fall and spring terms for full time students renewable for four years

**Criteria:** Must be a New Mexico resident, recent NM graduate in the top 5 % of graduating HS class, or earn a 25 on the ACT, and maintain a 3.0 GPA

Total combined family income of no more than \$30,00 per year if one family member is in college OR \$40,000 per year if two family members are in college

**No deadline**

**UNM Bridge to Success Scholarship**

**Award:** \$1000 for tuition first semester at UNM (no application required)

**Criteria:** NM resident and US citizen

Cum GPA 2.5 or higher and NM High School graduate

Enroll in a minimum of 12 credit hours at UNM

**No deadline**

**NMSU – Opportunity Scholarship**

**Award:** \$1000 for tuition first semester at NMSU (no application required)

**Criteria:** NM resident and US citizen

Cum GPA 3.0 or higher and NM High School graduate

Enroll in a minimum of 12 credit hours at NMSU

**No deadline**

**NM Tech – Science Award**

**Award:** \$700 for one year

**Criteria:** Winners at NM Science Fair or NM Science Olympiad

Enroll in NM Tech

**Varies**

**DECA Scholarships**

**Award:** Varies

**Criteria :** DECA member plus other various criteria

**Contact for more information:**

RRHS Career Center or Ms. Sanchez, DECA sponsor

**Varies**

**Imagine America – RRHS can nominate 2 students each year**

Scholarship for students attending a career/technical institution

**For additional information:**

**<http://www.petersons.com/cca>** or call 202-336-6700

or the RRHS Career Center

**Varies**

**Schooltube.com**

Conducts contests each month with varying prizes

**<http://www.SchoolTube.com>** – contests

**Deadlines Vary**

**NASA scholarships**

**<http://education.nasa.gov/>**