April Scholarships:

USA Softball of South Dakota Scholarship - deadline April 1

Criteria:

- Must have participated in the USA Softball of South Dakota for at least 3 years as a player, coach, umpire, official, or in a official capacity of a USA Softball of South Dakota sanctioned team or league.
- Application is available in Mr. Johnson's Office or at http://www.usasoftballofsouthdakota.com/content/images/pdf/2018-Scholarship.pdf

National Farmers Union – several scholarships – deadline April 1

Criteria:

- Farmers Union members and their children
- Attending a 2 yr. or 4 yr. accredited college or university for any area of study.
- Applications online at https://nfu.org/education/scholarships/

Donald H. Quimby Memorial Scholarship - deadline April 1 (\$350)

Donald Quimby spent his professional life in service to others as a teacher, coach, and administrator. He believed that everyone should have the same opportunity at a higher education, regardless of GPA.

Criteria:

- Graduate from a South Dakota high school
- Submit a 300-to-500-word essay detailing your personal story, interests, and educational goals
- Attach your essay and a copy of your high school transcript to this application
- Provide a copy of the acceptance letter to the post-secondary institution.
- Application is in Mr. Johnson's office.

SDACDE Memorial Scholarship – deadline April 1 (\$500)

Criteria:

- Must be graduating in the upper 50% of the class
- Attending a South Dakota 4yr. college or technical institute majoring in an Agricultural or Conservation related field.
- Application is available online at:

http://www.brookingsconservation.org/education.htm

South Dakota Association of Towns & Townships (SDATAT)

- deadline April 1st (\$500 or \$1,000)

Criteria:

- Must live in a town or township that is a current member of SDATAT
- Must complete an application form and submit an essay on this year's topic
- Application online at www.sdtownships.com

Brookings Regional Builders Association – deadline April 1st (\$500)

Criteria:

- Attending a Technical Institute or University
- Pursuing a degree in the Construction Field
 - o Building, electrical, plumbing, architecture, etc.
- Application online at www.brookingsregionalbuilders.com

John Stiefvater Memorial Scholarship - deadline April 1, 2023 (\$450)

Criteria:

- One student will be awarded the scholarship
- Candidates must submit an essay describing their career plans and what motivates the candidate to pursue a career in agriculture or an agriculture related field
- Must graduate from a high school in McCook County
- Must have maintained a minimum GPA of 2.5 during high school and be recognized by faculty, coaches, or advisors as an outstanding, overachieving individual
- Must have been actively involved in either community service or student leadership while attending high school
- Application is in Mr. Johnson's Office

Richard Hagen-Minerva Harvey Memorial Scholarship – deadline April 13th

Criteria:

- Must be enrolled into an American Indian Tribe
- Graduated from an accredited South Dakota High School
- Must attend college or technical school in South Dakota
- Application is available online https://doe.sd.gov/scholarships/HagenHarvey.aspx

Herman & Grace Stubbe Scholarship - deadline April 15, 2023

Criteria:

- Graduating Senior of Montrose High School
- Minimum GPA of 2.75
- Must attend college, university, or technical school in South Dakota
- Letter of acceptance from the college university or technical school
- Submit 2 recommendations discussing the applicant's character and work ethic
- Application was sent to all seniors

G.A. & Pearl Ann Johnson Memorial Scholarship - deadline April 15, 2023

Criteria:

- Graduating Senior of Montrose High School
- Must attend college, university, or technical school
- Application in in Mr. Johnson's Office

South Dakota Critical Teaching Needs Scholarship - deadline April 15th

Criteria:

- Pursuing a degree in the Teaching field
- Agree to stay in South Dakota and work in a critical teaching need occupation for five years after graduating
- Application online at Pages default (sdbor.edu)

South Dakota Grand Commandery Knights Templar – deadline April 15th (\$1000)

Criteria:

- South Dakota resident who plans to attend a Technical Institute in South Dakota
- US citizen who demonstrates financial need and the capability to complete the vocational training program selected.
- Application in available in Mr. Johnson's Office

South Dakota Retailers Association – deadline April 19th (\$2,000-\$2700)

Criteria:

• SDRA's scholarship program is designed to encourage and support students studying for a career in retailing or a retail-related field, whether as an

owner, manager, or employee. Many retail-related fields of study are eligible, including culinary arts, auto repair, diesel mechanics, pharmacy, tourism management, photography, business management, landscape design, HVAC and more.

• Application is online at https://www.sdra.org/scholarships.html