

## OCTOBER

The consulting firm of AES Engineers is committed to continuing its support of higher education by providing \$500 scholarships to deserving students. To be eligible the student needs to answer one of the essay questions that they will find on the website at [www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm](http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm). Applications must be submitted by **October 8, 2021**.

The Heisman High School Scholarship presented by Acceptance Insurance is proud to continue its 27-year tradition of honoring the nation's most esteemed high school seniors and supporting high school academic and athletic programs across the country. The program recognizes and rewards high school seniors who accomplish tremendous feats in the classroom, on the field, and most importantly, within their communities. For more information and to complete the application, click [here](#). Applications must be submitted by **October 19, 2021**.

The Coca-Cola Scholars Program Scholarship is an achievement-based scholarship awarded to graduating high school seniors each year. Students are recognized for their capacity to lead and serve, and their commitment to making a significant impact on their schools and communities. They award over \$3.5 million annually in scholarships to young leaders. Visit [www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org](http://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org) for more information. Current high school seniors should apply by **5:00 p.m. on October 31, 2021**.

Veterans of Foreign Wars sponsors the Voice of Democracy, a national patriotic speech writing competition open to 9th-12th grade students. Visit [www.vfw.org/VOD/](http://www.vfw.org/VOD/) for the application and more information. Entries must be submitted by **October 31, 2021** to a local VFW chapter.

## NOVEMBER

Southern Illinois Builders Association (SIBA) Scholarship Fund applications are now available online for students pursuing degrees in the fields of Construction Management/Construction Related Engineering/Architecture. For more information and the application visit [siba-agc.org/Education/SIBAScholarship.aspx](http://siba-agc.org/Education/SIBAScholarship.aspx). Applications must be submitted by **November 6, 2021**.

Applications for the Elk's Most Valuable Student "MVS" Scholarship Award are available online at [enf.elks.org/MVS](http://enf.elks.org/MVS). Deadline for submission to the local lodge is **November 15, 2021** and should be submitted directly to the Scholarship Chairman, Herrin Elks #1146, Herrin, IL. Contact the Lodge at (618)942-5653 for more information.

## DECEMBER

The deadline to complete SIUC's General Scholarship Application to be eligible to apply for their top merit-based scholarships is **December 1, 2021**. Visit [scholarships.siu.edu/](http://scholarships.siu.edu/) for more information and the application.

The purpose of the Golden Apple Scholars program is to recruit talented high school students who want to become teachers. Scholars agree to teach for five years in an Illinois school of need. Scholars receive \$2500 each year for their freshman and sophomore years, and \$5000 each year for their junior and senior years. With the addition of the four Summer Institute stipends of \$2000 per summer, the total financial assistance package is \$23,000. Visit [www.goldenapple.org/apply](http://www.goldenapple.org/apply) to complete the application. Priority application deadline is **December 15, 2021**.

Thomas H. Moore IEC Memorial Scholarships are awarded based on grade point average, college entrance test scores, work and volunteer experience, participation in school and community activities, biographical statement and knowledge of electric cooperatives, as demonstrated by a short essay. For more details, please click [here](#). Deadline for submission and completion of applications is **December 31, 2021**.

## JANUARY

A scholarship is available for a student who will attend Western Illinois University beginning in the Fall of 2021. This scholarship is valued at up to \$4,000 (\$1,000 per year) for undergraduate studies at WIU. To apply, email [khawkins@cartervilleschools.org](mailto:khawkins@cartervilleschools.org) by **January 31, 2022**.

## FEBRUARY

Marion Memorial Health Foundation Board is pleased to provide the following scholarships: \$1,000 scholarships to graduating seniors from the area high schools (including Carterville) and the R.D. Morgan, M.D. medical scholarship to a Marion High School senior who is pursuing a career as a medical doctor. If no MHS senior meets the qualifications, the scholarship will be open to area schools. Please click [here](#) for the requirements and the application. All applications should be returned to the Guidance Office by **February 11, 2022**.

The Mediacom World Class Scholarship Program is offering \$1,000 scholarships to help students with upcoming college expenses such as tuition and textbooks. For more details and to complete the application, please click [here](#). Deadline to submit applications is **February 15, 2022**.

Ole Miss is offering \$1,000 scholarship to a student who participates in the Chancellors' Leadership Class. In order to be nominated for this scholarship, a student must be admitted to Ole Miss and have completed the Special Programs and Scholarships Application by February 15, 2022. If you'd like to be nominated for this award, please email Mrs. Hawkins ([khawkins@cartervilleschools.org](mailto:khawkins@cartervilleschools.org)) no later than **February 15, 2022**.

The CBAI Foundation for Community Banking has announced its annual scholarship essay-writing contest. Essays are due by **February 18, 2022 at 3 p.m.** You may turn in your essay and application to your local Legence Bank or scan and email it to [jgrinnell@legencebank.com](mailto:jgrinnell@legencebank.com). For more information about the CBAI Foundation and this scholarship visit [www.cbai.com](http://www.cbai.com). The application and essay requirements are available by clicking [here](#). You will also need information about the sponsoring Legence Bank in Eldorado to complete the application - click [here](#) for that information.

Farm Credit Illinois will award thirty \$2,000 Agriculture Scholarships. Online registration and application are available at [www.farmcreditIL.com/scholarship](http://www.farmcreditIL.com/scholarship). Application deadline is **February 28, 2022**.

## MARCH

John A. Logan College offers many scholarships through the JALC Foundation. The general application can be found [here](#). The deadline is ongoing, but we recommend completing the application as soon as possible to be considered for the most scholarships. If you have questions, please contact the JALC Foundation office at 618-985-2828 ext. 8472.

Williamson County Amvet Post 31 is offering two \$500 scholarships for students who are a veteran or a child/grandchild of a veteran. For more details click [here](#). For the application, click [here](#). Deadline to submit the application is **March 1, 2022**.

John A. Logan College offers a \$2,500 scholarship to a graduating senior who will be part of The Student Ambassador Program. The Student Ambassador Program is a leadership opportunity for students who are dedicated to serving and representing John A. Logan College. The mission of the Student Ambassador Program is to cultivate student leaders who will share the John A. Logan College experience with prospective students, their families, and community members and represent the College at special events. Please click [here](#) for the scholarship requirements and details. The online application can be found [here](#). The deadline to apply is **March 1, 2022**.

The Kay and Walter Pape Scholarship from the Zion United Church of Christ is a \$1,000 scholarship to a graduating high school senior or to an applicant who is presently attending college or trade school, or is enrolled in building construction classes, or has shown interest in the field of education through volunteer work in early childhood or in the field of education. Click [here](#) for the application and [here](#) for the description/cover page. Due date is **March 3, 2022**.

The Alumni Chapter of Beta Sigma Psi is offering a \$3,000 scholarship given out to a Christian male freshman attending the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in Fall 2021. There is no obligation to join Beta Sigma Psi or be related to a member of the fraternity to receive this award. Runners-up may be eligible for \$500. Our scholarship application may be found online by clicking [here](#). All applications are due **March 5, 2022**.

The Chemical Industry Council of Illinois, through the Illinois Chemical Education Foundation (ICEF) presents a number of \$2,000 scholarships each year to high school senior science students. The ICEF's objective is to recognize and honor high school seniors who have exemplified outstanding achievement in academics, extracurricular/employment activities, and community involvement. To view available scholarships and the application, please click [here](#). Application materials must be **postmarked no later than March 5, 2022 and received no later than March 10, 2022**.

Sheriff Bennie Vick will be awarding one scholarship in the amount of \$500. Applicants must be permanent Illinois residents and scholarships must be utilized at institutions of higher learning within the State of Illinois. Applications are now available at your local Sheriff's office or on the ISA Website [www.ilsheriff.org](http://www.ilsheriff.org). Students must complete the application, answer the essay question and return all documentation to the Sheriff's office in their permanent county of residence by **March 15, 2022**. Directory of Sheriff's offices are available on the website above.

The Horatio Alger Association Scholarship Programs have awarded over \$175 million in college scholarships to deserving students. The scholarship provides financial assistance to students throughout the nation who have financial need and have exhibited integrity and perseverance in overcoming personal adversity. Scholarships range in value from \$10,000 to \$25,000. Students may apply online until **March 15, 2022** at [scholars.horatioalger.org](http://scholars.horatioalger.org).

The Carterville Lions Club is offering a scholarship to a senior at Carterville High School who will enroll and attend a regionally accredited college/university. Download the application [here](#). Completed applications must be returned to the guidance office by **March 15, 2022**.

The Carterville Schools Foundation 2022 Scholarship application is now available. The scholarship is a one-time, \$1,000 award, to be used by the recipient for academic purposes only. The applicant must be a graduating senior at Carterville High School, and she or he must be admitted with the intent to enroll no later than the Fall 2022 academic school year at a community college, four-year university, or a trade school located within the southern Illinois region. Download the instructions and application [here](#). Completed applications must be returned to the guidance office by **March 15, 2022**.

The General Federation of Women's Clubs, a philanthropic organization, founded in 1894, is dedicated to community improvement by enhancing the lives of others through volunteer service. This organization has \$12,000 in monetary scholarships for the academic fall semester of 2022. The scholarships available are in the studies of: Art, Civic Engagement, Drama, Music, and Vocational Studies. Applicants (male or female) must be a graduating high school senior planning to attend vocational school, junior college, college, or university located in Illinois. Applications must be postmarked by **Friday, March 18th, 2022**. Click [here](#) to find the application and more details.

Legence Bank and American Farm Mortgage will award scholarships every year to help students in our area pursue their educational dreams. Please click [here](#) for the applications and more information. The deadline for applying is **March 25, 2022 at 3:00 p.m.**

SIUC is offering a Counselor's Choice Scholarship of \$1500 per year for up to 4 years to be used toward tuition costs. Students selected for the award must be admitted to SIUC no later than April 1, 2022. To be considered for the award, you must submit [this form](#) no later than **March 25, 2022**.

The Illinois Masonic Children's Assistance Program (IMCAP) administers the N. G. Cowen Scholarship for young adults enrolled in vocational or trade school programs. The goal of the Scholarship is to provide financial assistance to young adults from small towns in Southern Illinois, who are pursuing a training in the vocational or technical fields. The Scholarship can be used for vocational training expenses for tuition, fees, tools, uniforms, and books. Applications must be submitted by **March 31, 2022**. For more information and the application, click [here](#).

Applications are now open for the Illinois Bankers Scholarship. As a member of the Illinois Bankers Association (IBA), Murphy-Wall State Bank and Trust is pleased to participate in the Illinois Bankers Scholarship Program. The IBA is awarding several scholarships to high school graduates and college students seeking a related degree in the financial services industry for the upcoming school year. The scholarship is intended to help support and continue building a vibrant talent pool of future leaders in the field of banking. Among other criteria, applicants must be sponsored by Murphy-Wall State Bank and Trust Company or another IBA member financial institution and accompanying bank officer, must be considering a career in the financial services industry, and must provide proof of enrollment or admission letter from a college or university. We welcome the opportunity to sponsor your student applicants. Contact Beth Thompson at 618-357-5373 to learn more about the scholarship program. Applications accepted until **March 31, 2022**. To learn more about the Illinois Bankers Scholarship Fund, please visit: [www.ilbanker.com/Scholarship](http://www.ilbanker.com/Scholarship) or apply online at [Illinois Bankers Association > Education & Events > IB Scholarship > IB Scholarship Application \(ilbanker.com\)](#).

SIU Credit Union offers scholarships to students enrolling into a two or four year college or university. Eligibility requirements and instructions on how to apply are included on the front

page of the application. All applications for the 2021 Scholarship Program must be submitted no later than **March 31, 2022**. To learn more or to obtain the scholarship application, click [here](#).

The Herrin Elks Lodge #1146 is offering a scholarship to a graduating high school student who will enroll in a college or university. The student must be a relative of a member of Herrin Elks Lodge #1146. Applications can be downloaded [here](#) or picked up in the Guidance Office. Completed applications and other materials must be returned in person to the Herrin Elks Lodge by **5:00 p.m. on March 31, 2022**.

Each year the Department of Child and Family Services (DCFS) selects a minimum of 53 students, at least 4 of whom are children of veterans, to receive scholarships and fee waivers which will enable them to attend and complete their post-secondary education at a community college, university, or college. Scholarship and fee waivers shall be available to students for at least 5 years, provided they are continuing to work toward graduation. Recipients are selected based on their scholastic record, community and extracurricular activities, and general interest in higher education. For more details and the application, click [here](#). For a fillable pdf version of the application, click [here](#). Applications will be accepted through **March 31, 2022**.

## **APRIL**

John A. Logan College offers many scholarships through the JALC Foundation. The general application can be found [here](#). The deadline is ongoing, but we recommend completing the application as soon as possible to be considered for the most scholarships. If you have questions, please contact the JALC Foundation office at 618-985-2828 ext. 8472.

The purpose of the Golden Apple Scholars program is to recruit talented high school students who want to become teachers. Scholars agree to teach for five years in an Illinois school of need. Scholars receive \$2500 each year for their freshman and sophomore years, and \$5000 each year for their junior and senior years. With the addition of the four Summer Institute stipends of \$2000 per summer, the total financial assistance package is \$23,000. Visit [www.goldenapple.org/apply](http://www.goldenapple.org/apply) to complete the application. Application deadline is **April 1, 2022**.

The Board of the Save Abandoned Babies Foundation was formed the year after Illinois passed our Baby Safe Haven Law in 2001. In honor of this, our 20th year anniversary, we are offering five \$1000 scholarships to students in Illinois who will be attending college or a trade school in the fall of 2022. Interested students can complete and submit the application [here](#). The deadline to submit the application is **April 1, 2022**.

Williamson County Republicans will be awarding a \$1,000 scholarship this year. Deadline for application is **April 1, 2022**. Please click [here](#) for more details and [here](#) for the application.

The Rotary International District 6510 Scholarship will fund two scholarships to an accredited College or Trade School. Awards will be \$2,500.00 each. Recipients will agree to have their awards publicized throughout Rotary International District 6510. Click [here](#) for more details and to download the application. Deadline to submit completed applications is **April 1, 2022**.

The Crosswalk Community Action Agency is awarding scholarships to Franklin, Williamson, Jefferson and Jackson county recipients. Applicants must meet low income guidelines. To download additional information and the application click [here](#). Application deadline is **April 1, 2022**.



Cartersville Area Rotary Club & Woman's Life Club 614 will offer a \$750 scholarship to a graduating Cartersville High School student. Applications are due **April 1, 2022**. For more information and the application, click [here](#).

The Tri-State Desk and Derrick Technical or Trade School scholarship opportunity is offered to a worthy high school graduate or GED recipient that plans to attend a trade school in 2022. The goal of this scholarship program is to provide the means for an individual to obtain a trade that is likely to be used in the oil, gas and energy industries. Applicants must be a U.S. citizen and have a career goal in the natural gas and oil industry. If you have any questions, please email [michael.nelligan@countrymark.com](mailto:michael.nelligan@countrymark.com). The deadline for the scholarship [application](#) is **April 1, 2022**.

The JALC Foundation will offer the Administrative Services Division Scholarship for \$800 for the 2022-2023 school year. The scholarship will be awarded to one high school senior graduating this spring from a public high school in the JALC district. Cartersville High School will nominate one student for consideration. To be considered, you must submit 2 letters of recommendation, your transcript and SAT scores, and any other forms of candidate endorsement to the guidance office by **April 6, 2022**.

The JALC Foundation will offer the Allan and Wanda McCabe Education Scholarship for \$1000 for the 2022-2023 school year. The scholarship will be awarded to one high school senior graduating this spring from a public high school in Williamson County. Cartersville High School will nominate one student for consideration. To be considered, you must submit 2 letters of recommendation, your transcript and SAT scores, an essay that answers the topic "Why I am Pursuing a Degree in Education (Elementary or Secondary)," and any other forms of candidate endorsement to the guidance office by **April 6, 2022**.

Students planning to attend JALC and enroll in a Science or Applied Science degree program can apply for the \$3000 per year Altekruze Scholars Scholarship (A complete list of eligible degree programs is on the application.) Click [here](#) to submit the Google Form Application by **April 6, 2022**. One CHS graduate will be awarded this scholarship.

The Cartersville Banking Center, Bank of Herrin Scholarship is a \$1,800 scholarship given to a senior graduating from Cartersville High School who will be attending JALC. Click [here](#) to complete the Google Form Application (must use school email). Application deadline is **April 6, 2022**.

Students planning to attend JALC and enroll in the Criminal Justice program can notify a counselor of their interest in the \$1000 Charles Garnati Memorial Scholarship by **April 6, 2022**.

The Dale L. Usher Scholarship for \$1,000 will be awarded to a Cartersville High School graduate enrolled in the Construction Management program at John A. Logan College. Click [here](#) to complete the Google Form Application (must use school email). Application deadline is **April 6, 2022**.

The JALC Foundation will offer an Imagine Scholarship for \$500 for the 2022-2023 school year. The scholarship will be awarded to one high school senior graduating this spring from a public high school in the JALC District. Cartersville High School will nominate one student for consideration. To be considered, you must submit your transcript and SAT scores, an essay that answers the topic "Embodying the Spirit of the 1960's (A Great Sense of Possibilities of

What You Can Achieve),” and any letters of recommendation as deemed appropriate to the guidance office by **April 6, 2022**.

The JALC Engineering Scholarship will be awarded to a student enrolling at JALC in the Engineering Science Program. More information and the application can be downloaded [here](#) and must be completed and returned to the guidance office by **April 6, 2022**. *(Please note: on the application, it states the deadline is April 13. This is the date that we must submit information to JALC. Your application must be returned to the guidance office by April 6 in order to be considered.)*

The James B. and Rosemary Childress Scholarship for \$1,500 is available to a CHS student planning to attend JALC. Click [here](#) to complete the Google Form Application (must use school email). Applications must be submitted by **April 6, 2022**.

The James B. and Rosemary Samuel Childress Scholarship for \$2,500 per year for two years is available to two CHS students planning to attend JALC and pursuing a degree in a business field. Click [here](#) to complete the Google Form Application (must use school email). Applications must be submitted by **April 6, 2022**.

The John and Judy Crawford Scholarship for \$1,000 will be awarded to a CHS student enrolling at JALC in the Engineering Science Program. Click [here](#) to complete the Google Form Application (must use school email). Applications must be submitted by **April 6, 2022**.

The JALC Foundation will offer the Leon Striegel, DVM Veterinarian Scholarship for the 2022-2023 school year. The \$1,500 scholarship will be awarded to a high school senior graduating this spring from a public high school in the JALC district. Applicants must be enrolled in the Pre-Professional Medicine Program (CIP Code 511199B) with intent to study Veterinary Medicine. Carterville High School will nominate one student for consideration. To be considered, you must submit 2 letters of recommendation (science teachers suggested), your transcript and SAT scores, and any other forms of candidate endorsement to the guidance office by **April 6, 2022**.

Mama and Papa C Scholarship applications are now available. Scholarships will be awarded to graduating seniors at Carterville High School who are attending JALC in the Fall of 2022. For more information and the application, please click [here](#). Completed applications must be submitted to the guidance office by **April 6, 2022**. *(Please note: on the application, it states the deadline is April 13. This is the date that we must submit information to JALC. Your application must be returned to the guidance office by April 6 in order to be considered.)*

The Murphy-Wall State Bank & Trust/JALC Scholarship for \$1,000 is available to a CHS student planning to attend JALC and pursuing a degree in a business field. Click [here](#) to complete the Google Form Application (must use school email). Applications must be submitted by **April 6, 2022**.

The Richard and Evelyn Helms Memorial Scholarship for \$1,000 is available to a student planning to attend JALC. Click [here](#) to complete the Google Form Application (must use school email). Applications must be submitted by **April 6, 2022**.

The Butch Waggoner Family Memorial Scholarship will be awarded to a CHS graduate who is community minded and plans to attend JALC in the fall. The recipient will be one who is someone who volunteers and works to make a difference in their community and is interested in

pursuing a career in nursing or teaching. Click [here](#) to complete the Google Form Application (must use school email). Applications must be submitted by **April 6, 2022**.

Karen Rushing Young Scholarship applications are now available. One scholarship will be awarded to a male graduate, and one will be awarded to a female graduate that will be attending JALC in the fall and majoring in education. Click [here](#) to complete the Google Form Application (must use school email). Applications must be submitted by **April 6, 2022**.

The Carterville Chamber of Commerce and John A. Logan College will offer a one-year scholarship (15 credit hours per semester) to attend JALC. Applicants must have at least a 3.0 GPA. Applications can be completed [here](#). Deadline to submit the application is **April 12, 2022**.

The Drs. Robert & Karla Mees Scholarship for \$1,000.00 will be awarded to a graduating senior from a Carterville High School. The scholarship can be used during the 2022 fall semester and 2023 spring semester for attendance at John A. Logan College. Click [here](#) for more information and to complete the application. Applications must be submitted by **April 12, 2022**.

Jean Jones Scholarship applications are available [here](#). This scholarship is a one-time monetary award that will be given to a Carterville High School graduate. Completed applications must be submitted to the guidance office by **3:00 p.m. on April 14, 2022**.

The Carterville Champions Fund was founded in the year 2022 to award scholarships to graduating seniors of Carterville High School who best exemplify the characteristics of Citizen Scholar Athletes. Click [here](#) for more information and the application. Application deadline is **3:00 p.m. on April 14, 2022**.

American Legion Post 347 and American Legion Post 347 Auxiliary will offer a \$500 scholarship to a CHS graduate to be used for tuition/books. Applicant must be a direct descendent of a veteran of the Armed Forces of the United States, living or deceased. Application can be downloaded [here](#). Completed applications must be submitted to the American Legion at the address listed on the application by **April 15, 2022**.

The Illinois Engineering Initiative is awarding one \$2000 scholarship to a student to attend an Illinois university that is enrolled in an engineering program accredited by the Accreditation Board of Engineering and Technology (ABET). Click [here](#) to apply. Application deadline is **April 15, 2022**.

The Butkus-Sylvester family has been fortunate to have multiple successful engineering graduates from The University of Illinois. We believe the career opportunities that come from majoring in engineering at Illinois Urbana-Champaign are endless. It is the intent of the family to provide an in-state tuition and fee scholarship for one undergraduate female engineering student at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign who is an Illinois resident and U.S. citizen. Preference may be given to a first-generation U.S. citizen. Click [here](#) to apply. Application deadline is **April 15, 2022**.

The South East Illinois Area Health Education Center (SEIL-AHEC) is accepting applications for \$500 Future Healthcare Hero awards for 2022 high school graduates. Applicants must be pursuing entry into *any* health science program for the 2021 fall semester. For more information and the application, click [here](#). Application deadline is **April 15, 2022**.



The Deck Family is offering the Mike Deck Memorial Scholarship to a graduating CHS football player. Coach Deck was the football coach from 1976 to 1987, winning numerous games and bringing statewide notoriety to the town's football program. The criteria for this \$1,000 memorial scholarship are pillars of character exemplified by Coach Deck, including loyalty to the program, leadership on and off the field, work ethic, sportsmanship and academic success. Click [here](#) to apply by **April 18, 2022**.

Hill Scholarship applications are now available. Students must attend John A. Logan College for two years, earn a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester and remain in good standing at the college. The award also provides monies for two additional years at a four-year college or university under the same requirements. The amount of the award is determined annually. In addition to other eligibility requirements, only those seniors planning to attend John A. Logan College should download an application. Click on the following links for a copy of the [rules, criteria, and guidelines](#) and the [application](#). Completed applications are due in the guidance office by **April 19, 2022**.

Tri-C Memorial Scholarships to attend SIUC and JALC will be awarded for the 2021-22 school year. Applicants must be graduating seniors at CHS, enrolled at either Southern Illinois University-Carbondale or John A. Logan College and have a GPA of "B" or better. Download the application and more information [here](#). Applications must be postmarked by **April 19, 2022**.

The Mae West Scholarship, Jett West Scholarship, and Wyatt Allen Lindsey & Elizabeth Anne Lindsey Scholarship applications are now available. A native of Carterville, Anne West was a journalist turned professional freelance writer and was the author of both short and book-length fiction. Anne graduated from Carterville High School in 1931 and graduated from Southern Illinois University Carbondale in 1935 and later did postgraduate work in journalism at the University of Missouri. Three scholarships will be awarded to one male graduate of CHS, one female graduate of CHS, and either a male or female graduate of CHS. Download an application [here](#). Applications and all accompanying materials must be completed and returned to the guidance office by **April 19, 2022**.

Carterville Education Association offers a \$500 scholarship. Applications can be downloaded by clicking [here](#). Once completed, applications should be printed and turned in to the Guidance Office no later than **April 20, 2022**.

Damas Latinas invites seniors to participate in the Spanish Essay Contest 2022. Damas Latinas is a nonprofit organization founded in 1996 in Southern Illinois. It has created an Economic Fund Program, a scholarship with the purpose of promoting among high school students the value of education as well as the importance of studying the Spanish language. They will offer scholarships to seniors who have: a 3.0 GPA or higher, three years of Spanish, one letter of recommendation from a school faculty member, and an essay written in Spanish. Download the informational sheet [here](#). Completed applications must be postmarked by **April 20, 2022**.

Carterville High School Spanish/World Language Club is pleased to announce it will award a scholarship to a graduating high school senior. Click [here](#) for the application. Application deadline is **April 29, 2022**.

The LaVern and Nola McEntire Lineworker's Scholarship is a \$2,000 scholarship that will help pay for costs to attend the lineworker's school conducted by the AIEC in conjunction with Lincoln Land Community College in Springfield, Illinois. Children of cooperative members,

relatives of cooperative employees or directors, individuals enrolled in the Lincoln Land lineworker's school and individuals who have served or are serving in the armed forces or National Guards are all eligible for the lineworker's scholarship. This scholarship will be based on an essay, a biographical statement, references and a recommendation that will be submitted. The deadline for this scholarship is **April 30, 2022**. Click [here](#) for more details and the link to the application.

The local chapter for the Association of Perioperative Nursing (AORN Chapter 1402) is a non-profit organization that raises money throughout the year in order to offer a monetary scholarship to an individual entering the healthcare field. Click [here](#) for the link to this year's application. The deadline to apply is **April 30, 2022**.

## **MAY**

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The Gregory F. Yank "Servant Leader" Scholarship will fund scholarships to an accredited College or Trade School. Awards will be \$2,500.00 each. Recipients will agree to have their awards publicized throughout Rotary International District 6510. For more details and the application click [here](#). Deadline to apply is **May 1, 2022**.

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Gamma Kappa Omega Chapter is awarding the Thelma Gibbs Walker Scholarship for qualified students. Applicants must be full-time African American seniors who reside in Jackson/Williamson Counties. They must have a minimum 2.5 GPA and demonstrate community service involvement. To download the application, click [here](#). Completed applications must be emailed to the address listed on the application by **May 1, 2022**.

## **ONGOING DEADLINES**

The State of Illinois offers 40 Illinois State Tuition Waivers for every State University that offers the Army ROTC program. These tuition waivers are offered for the fall and spring semesters. If awarded, 100% tuition and the General Activity Fee will be waived for that semester. A student must apply every semester. Applications are distributed the first week of each semester, and waivers are awarded by mid-semester. If awarded, the recipient must meet the basic requirements to maintain the tuition waiver for that semester. For more information, as well as contact information for the SIUC Army ROTC, visit <https://armyrotc.siu.edu/>.

The Crosswalk Community Action Agency is awarding scholarships to Franklin, Williamson, Jefferson and Jackson county recipients. Applicants must meet low income guidelines. To download additional information and the application click [here](#). Application deadline is **August 1, 2022**.