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Nov. 14                      University of San Francisco Open House

[www.usfca.edu/visit](http://www.usfca.edu/visit)

**Scholarship Information  
From The Career Center  
As of October 15, 2009**

**Be sure you qualify before taking an application and/or completing it.**

**You may also search free on line for scholarships at these addresses**

[www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)

<http://scholarships.salliemae.com>

[www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)

[www.scholarshipexperts.com](http://www.scholarshipexperts.com)

[www.latinocollegedollars.org](http://www.latinocollegedollars.org)

### Check the Deadline

Most colleges/universities offer you their own scholarships once you have completed their application.

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THE FOLLOWING ARE SPECIAL SCHOLARSHIPS BEING OFFERED. THE DATE TO THE LEFT INDICATES WHEN THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION IS DUE. BE SURE TO MAIL THE APPLICATION AT LEAST 3 DAYS BEFORE THE DUE DATE!!

#### DEADLINE

**Nov. 21                      Scholastic Art Awards for 2010 – [www.artandwriting.org](http://www.artandwriting.org)**

**Nov. 25                      MetroPCS Community Scholars Program –** Seniors who have demonstrated exceptional involvement in volunteerism and community service, in addition to academics and other criteria. [www.metropcs.com/scholarship](http://www.metropcs.com/scholarship)

**Dec. 1                      Music Center Spotlight Awards Visual Arts -** Open to students of all talent levels. Students may apply in both the performing Arts and the Visual Arts program. Students can apply to more than one category. Categories are: Photography and two-dimensional art. The preliminary round of judging will take place in January of 2010. Semifinal auditions and master classes will be held from January-February 2010. [www.musiccenter.org](http://www.musiccenter.org)

**Dec. 15                      AXA Achievement Scholarship – Seniors** who are US citizens or legal residents. Must demonstrate ambition and self-drive as evidenced by outstanding

Achievement in an activity in school, the community or the workplace, and be recommended by an unrelated adult who can attest to the student's achievement.

[www.axa-achievement.com](http://www.axa-achievement.com)

**Jan 9 2010 John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest – 9<sup>th</sup> –**

12<sup>th</sup> grade write an original and creative essay of less than 1,000 words that demonstrates an understanding of political courage as described by John f. Kennedy in Profiles in Courage. Subject must be an elected official in the US since 1956. Essays must demonstrate an understanding of President Kennedy's definition of political courage.

[www.jfklibrary.org](http://www.jfklibrary.org)

**Jan. 11 Safe Jobs for Youth Month, 2010 Public Service Announcement (PSA) Contest –** California teens between 14 and

18 design a 30-second video highlighting job safety and health for teens. Use your Creative talents, dancing, acting, script writing, directing, or even singing to promote job Safety for youth in the workplace. [www.youngworkers.org](http://www.youngworkers.org)

**Jan. 11 Gates Millennium Scholars -** Nomination materials must be submitted online before Monday, January 11, 2010 11:59 EST or postmarked on or before January 11, 2010. Seniors who are African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian Pacific Islander American, Hispanic American, and a citizen, national or legal permanent resident of the United States. Must have attained a cumulative GPA of 3.3 and have demonstrated leadership abilities through participation in community service, extra curricular or other activities. [www.gmsp.org](http://www.gmsp.org)

**Feb. 2 Milken Scholars –** Seniors who have a GPA of 3.6 minimum SAT I Reasoning Score of 1850 with results submitted for critical reading, math, and writing, or a minimum ACT score of 28, active participation in community service activities, a record of leadership, financial need and a US citizen or Permanent Resident.

[www.mff.org/scholars](http://www.mff.org/scholars)

**Feb. 10 KFC Colonel's Scholars Program –** Seniors graduation this academic year (between 12/1/09 and 8/31/10). Maintaining a GPA of 2.75 or higher. Enrolling in a public, in-state college or university (starting no later than 9/30/10). Pursuing a bachelor's degree, and a U.S. citizen or permanent resident. [www.kfcscholars.org](http://www.kfcscholars.org)

**Feb. 15 Oh, the Places You'll Go! College Scholarships –** Seniors who understand and value the limitless possibilities that education can offer. Essay Question: Dr. Seuss's Oh, the Places You'll Go! Delivers an important message about the chances and the troubles that life presents. Thinking about the book Oh, The Places You'll Go!, what kinds of opportunities and challenges do you think your education will present in the future? [www.ohtheplaces.org](http://www.ohtheplaces.org)

**Feb. 19 Stay In School Scholarship Program –** seniors will be judged on the following: Academic Achievement (grades and Sat Scores), extracurricular activities, civic and community activities, and a 300-word essay on the topic, "Why College is important to me".

**March 20 Anthem Essay Contest** - 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, and 10<sup>th</sup> graders. Essays will be judged on both style and content. Judges will look for writing that is clear, articulate and logically organized. Winning essays must demonstrate an outstanding grasp of the philosophic meaning of *Anthem*. [www.aynrandeducation.com](http://www.aynrandeducation.com)

**April 26 The Fountainhead Essay Contest** – 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders. Essays will be judged on both style and content. Judges will look for writing that is clear, articulate and logically organized. Winning essays must demonstrate an outstanding grasp of the philosophic meaning of *The Fountainhead*. [www.aynrandeducation.com](http://www.aynrandeducation.com)

**Summer Opportunities** – students need to apply as early as possible, and before April 15, 2010, space is limited.

**AIFS Summer Advantage**, students 16–18 who have completed their sophomore year can take courses at a prestigious university abroad and earn college level credit. Courses include art history, business, culture, language, literature, music, politics, social sciences, and more. No previous language study is required prior to participating, and students can take courses in the local language as well as in English.

[www.summeradvantage.com](http://www.summeradvantage.com)

**Cambridge College Programme**, High Achieving High School Scholars, 65 Academic courses, plus Leadership Programme, Excursions: London (4trips, plus 2 plays), Bath, Stratford Ely Cathedral Stonehenge, Warwick Castle, Plus Sports, evening activities, and the James Bond ball. [www.cambridgecollegeprogrammer.org](http://www.cambridgecollegeprogrammer.org)