

Senior Update #8



College Information:

Anderson University:

- Illuminate Tours will be offered: Dec. 10th and 12th.
Schedule at:
<https://admissions.anderson.edu/register/illuminateDec5>

Eastern Tennessee State University Info:

- Deadline for the Changemaker Scholars Program is Feb. 1, 2025.
- The ETSU General University Scholarship Application is March 1, 2025.
- Learn more at: <https://www.etsu.edu/financial-aid-and-scholarships/freshman-new-student/default.php>

Edison State CC/Honda Internship Night 2024:

- Thursday, Dec. 12, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. at the Emerson Center, Piqua Campus
- Interested in a Manufacturing Internship at Honda? Learn more at their information night.
- To learn more and to register, go here:
<https://www.edisonohio.edu/event/2024-12/honda-internship-night>

Kent State University Info:

- Flashes Go Further Scholarship Program - must enroll full time at the Kent Campus and pursue a bachelor's degree.
- Must also complete the FAFSA.
- Families who income is \$75,000 or less qualify. If over \$75,001 you may qualify for partial awards.
- For more info, go to: <https://www.kent.edu/fbe-center/flashes-go-further-scholarship-program?>

Miami University Info:

- For those students applying to Miami U for Architecture, Interior Design, or Games and Simulation, you must provide your portfolio or video by Dec. 15th to meet the deadline for Early Action II or Feb. 15th for Regular Decision.
- For priority consideration of certain state and federal funds, grants and need-based scholarships, students should submit their FAFSA by Feb. 1, 2025.

Northwestern Pre-College Online Programs:

- Courses that can be taken while in high school are: Business, Business of Sports, Engineering, Law, and Medicine, just to name a few.
- Please see handout for further information.

Ohio Wesleyan University Info:

- OWU will still accept early action applications until Dec. 9th. Rolling deadline applications will still be accepted until March 1, 2025.
- Apply by Jan. 15, 2025 for merit scholarships. Could receive at least \$25,000 annually, with full-tuition scholarships available.
- Visit campus before Dec. 15th to qualify for the \$1,000 Visit Award.
- Virtual tours: Saturday, Dec. 7th, 10:30 a.m.
(<https://apply.owu.edu/register/?id=d7ebc0e5-e2fe-447b-a693-317f6eede555>) and Monday, Jan. 20th, at 11:00 a.m.
(<https://apply.owu.edu/register/?id=694ebce8-82df-4bd4-9306-2d5846e9810d>).

Pennsylvania Western University Info:

- Penn West is located in Clarion, PA.
- Visit Days: Wednesday, Feb. 12th – Twilight Tour
- Monday, February, 17, 2025 – Honors Admitted Student Day
- Saturdays, Feb. 22, March 22 and April 5, 2025 – Admitted Student Days
- Pre-registration is required at:
www.pennwest.edu/visit.

Common Application

One application used at several colleges across the US. Go to:
www.commonapp.org

- Information can be found in your handouts from our 1st senior/parent meeting.

College Visits:

- You get 2 this year, use them wisely.
- Please let Mrs. Kohler know where and when you are going. She will give you a form that needs to be signed while at the college. This will be used as your excused absence form for Ms. Tussing.
- No college visits may be taken during the month of May. Visit the college BEFORE you apply there.

Local Scholarships:

Community Foundation of Shelby County General Scholarships:

- The foundation offers several scholarships for local schools. They have provided a list of scholarships available to JC students. The Robert Grubbs Memorial is open only to JC seniors (1 - \$1,000 scholarship)
- The application will close February 13, 2025.

- Students will apply online at (opens Dec. 12th): <https://commfoun.com/grants-scholarships/scholarships/apply-for-a-scholarship/>
- You will need your SAI (Student Aid Index) from filing your FAFSA in order to apply.
- See handout for a complete list of scholarships available to JC students and for the directions to fill out the application online.

Community Foundation Skills Scholarship:

- Scholarships for high school seniors and adults who plan to enroll in a trade, technical or adult education, up to an Associate's Degree, who reside in Shelby County or attend a Shelby County School, are eligible to apply. If your intended occupation requires a bachelor's degree then you cannot apply for the Skills Scholarship, but should instead apply for the General Scholarship listed above.
- Deadline to apply is March 13, 2025.
- Beginning Dec. 12th, apply at: www.commfoun.com
- Questions? Contact Juli Smith at: jsmith@commfoun.com

Scholarship Information:

American Fire Sprinkler Association Scholarship:

- Scholarship is open to high school seniors planning to go to college or a trade school.
- Not based on financial need.
- Multiple awards of \$2,000 will be given.
- Deadline to apply is Jan. 1, 2025.
- To apply, go to: <https://www.afsascholarship.org>

American Red Cross Leaders Save Lives Scholarship:

- Open to high school students who have helped organize a blood drive at their school/community.
- Our senior class and NHS members qualify.
- Awards of up to \$2,500.
- Deadline is Jan. 15, 2025 and August 31, 2025.
- For more information, go to: <https://www.redcrossblood.org/hosting-a-blood-drive/learn-about-hosting/why-host-a-blood-drive/leaders-save-lives.html>

DeWalt Trades Scholarship:

- Must be a high school senior planning to attend college to major in a trade field of study such as Construction, Mechanical, Industrial, and Technology. To learn more and to apply for the scholarship, go to: <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/dewalttrade/>
- Deadline to apply is: Jan. 16, 2025.

Equitable Excellence Scholarship Program:

- Program is open to high school seniors and current undergraduates who plan to enroll full-time in a 2 or 4-year college in the US.

- Must demonstrate ambition and self-drive in your community and have at least a 2.5 GPA.
- To learn more and to apply, go to: <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/equitableexcellence/>
- Deadline to apply is Dec. 18, 2024 at 4:00 p.m.

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship

- Earn a \$10,000 renewable scholarship up to \$40,000 for seniors who show leadership, drive, citizenship, and integrity.
- Must be a high school senior with at least a 3.0 GPA and planning to attend college.
- For more information and to apply, go to: <https://www.reaganfoundation.org/education/scholarship-programs/ge-reagan-foundation-scholarship-program/>
- Deadline to apply is Jan. 3, 2024.

John Lennon Scholarships:

- Open to students age 17 – 24 who plan to enroll in college.
- Submit an original musical work of art that hasn't been published by Jan. 15, 2025.
- For more information, go to: <https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/12397/john-lennon-scholarships>

Lyons Aviation Foundation Scholarship:

- Open to students age 16 – 24; must not currently hold a private pilot's certificate; be a US citizen with good moral character.
- For more information, go to: https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/29506/lyons-aviation-foundation-scholarship#google_vignette
- Deadline to apply is: January 18, 2025.

Mercy Health – St. Rita's Scholarship Program:

- Mercy Health – St. Rita's will award scholarships to high school seniors who are planning a career in the medical field.
- (10) \$1,500 scholarships will be awarded to seniors who each plan to pursue a major in such fields as Nursing, Pharmacy, Therapy, and Medicine.
- Deadline to apply is Feb. 28, 2025 at 4:00 p.m.
- The application, along with your transcript and a 1–2-page essay, can be mailed to the address on the application.
- See Mrs. Kohler for the application

North American Van Lines Logistics Scholarship Competition:

- (3) \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to those going into logistics or supply chain management.
- Must be enrolled or enrolling as a full-time student at a college in the US.

- Must also submit a brief essay between 400 to 800 words, detailing why a career in logistics,/supply chain management is your college major of choice.
- Deadline is Dec. 15, 2024.
- For more information and to apply, go to:
<https://www.northamerican.com/scholarship>

RonranGlee Literary Scholarship:

- Open to those who are or will be pursuing a college education and make the most of their time through "close" reading.
- Deadline to apply is Dec. 17th.
- To apply, go to:
<https://bold.org/scholarships/ronran-glee-literary-scholarship/#ref=best-scholarships>

Shelby County OSU Alumni Club Scholarships:

- If you've applied to OSU, you can now access ScholarshipUniverse.
- You will need your name, ID # and password to login to ScholarshipUniverse.
- Deadline to apply for the alumni scholarships is Feb. 1, 2025.

Wright State Lake Campus Scholarship Program:

- The 2025-26 Scholarship application is now open for those current and incoming students to the Lake Campus.
- Funded by the Western Ohio Education Foundation, Wright State Foundation and the university.
- Applicants are considered for each competitive scholarship based on the eligibility criteria listed in the descriptions.
- Scholarships range from \$300 up to full in-state tuition. Deadline to apply is Feb. 1, 2025.
- Visit <http://lake.wright.edu/woefscholarships> for further info and to apply for scholarships.

College Athletics:

NCAA Clearinghouse – Div. I and II:

- If you are interested in possibly playing college athletics you need to go to the NCAA's Eligibility Center website to register.
- www.eligibilitycenter.org.
- There is a registration fee.
- Let Mrs. Kohler know you have registered as she needs to send your transcript.
- Their ACT/SAT code is 9999.

NCAA Webinar:

- NCAA recently hosted a webinar for potential student athletes.
- Here is a recording of the webinar:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=abLgUv_f-CI

NAIA Eligibility Center:

- To participate in athletics at an NAIA school you must register at: www.playnaia.org
- Please let Mrs. Kohler know if you apply so she can send in your transcript.
- Their ACT/SAT code is 9876.
- There is a registration fee.

ACT/SAT Information:

Registration: Test Date:

Fri., Jan. 3	Sat., Feb. 8
Fri., Feb. 28	Sat., Apr. 5
Fri., May 9	Sat., June 14
Fri. June 6	Sat., July 12

To register, go to: www.actstudent.org

- Cost is \$69.00
 - o With writing: \$94
- If you have not taken the ACT and plan to apply to college, you need to do so ASAP!

SAT Information: Go to: www.collegeboard.com

ACT Prep at Fort Loramie H.S.

- Preparing for the Junior ACT test in February
- Sunday, Feb. 9th: 12 – 6:00 p.m. Science/Math
- Sunday, Feb. 16th: 12 – 6:00 p.m. Reading/English
- Registration fee is \$100 for all 4 sessions, or \$30 each. See registration form in the handouts from Update #7.

ACT Prep at Miami County YMCA:

- For the February National test date and the Junior ACT test in February.
- Saturday, Jan. 18th: 9:00 – 3:30 p.m. Science/Math
- Monday, Jan. 20th: 9:00 – 3:30 p.m. Reading/English
- Registration fee is \$100 for all 4 sessions, or \$30 each. See registration form in the handouts from Update #7.

Military Information:

Selective Service:

- All 18 years and older men must register within 30 days of your 18th birthday.
- To register go to: www.sss.gov.

Air National Guard:

- Montgomery GI Bill is available to each member.
- Benefits include: salary, health and life insurance, retirement, and travel.
- www.airforce.com.

Career Information:

Rhodes State Pre-College Programs for HS Students:

- Open to students in grades 9th – 12th.

- Courses are offered as not cost through a grant from the Ohio Department of Higher Education with a \$200 refundable deposit at the completion of the course.
- Fall course: Welding Certificate
- Spring courses:
 - Industrial Automation Certificate
 - Introduction to FANUC – basic certificate
 - FANUC Robotics Training – advanced certificate
 - Understanding Basic Electricity Certificate
- To learn more or to register see the QR code on the handout from Update #7.

GROB Apprenticeship Program:

- GROB in Bluffton, Ohio is now accepting applications for their 2025 apprenticeship class.
- They are looking for high school seniors interested in an associate's degree in Engineering Technology.
- The program is an earn-while-you-learn model where students are paid full-time and receive on-the-job training at GROB while also earning a company-paid Associates degree in Engineering Tech through Rhodes State College in Lima, Ohio.
- For more information and to apply online, go to: <https://careers.grobgroup.com/GROBSystems/go/Apprenticeship/9066955>
- Deadline to apply is March 30th, however they review applications on a rolling basis, so the sooner you apply, the better.

Workforce Partnership of Shelby County:

- Kelly Edwards spoke with you at our Senior Parent Meeting. She can help you get a full-time position here in Shelby County after graduation or summer employment. If you would like to meet with her, please let Mrs. Kohler know ASAP.

ODOT:

- Mechanic: Shelby County
- Apply by Dec. 9, 2024
- To apply, go to: <http://careers.ohio.gov/>
- Search by agency, which is District 7.

Miscellaneous Information:

Personal Finance CTag College Credit:

- If you have taken Personal Finance you can apply for CTag credit (college credit) this spring with Mrs. Kipker. Please see her for more information.

Reminders from past updates:

AIAA Lockheed Martin Marillyn Hewson Scholarship:

- 2 - \$10,000 awards will be given.
- Deadline to apply is Dec. 31, 2024.

- To apply, go to: <https://www.aiaa.org/get-involved/k-12-students/scholarships/aiaa-lockheed-martin-marillyn-hewson-scholarship>

Burger King Foundation Scholarship:

- The BK Scholars Program honors deserving high school seniors and Burger King employees (and families) with scholarships ranging from \$1,000 - \$60,000.
- Applications are now open and **will close on Dec. 16, 2024**. To apply, go to: <https://burgerking.scholarsapply.org/>

Easterday Poetry Scholarship:

- \$500 scholarship for an unpublished poem.
- Deadline is quarterly, Dec. 31st, March 31st, and June 30th.
- One entry per person. For more info, go to: <https://www.highschoolpoetrycontest.com/to-enter.html>

Fastweb.com Scholarship Search Engine:

- Free scholarship search engine. www.fastweb.com

Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarships:

- 50 - \$30,000 awards will be given.
- Deadline is Jan. 9, 2025.
- To apply and to get more information, go to: <https://jackierobinson.org/apply/>

McDaniel College Educator's Legacy Scholarship:

- If you qualify, apply to the university first (<https://www.mcdaniel.edu/admissions-cost/undergraduate-admissions>) and be admitted, then you will fill out the scholarship application at: www.mcdaniel.edu/EduLegacyScholarship

McDonald's Tuition Assistance- Archways to Opportunity:

- For more information about the program and to request financial assistance, go to: https://www.archwaystoopportunity.com/tuition_assistance.html

Marching Band Scholarships:

- To get more info and to apply, go to: <https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/16824/marching-band-scholarships>

Ohio Living Dorothy Love VolunTeen Scholarship:

- Applications for the scholarship will be available in Feb. for Volunteers.
- To Volunteer, call Tara Schulze at: 937-497-6529 or email her at: tschulze@ohioliving.org

National FFA Scholarships:

- Must be a senior FFA member in high school or FFA alumni in college (keep in mind for next year).
- Just one application is required for multiple scholarships.
- To apply you must have your FFA member ID that is linked to your active membership and FFA.org email address.
- Deadline to apply is Jan. 9, 2025
- To apply, go to:
<https://www.ffa.org/participate/grants-and-scholarships/scholarships/>

National Wild Turkey Federation's Dr. James Earl Kenamer Academic Scholarship Program:

- To apply, students should be: graduating seniors with at least a 3.0 GPA, pursuing a degree or planning to, must support the preservation of the hunting tradition and actively participate in hunting sports (a copy of your current hunting license is required), be involved in school and community, be a leader, exhibit dedication to conservation, submit the necessary essay, have 2 letters of recommendation, and fill out the application.
- Return application online by Jan. 1, 2024 or to:
 - o Steve Hueker
 - o 8315 St. Rt. 119
 - o Anna, Ohio 45302
 - o 419-628-2645
 - o Prior to the Jan. 1st deadline
- To apply, go to: <http://your.nwtf.org/scholarships/>

Pioneer Electric Cooperative Trade/Tech Scholarship:

- Pioneer Electric Co-op is sponsoring a scholarship for high school seniors where they will award a \$1,000 to seniors pursuing a Technical/trade school education. Must be from their service area and a child or legal ward of an active member and live primarily in a home served by Pioneer.
- Applicants must have a current cumulative GPA of a 2.5 or better GPA and planning to apply and attend college or a technical/vocational school after graduation, and must receive their electrical service from Pioneer.
- **Due by Friday, Dec. 20, 2024 at 4:00 p.m.**
- To apply go to: <https://pioneerec.com/technical-trade-school-scholarship-program/>

Arthur M. & Berdena King Eagle Scout Scholarship:

- Must be an Eagle Scout who is registered in an active unit and has not yet reached their nineteenth birthday.
- 15 - \$10,000 awards will be given.
- Apply by Dec.31st at:
<https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/12050/arthur-m-berdena-king-eagle-scout-scholarship>

AvaCare Medical Scholarship:

- Award is \$1,000. Deadline to apply is Dec. 15th.
- To apply, go to:
<https://www.avacaremedical.com/scholarship>

Breanna Coleman Memorial Nursing Scholarship:

- (1) \$5,000 scholarship will be awarded.
- To apply, by Jan. 24, 2025, go to:
<https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/27824/breanna-coleman-memorial-nursing-scholarship>

Bright Lights Scholarship:

- Award is \$500. Deadline is Dec. 25th.
- To apply, go to: <https://bold.org/scholarships/bright-lights-scholarship/>

Charles L. Warren Memorial Heritage Scholarship:

- One-time \$1,500 scholarship will be awarded to four Ohio students who plan to attend an Ohio college.
- Deadline to apply is January 8, 2025.
- Apply at: <https://oacac.org/student-scholarships/>

College Is Power Scholarship:

- Award is \$1,000. Deadline to apply is Dec. 31st.
- To apply, go to:
<https://www.collegeispower.com/scholarship.cfm>

Creative Safety Supply Scholarship:

- Award is \$1,000. Deadline is Dec. 15th and July 15th.
- To apply:
<https://www.creativesafetysupply.com/scholarship/>

Edison State Community College Scholarship:

- Scholarship application is now open until March 1.
- Fill out one application to be considered for any of the 40+ scholarships.
- To apply, go to:
<https://www.edisonohio.edu/scholarship-application>

Midmark Engineering Technical Scholarship:

- The scholarship is worth \$10,000 and comes with paid co-op opportunities
- Student must be planning to pursue a Bachelor's degree at an accredited four-year college or university in one of these areas: Mechanical, Electrical, Computer, Industrial Engineering, Software or Computer Information Systems.
- To apply by the Feb. 7, 2025 deadline, scan the QR code on the enclosed handout or go to:
https://hcor.fa.us2.oraclecloud.com/hcmUI/CandidateExperience/en/sites/CX_1/job/3360/?utm_medium=jobshare