

CYPRESS BAY BRACE NEWSLETTER

FOR ALL STUDENTS

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SENIORS, PLEASE GIVE MRS. DIALBERTO A COPY OF YOUR ACCEPTANCE LETTERS

IMPORTANT DATES FOR JUNIORS & SENIORS

12/1		BRIGHT FUTURES – seniors may begin application – directions in BRACE Office and on cypressbayhigh.com
1/1		FAFSA – parents of seniors may begin application
1/23	8:45-12:45	PARENT UNIVERSITY – Nova High School, informational sessions open to all Broward County students
1/26	9:15 am	ASVAB Follow-Up – Test Results and Explanation
February		Seniors will be called down this month to do Bright Futures, if they haven't done it at home
1/28	7-9 pm	BEYOND THE BAY – Informational sessions for students and parents at Cypress Bay, info on Cypress Bay website
2/6	10:00 am-2:00 pm	CORAL SPRINGS ARTIST GUILD – Fundraiser for scholarships, go to: www.coralspringsartistguild.org for information.
2/20	9:00-2:00	MONEY FOR COLLEGE – Financial Aid Workshop (in English, Spanish, Creole), Broward College, Central Campus, Bldg. 19, 3501 Davie Rd., Ft. Lauderdale 33314, complete and submit your financial aid forms, bring your 2009 tax returns and/or W2 forms (if ready), scholarship and Bright Futures presentations, etc., for questions or information, go to: broward.edu/sfs or call 954-201-7200
3/23	11:00-1:00	BROWARD COLLEGE DAY – Broward College will have approx. 10 tables set up during lunch in Media Center, different BC departments will have information (aviation, automotive, financial aid, admissions, etc.).

SAT/ACT: To sign up for SAT, go to: www.collegeboard.com

To sign up for ACT: go to: www.act.org

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If you are on free or reduced lunch, see Mrs. DiAlberto in BRACE for fee waivers for tests and application fee waivers. You are allowed 2 SAT and 2 ACT test fee waivers in your lifetime. College application fee waivers also available if you use fee waiver for SAT or ACT first.

Prepare for SAT or ACT at BCC – 15 hours, \$169 – register online at www.broward.edu/ce or call 954-201-6960 or 954-201-6959.

Online SAT Test Prep.: Go to: www.Florida.access.bridges.com It offers a brief diagnostic test “BrainScan,” that provides a personalized study plan, strengthens content skills, improves test-taking strategies, and builds confidence with short practice tests and full-length exams.

SAT Essay Sites: <http://www.freesatessaysprep.com>
<http://www.fastweb.com/fastweb/resources/articles.index/110342>
<http://www.majortests.com/sat/essay.php>
http://www.collegeboard.com/student/testing/sat/prgp_one/writing_approaches.html
<http://www.proprofs.com/sat/>

Career Information – Go to: www.Florida.access.bridges.com

College Information – Go to: www.cappex.com
<http://nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/>

Financial Aid - Student and Parent get pin # at www.pin.ed.gov
Parent applies at www.fafsa.gov
If student is applying for fall term, parent cannot apply until Jan. 1 of Senior year. If student is applying for summer term, parent may apply earlier. If parent doesn't have taxes for April done by Jan. 1, parent may use either estimated taxes or last year's taxes to start the process.
Parent may also apply by phone at 1-800-433-3243. The information required is: social security # for student and parent, driver's license #, alien registration # (if not a US citizen), federal tax info or tax returns, including W-2 information for student and parents, records of untaxed income, info on savings, investments, and business and farm assets for student and parents.

SCHOLARSHIPS For all Students

Go to: www.fastweb.com www.scholarships.com
www.collegeboard.com www.wiredscholar.com
www.SchoolSoup.com

Scholarship Scams – If it sounds too good to be true, go to: www.snopes.com

The following scholarships are for seniors, unless otherwise stated:

Date Due	Scholarship, Criteria, Amount (if given)
1/27/10	<p>FORD SALUTE TO EDUCATION – You may only apply in 1 of 4 main categories:</p> <p>Athletics – excel in athletics as 2-yr. varsity athlete and demonstrate leadership qualities, good sportsmanship, and positive attitude</p> <p>Arts – demonstrate and exhibit excellence in either areas of foreign languages, language arts, performing arts, or visual arts</p> <p>Leadership Service – demonstrate leadership and commitment to service through roles in school or community organizations</p> <p>Sciences – demonstrate and exhibit excellence in either mathematics and computer science or natural science</p> <p>All must have BRACE advisor’s signature, maintain 3.0 gpa, must be citizen or permanent resident of US with social security number, must have 2008 annual family income listed, www.stescholarships.org \$1,000 (70 available in Broward)</p>
1/29/10	<p>NATIVE AMERICAN ARTIST COMPETITION – Be American Indian or Alaska Native, submit essays related to Bringing Honor through Education, 1-2 pages, double-spaced, 12 point font, typed, go to: http://kids.indianeducation.org/index.cfm?page=sac_registration.html or call 1-866-259-0060. varies</p>
1/30/10 Grades 11-12	<p>ACT POSTER – Juniors & Seniors – Design a poster that encourages other students to attend college and to take the ACT as college entrance exam, www.actstudent.org/postercontest \$1,000-\$5,000</p>
1/31/10	<p>NROTC – Apply for and gain admission to NROTC colleges (notification must be received before scholarship can be activated, Qualifying scores: Navy SAT 539 Reading, 520 Math ACT 22 English, 21 Math Marine Corps SAT 1000 composite ACT 22 composite</p> <p>Valid test dates are through 12/09, SAT/ACT Math and English/Critical Reading scores may be from 2 different tests, applicants may combine</p>

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best Math w/best English/Critical Reading scores to achieve qualifying scores, if applicant is in top 10% of graduating class, test scores can be below minimums above.

For Navy midshipmen (not including nurses or Marines) starting freshman year of college in fall, 2010 or later will be required to serve a minimum of 5 years of active military service.

Marine Corps Option midshipmen will be required to serve at least 4 years on active duty.

Navy Nurse Corps Option midshipmen will be required to serve at least 4 years on active duty,

https://www.nrotc.navy.mil/scholarship_criteria.aspx

for additional info, contact Chief James Wood, NROTC Coordinator, 954-845-0101 ext. 131 (office) or 954-214-3834 (cell) Approx. \$180,000

1/31/10 **ENGINEERING SOCIETY** – Have a genuine interest in engineering,, US citizen, 3.5+ unweighted gpa, minimum SAT: 600 Math, 500 Verbal or ACT: 26 Math, 21 English, enroll in accredited engineering program, transcript, official AP scores, go to:
<http://www.fleng.org/scholarships.cfm> \$2,250

1/31/10 **DISCOVER – Juniors**, 2.75+ gpa, community service, leadership or have faced a significant roadblock or challenge,
(Junior) www.discoverfinancial.com/community/scholarships.html
\$30,000

1/31/10 **BLACK JOURNALISTS** – African American, Haitian, or Caribbean, 3.0+ gpa, transcript, letters of rec., essay: Why are journalists of color necessary in shaping the delivery of news and other information?, work samples, plan to major in journalism or a related field (writer, reporter, producer, web designers, or studying a multimedia discipline, application in BRACE, interview, website currently under construction, www.sfbja.net
\$500-\$1,000

1/31/10 **PRINCETON PRIZE – Grades 9-12** – Actively involved in volunteer activity in last yr. that has significant, positive impact on race relations, **Grades 9-12** essays, go to: <http://www.princeton.edu/prize/> \$1,000

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2/1/10	<p>BLACKS IN ENERGY – Be member of underrepresented minority group (African American, Hispanic, Native American), plan to enroll in accredited college or univ., 3.0+ overall academic average, 3.0+ gpa in math and science courses, plan to major in business, engineering, technology, math, or physical science fields, demonstrate financial need, transcript, test scores, essay, letters of rec., parents income verification, completed checklist, go to: http://www.aabe.org/index.php?component=cnews&site_id=58&id=146</p>
2/1/10	<p>BURGER KING SCHOLARS – 2.5+ unweighted gpa, work part-time an average of 15 hours per week, community service, demonstrate financial need, plan to enroll in accredited 2-yr. or 4-yr. college, univ., or vocational/technical school, US or Canada resident. https://www.haveyourwayfoundation.org/burger_king_scholars_program.html \$1,000</p>
2/1/10	<p>HUMANA FOUNDATION – Be child of employee of Humana, Inc. who has worked for company for 3 consecutive years, financial need not considered, www.humanafoundation.org/scholarships.asp \$1,500-\$3,000</p>
2/1/10	<p>ARTS FOR LIFE – Demonstrate artistic merit and academic excellence in creative writing, dance, music, theatre, or visual arts, essay, work sample, resume, photograph, www.excelined.org \$1,000</p>
2/1/10	<p>BLANCO FOUNDATION – Plan to pursue a career in nursing or education, acceptance by 2 or 4 yr. accredited college, 3.0+ gpa, test scores, active participation in community service or project/program and extra-curricular programs, short essay, 2 letters of rec., financial need, application in BRACE, info at http://theblancofoundation.org/scholarships.html Up to balance of tuition and books after grants, scholarships, and loans applied</p>
2/1/10 (postmarked by)	<p>PTA ANNUAL – FL resident, US citizen, member of PTA/PTSA (forms in BRACE, 3.0+ gpa, letters of rec., transcript, test scores, enroll in school in FL, application in BRACE. \$4,000</p>

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2/1/10 (postmarked by)	PTA FINE ARTS – Plan to attend a Fine Arts program at accredited art institution, community college, or univ. and major in arts (visual, literary, performing, or film), enroll in school in FL, US citizen, FL resident (at least 2 yrs.), member of PTA/PTSA (forms in BRACE), application in BRACE. \$1,000
2/1/10 (postmarked by)	PTA VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL – Enroll in vocational/technical institution in FL, US citizen, FL resident (2 yrs.+), 2.0+ gpa, essay, transcript, test scores, tax form, letters of rec., member of PTA/PTSA (forms in BRACE), application in BRACE. \$1,000
February	MILITARY CHILDREN – Be dependent child of member of military. 3.0+ gpa, essay, www.militaryscholar.org varies
2/5/10	WESTERN UNION – Intended to help 2 members of the same family move up economic development ladder through education, 18+ yrs. old, country of origin for 1 of applicants must be outside US, have overcome barriers to pursue educational goals, be involved in community, http://foundation.westernunion.com/ourProgramsScholarships.html \$1,000-\$5,000
2/5/10	BEST TEEN CHEF – Plan to attend Art Institute, submit completed entry and release form, www.artinstitutes.edu/btc ¼ to full tuition
2/5/10 Grades 9-12	MCCORMICK FREEDOM – Grades 9-12 - Contest encourages teens to depict their thoughts on contemporary freedom issues through film, editorial cartoons, web design, or photojournalism, entries should focus on contemporary social, political, and economic issues, application in BRACE, info at www.freedomproject.US \$100-\$1,000
2/8/10 (postmarked by)	REALTORS – Essay 500 words or less, “How Does a Realtor Professional Benefit the Community?,” application in BRACE. \$1,000-\$6,000
2/10/10 Grades 9-12	COURAGEOUS PERSUADERS – Grades 9-12 – Create a 30 second tv commercial targeted at middle school students to warn them about underage drinking, may enter as individual or team, go to: http://www.courageouspersuaders.com \$1,000-\$2,000

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2/10/10	KFC SCHOLARS - Financial need, entrepreneurial spirit, US citizen or permanent resident, 2.75+ gpa, http://www.kfcscholars.org/scholarships up to \$5,000
2/12/10	PHI DELTA KAPPA – Intend to pursue teaching career, essay, letters of rec., transcript, application in BRACE.
2/15/10 Grades 11-12	JEWISH WOMEN – Grades 11-12 – Resident of Broward County, essay indicating why you believe you have the potential to become a Jewish leader of tomorrow, also seeking applicants who have overcome obstacles, transcript, community service, social activism, leadership, application in BRACE. \$1,000
2/15/10	ENGLISH, WILLIAM – FL resident, plan to attend a FL public or private college, major in computer science and/or information technology related field, 2.5+ gpa, transcript, essay, letters of rec., resume go to: http://www.faeds.org/schol_WilliamEnglish.cfm \$3,000
2/15/10 (postmarked by)	OH, THE PLACES YOU’LL GO! – Original literary composition no longer than 500 words, http://origin.www.seussville.com/ohtheplaces/ \$5,000
2/15/10 (postmarked by)	CHIEF’S OF POLICE – Plan to major in criminal justice or related field, seek AA or Bachelor’s degree from accredited univ., must be relative of Law Enforcement Officer (active, vested or retired) from within Broward County, financial need, gpa, community involvement, application in BRACE. \$1,500
2/15/10	DAR – Show dedication to pursuit of undergraduate degree in diverse disciplines, including history, law, nursing, and education, see Mrs. DiAlberto in BRACE for endorsement process, \$500-\$2,000 http://www.himmarsheddar.org for application, details at http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm#general
2/15/10	ALZHEIMER’S AWARENESS – US citizen or permanent resident, plan to enter 4-yr. college or univ., 200 word autobiography, copy of US birth certificate or passport, 2 copies of essay, http://www.afateens.org/about_new.html \$5,000

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2/15/10	NATIONAL CO-OP – Plan to attend either Drexel Univ., Johnson & Wales Univ., Kettering Univ., Pace Univ., Rochester Institute of Technology, Univ. of Toledo Wentworth Institute of Technology, 3.5+ unweighted gpa, http://www.co-op.edu \$6,000
2/15/10 Grades 9-12	BEST BUY – Grades 9-12 – Plan to attend college, univ., or technical school, volunteer activities and/or work history, good grades, go to: http://at15.org/contests_scholarships/at15_scholarship \$1,500
2/15/10	UNITED STUDENT AID – Plan to enroll or are enrolled in full-time undergraduate or full-time graduate or professional degree coursework at accredited 2 or 4=yr. college, univ., or vocational/technical school, annual adjusted gross family income of \$35,000 or less, US citizen or eligible non-citizen, go to: http://www.usafunds.org/planning/acces_to_education_scholarship/index.html \$1,500
2/16/10	MAHATMA RICE – Essay: What will my college degree say about me?, info in BRACE, application at http://scholarship.mahatmarice.com \$2,000
2/16/10	RMHC NATIONAL – US resident, essay, academic achievement, financial need, community involvement, 2.7+ gpa, www.rmhc.org Minimum \$1,000
2/16/10	RMHC AFRICAN-AMERICAN – US resident, essay, academic achievement, financial need, community involvement, have at least 1 parent of African American or Black Caribbean heritage, 2.7+ gpa, www.rmhc.org Minimum \$1,000
2/16/10	RMHC HACER – US resident, essay, academic achievement, financial need, community involvement, have at least 1 parent of Hispanic heritage, 2.7+ gpa, www.rmhc.org Minimum \$1,000
2/16/10	BROWARD LEAGUE OF CITIES – Permanent resident of Broward County, pursue major in public administration, political science, or government related fields in 2 or 4-yr. college or univ. in FL, 2.5+ unweighted gpa, transcript, leadership, essay, letters of rec., essay, www.browardleague.org \$1000

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2/17/10 Grades 11-12	BANK OF AMERICA –Grades 11-12 – 8-week paid summer internship and Student Leadership Summit in Washington, DC, learn how nonprofits, government, and business can partner to create a positive impact in our communities, go to: <u>bankofamerica.com/neistudentleaders</u>
2/19/10 (submitted by)	FAME INTELLECTUAL FREEDOM – Essay: The Importance of Intellectual Freedom, application in BRACE, return to school Media Specialist or BRACE Advisor, go to: <u>http://www.ala.org/ala/aboutala/offices/oif/index.cfm</u> for additional info. \$1,000
2/21/10	CHAIR SCHOLARS – Have serious physical challenges, at least a B average, significant community service or made significant social contribution, <u>www.chairscholars.org/nationalprogram.htm</u> up to \$20,000
2/22/10	FAMU – Plan to attend FL A & M University, transcript, have financial need, essay : “My Future Educational Goals and How This Scholarship Will Aid in Attaining These Goals,” copy of FAFSA form, proof of acceptance to FAMU varies
2/24/10	PROFESSIONAL ATHLETES – 2.0+ gpa, accepted at 2 or 4-yr. college or univ., nominated by high school coach, participated at varsity level in athletics for at least 1 yr., has not accepted any scholarship funds or grants to participate in college athletics, is not child of current or retired NFL player, gpa, career goals, potential for success, leadership, character, indication of how athletic competition has aided in personal growth, essay, transcript, application in BRACE
2/26/10 (to BRACE)	FASFEP A – Plan to enter field of Arts or Sciences in Education, 3.0+ gpa, contribution to society, financial need, resume, essay: 200 words or less- Describe how this financial assistance would enhance ability to continue education, 2 letters of rec. from high school staff, transcript, application in BRACE. \$1,000 (\$500 upon verification of registration and attendance, \$500 at second semester if grades are C or better
2/26/10 (Ages 21 or younger)	BROWN, JESSE – Students age 21 or younger who volunteer at VA Medical Centers, <u>www.dav.org</u> up to \$15,000

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2/27/110 Grades 6-8 Grades 9-12 College Undergrad.	WOMEN IN MATH – Grades 6-8, grades 9-12 , College Undergrad. - Entry based on interview with woman currently working in mathematical career, essay, go to: http://www.awn-math.org/biographies/contest.html \$1,000
2/28/10	HERZOG, KATE WRITING – Be senior or college freshman, go to: williamettewriters.com/herzog.htm ; wilwrite@williamettewriters.com \$250-\$500
2/28/10	ABPA HARRINGTON – Ages 13-19, essay: How is your local, state, or regional and administrative authority providing safe drinking water through cross-connection control or backflow prevention? Explore options for improvements, go to: http://www.abpa.org/scholarship.htm \$1,000
2/28/10	BANK OF AMERICA – Dependent of Bank of America associate, 23 yrs. of age or younger, plan to attend 2 or 4-yr. college, univ., or vocational/technical school, essay, transcript, go to: http://www.scholarshipamerica.org/bankofamerica \$1,000-\$5,000
2/28/10	NIH – INDIVIDUALS FROM DISADVANTAGED BACKGROUNDS – Provides students with tools to engage in biomedical, behavioral, and social science health-related research, go to: https://ugsp.nih.gov \$20,000
3/1/10	BROAD PRIZE – 2.75+ gpa in senior year, enroll full-time in accredited college, university, community college, or technical school, show academic improvement from 9 th through 11 th grades (as measured by gpa or class rank), financial need, US citizen or US Permanent Resident, go to: www.broadprize.org up to \$20,000 over 4 yrs.
3/1/10 (postmarked by)	THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS – Be senior or college student with parent with disability, plan to attend 2 or 4-yr. college in pursuit of AA, BA, or BS degree, essay describing experience of growing up with parent with disability, transcript, letter of rec., resume, go to: http://lookingglass.org/scholarships/index.php \$1,000

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3/1/10 (postmarked by)	AMERICAN LEGION FL – Be direct descendant (child, grandchild, great-grandchild, legally adopted child) of veteran who is member in good standing of The American Legion, or deceased US veteran who would have been eligible in American Legion, application in BRACE or https://floridalegion.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=133:scholarships&catid=47:programs&Itemid=2 \$500-\$2,500
3/1/10 (postmarked by)	AMERICAN LEGION ART – Create something “from the heart” that will fulfill the definition of patriotism, application in BRACE or https://floridalegion.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=133:scholarships&catid=47:programs&Itemid=2 \$250-\$500 (to student and Art Department)
3/1/10	EAGLE SCOUT OF YEAR – Must have earned Eagle Award and religious emblem, FL resident, be in troop chartered to American Legion Post or son or grandson of Legion Member or parent eligible to join The American Legion, application at: Department Headquarters, PO Box 547859, Orlando, FL 32854-7859, carol@floridalegion.org or 407-295-2631 ext. 222. \$500-\$2,500
3/1/10	FINANCIAL PLANNING – Pursue course of study in School of Business at accredited 2 or 4 yr. college, transcript, test scores, letters of rec., essay, go to: southfloridafpa.org/ See BRACE Advisor for application until available on website. \$1,500
3/1/10	JROTC CADET OF YEAR – Must be enrolled in JROTC, parents must be FL residents, must be chosen by JROTC Commanding Officer, 1 application per JROTC unit, see JROTC Commander. \$500-\$2,500
3/1/10	BLITMAN, MAUREEN & HOWARD – Member of underrepresented ethnic minority in field of engineering, African-American, Hispanic, or Native American, has been accepted into engineering program at 4-yr. college or univ., US citizen, 3.5+ unweighted gpa, internship/co-op experience and community involvement, SAT: Math 700, Verbal 600 or ACT Math 29, English 29, resume, letters of rec., transcript, go to: http://www.nspe.org/Students/Resources/blitgman.html \$5,000

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3/1/10	WIEDNER & VANDERCOOK – Autobiography describing your activities relating to peace and social justice, letters of rec., no gpa requirement, www.grandmothersofpeace.org \$500
3/5/10	ITALIAN AMERICAN FOUNDATION – Awards will be made on basis of academic merit and divided between 2 categories of students: Category I for Italian American students who demonstrate outstanding potential and high academic achievement; Category II are students from any ethnic background majoring or minoring in Italian language, Italian studies, Italian American studies or related field, who demonstrate outstanding potential and high academic achievements; have 3.5+ unweighted gpa, be US citizen or permanent resident alien, transcript, financial need, teacher evaluation, go to: http://www.niaf.org/scholarships/index.asp \$2,000-\$12,000
3/5/10	FOUNTAIN COMMUNITY – African descent, financial need, 3.2+ gpa, 21+ ACT or 1000+ SAT, acceptance in college, univ., or technical school, community service, letter of rec., transcript, essay, photo, go to: www.fountainministries.net \$1,000
3/5/10	SAMMY MILK MUSTACHE – legal resident, 3.2+ gpa, essay (75-250 words), participate in high school sport or club during 2009-10 school yr., cannot be on suspension or other disciplinary probation imposed by school in 2009-10, cannot have been arrested, charged with, or convicted of crime, plan to attend a State accredited college or university, go to: http://sammy.bodybymilk.com \$7500+trip to Awards Weekend
3/12/10 Grades 9-12 (submitted by)	CITIZEN ATHLETE – Grades 9-12 – Community service, academics, athletics, school involvement, go to: www.MaxPreps.com/Citizen Athlete \$2,500
3/12/10	RUSSELL, JEANETTE – Economically disadvantaged, FL resident, application for full-time enrollment at college or univ. for study of jazz instrumental or jazz vocal performance, 2.5+ unweighted gpa, transcript, income info, letter of rec. by school music official, copy of Student Aid Report, expected family contribution (EFC) not more than \$5,000, 5-6 minute audition, go to: http://www.goldcoastjazz.org/gcjs_scholarships.phtml varies

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3/14/10	BLIND PROGRAM – Autobiographical sketch, certification of legal blindness, transcript, 3.3+ gpa, 2 letters of rec., , proof of acceptance from post-secondary school, go to: http://www.acb.org varies
3/15/10	GRISHAM, CARL & LAURA – 4.5 cumulative gpa for 9, 10, 11 and 1 st semester of 12 th grades, photograph, resume, transcript, test scores, application in BRACE. \$2,000
3/15/10	COUNCIL OF BLIND – Must have vision in better eye of no more than 20/200 with corrective lenses of vision greater than 20/200 in better eye but with restricted field of vision of no more than 20 degrees, FL resident, 3.0+ gpa, letters of rec., transcript, essay, go to: www.fcb.org \$500
3/15/10	CITIZENS WITH LOW VISION – Must have vision in better eye of no more than 20/200 with corrective lenses or vision greater than 20/200 in better eye but with restricted field of vision of no more than 30 degrees, FL resident, 3.0+ gpa, letters of rec., transcript, essay, go to: www.fcb.org \$500
3/15/10	FRAME YOUR FUTURE – Legal US resident, submit original creation w/1 image that expresses what student hopes to achieve in personal and professional life after college, examples: photograph, short typed explanation, collage, drawing, graphic design, painting, etc., entry should communicate how student frames their future, go to: http://www.framemyfuture.com \$1,000
3/19/10	MLK INTERFAITH/MULTICULTURAL – 2/5+ gpa, transcript, college acceptance letter, resume, Broward County resident, application in BRACE. \$750
3/27/10	KYMANOX'S DAVIS, JAMES – Go to: kymanox.com/scholarship;scholarship@kymanox.com \$1,000
3/30/10	VISUAL AID VOLUNTEERS – Be legally blind, resident of FL, letters of rec., Resume, statement of career goals, essay, application in BRACE. Varies
3/31/10	HUBBARD, RON ILLUSTRATORS – Awarded quarterly (9/30, 12/31, 3/31, 6/30, be gifted in art and interested in fantasy or science fiction, go to: writersofthefuture.com/17/rules/ilofrules.html \$500-\$4,000

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4/1/10	SCOTTISH RITE – Academic achievement, leadership, letters of rec., www.scottishrite.org varies
4/2/10	PATRICK, DENNIS – Must have maintained a “B” average throughout high school, athletic sport program for last 2 yrs. of high school, may not accept athletic scholarship to college, must use scholarship for college or tech. school, letters of rec., photograph, http://www.thedennispattickfoundation.org/index.php?pr=Educational Scholarship Program \$500
4/10/10	R.O.C.K. – Have been diagnosed with cancer before age 21, be legal Resident of FL, plan to attend college, univ., community college, or vocational technical school in FL, 3 letters of rec., financial need, essay, transcript, test scores, community service, leadership, information at: http://www.cancer.org/docroot/COM/content/div FL/COM 5 1x College Scholarship Program.asp?sitearea=COM application at: http://www.cancer.org/docroot/COM/content/div FL/COM 11 1x College Scholarship Application.asp
4/12/10	BECCA’S CLOSET (KIRTMAN) – Be senior or full-time college student, have made an outstanding, documented contribution to local community through creation of or involvement in Becca’s Closet chapter or supporting organization, US citizen or legal resident, plan to attend accredited college, vocational school, or university in US, 2.0+ unweighted gpa, transcript, letters of rec., essay, application in BRACE. \$1,000 (possible renewal)
4/12/10	BECCA’S CLOSET SPIRIT OF GENEROSITY – Be senior or full-time college student, have made outstanding contribution to community through volunteer action including but not limited to Becca’s Closet, demonstrate financial need, US citizen or legal resident, plan to attend accredited college, vocational school or univ. in US, 2.0+ unweighted gpa, transcript, letters of rec., essay, application in BRACE or www.beccascloset.org . \$1,000 (possible renewal)
4/15/10	JOHNSON UPS – Be child of UPS employee or retiree who lives in Florida, go to: www.jsf.bz \$1,000-\$10,000

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Late April	KERR, PATRICK SKATEBOARD – Skateboarders, 2.5+ gpa, www.skateboardscholarship.org/index.html \$1,000-\$5,000
4/30/10 (Ages 8-18)	BARRON, GLORIA – Ages 8-18 who have executed a service project to help the community or protect the environment, must be nominated by an adult, www.barronprize.org \$2,500
4/30/10	BIG DIG – Seniors and students in 1 st or 2 nd yr. of college, US resident, essay between 500-1000 words: In 200 years, 1 of your relatives is going to be digging in what is now your backyard. They are going to find something that you buried in and it is going to put any financial worries they have to rest. Your job today is to decide what to bury. Your goal is to find something that will have immense value in the future. Go to: http://www.antiquetrader.tv/studentsscholarship.php \$3,000
5/7/10	HICKS, LAYMON – 3.0+ unweighted gpa, first generation student entering accredited 2 or 4-yr. institution as full-time student, community service, leadership, US resident, plan to attend college in US, pursue undergraduate degree, 500 word personal statement outlining some, if not all of these: background, beliefs relative to volunteerism and commitment to community development, career goals, why you believe you would be a good scholarship candidate, transcript, 2 letters of rec. on official letterhead, go to: http://www.laymonhicksscholarshipfund.org/ \$750
5/1/10	HEALTHY LIFESTYLES – Under 25 yrs. old, senior or 1 st yr. of college, US or Canada resident, 2 essays regarding healthy lifestyles and future goals, go to: studentsaward@fitnessercises.tv \$5,000
5/1/10	OAKSEED MINISTRIES – 3.0+ unweighted gpa, 1 essay, age categories 17 & under, 18-22, approx. 1500 word essays: personal response to crisis of the imprisoned child, go to: http://www.oakseedessaycontest.com \$250-\$1,000
5/15/10	JOHNSON UPS – Be a student with disability who will attend 1 of the 11 state universities, go to: www.jsf.bz

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Mid-May	CVS CAREMARK – Be child of full-time CVS employee, academic achievement, extra-curricular activities, other talents, work experience, community service, letters of rec., financial need, www.cvscaremark.com/community/our-impact/employees/corporate-scholarships varies
5/28/10 11th-12th Grades College students	DAVIS, B. – Juniors, Seniors, College students – Be between ages of 16-30, essay: less than 1000 words on: Describe the 3 characteristics leadership you value most. Discuss whether you believe you possess some or all of these qualities, and describe an experience where you developed and/or demonstrated some or all of these traits, go to: http://www.scholarshipquesthelper.com/scholarships.htm for information, send submission by e-mail to: awards@scholarshipquesthelper.com \$1,000
6/1/10	COLLEGIATE INVENTORS – Must invent something that is patentable and not currently available to public, go to: invent.org/Collegiate \$10,000-\$25,000
6/19/10 Grades 11-12	ABBOTT & FENNER – Juniors & Seniors – Essay: What do you see as the long term impact of our current recession on the average family? How might it affect their future decisions?, http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm \$1,000
6/24/10	BIGSUN – Student athlete, essay describing how your participation in sports affected the person you are becoming, http://www.bigsunathletics.com \$500
6/30/10	HUBBARD, RON ILLUSTRATORS – Awarded quarterly (9/30, 12/31, 3/31, 6/30, be gifted in art and interested in fantasy or science fiction, go to: writersofthefuture.com/17/rules/ilofrules.html \$500-\$4,000
7/1/10	FINKELSON, ALLEN – Community service, leadership, financial need, 2.8+ gpa, preference for students majoring in journalism, communications, or equine-related studies, transcript, letters of rec., essay, application in BARACE. Minimum \$1,000

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7/31/10	TANABE, GEN & KELLY – Legal resident of US, essay, GRADES 9-12 & College students http://www.gkscholarship.com \$1,000 Financial need NOT considered
Ongoing	ROTARY STUDENT OF MONTH – Excel academically, community service, application in BRACE or Media Center.
Ongoing	NOVA UNIV. SCHOLARS – Be eligible for 100% Bright Futures, www.nova.edu/financialaid/scholarships Covers balance of tuition not paid by other grants and scholarships.
Ongoing	NOVA UNIV. PRESIDENT’S – Academics. www.nova.edu/financialaid/scholarships Full tuition
Ongoing	NOVA UNIV. HONOR – Gpa, test scores, www.nova.edu/financialaid/scholarships \$1,000-\$9,000/yr.
Monthly Award	COLLEGE PROWLER – Submit college application essay on any topic, be legal resident of US (international students with valid visa are eligible), http://campuslife.collegeproowler.com/the_scholarship.asp \$1000
Monthly Drawings	COLLEGE ANSWER - www.CollegeAnswer.com/KFC \$1000
Continuous	COLLEGIATE LIVING – Plan to attend University of Florida, financial need, www.cloliving.org Affordable housing
Open Date	NROTC – US citizen, SAT/ACT, Navy (including Nurse option), essays, letters of rec., transcript, http://www.navy.com/careers/nrotc/ \$180000
No Date	MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE COMMUNITY –Plan to attend Broward College, transcript, essay ,interview, http://www.mhs.net/Employment/EmploymentScholarships.aspx
No Date	HANDY – Broward County youth who has received services from Dept. of Children and Families or the Guardian Ad Litem Program, enroll full-time in college, university or vocational school, see Mrs. DiAlberto in BRACE Office

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Check online	EXCEL PROGRAM – Plan to attend University of Central Florida and major in science, technology, engineering, or math, http://excel.ucf.edu/index.asp
Ongoing	LATINO – www.latinocollegedollars.org
Ongoing	DISCOVER COLLEGES – www.Discover Colleges.com
Ongoing	SOUTHERN SCHOLARSHIP – Plan to attend University of Florida, Florida State University, Florida Gulf Coast University, or Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University. Financial need, 3.0+ unweighted gpa, essay, letters of rec., community involvement, acceptance to university, resume, www.southern scholarship.org rent-free housing
Ongoing GRADES 9-12	HSIC BIOLOGY & US GOVERNMENT – Tournament-style academic quiz Competition weekly Sept. through May, www.cksf.org \$100-\$500 weekly
Continuous	COMMON KNOWLEDGE CHALLENGE – Plan to attend an accredited college, university, or technical school, internet-based quiz competition, www.cksf.org
Varies	ARAB AMERICAN – Be of Arab heritage, www.aaiusa.org/foundation
Varies	AMERICAN INDIAN – Be of American Indian heritage, www.indian.affairs.org \$500-\$1500
Varies	UNITED NEGRO COLLEGE FUND – www.uncf.org
Varies	CHICK-FIL-A – Be employee, www.eatmorechicken.com \$1000
Varies	BEARD, JAMES – Plan to attend cooking school, www.sms.scholarshipamerica.org
Check Dates	WACKY SCHOLARSHIPS – www.scholarship.lifetips.com/cat/61637/wacky-scholarships/index.html
Check Dates	ART INSTITUTE’S POSTER – Be interested in entering a design program at Art Institute, www.artinstitutes.edu/poster

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Check Dates	ART INSTITUTE'S CULINARY – Be interested in entering culinary arts program at Art Institute, www.artinstitutes.edu/btc
Check Dates	ART INSTITUTE'S PASSION FOR FASHION – Be interested in either fashion design or fashion marketing program at Art Institute, www.artinstitutes.edu/passionforfashion
Check Dates	AMERICAN LEGION ORATORICAL CONTEST – Citizen, students and parents/guardians must be legal residents of FL, subject for Prepared Orations must be on some phase of Constitution of US which will give emphasis to the attendant duties and obligations of a citizen to our government, for more info, go to www.floridalegion.org or e-mail cpolk@floridalegion.org , or write to The American Legion, Department of Florida Oratorical Contest, PO Box 547859, Orlando, FL 32854-7859
Check Website	FAPSC – Plan to attend 1 of FAPSC's participating schools, 2.0+ gpa, www./FAPSC.org
Check Website (Ages 12-18)	Girls Going Places – Girls ages 12-18 who have shown budding entrepreneurship, www.guardianlife.com/womens_channel \$1,000-\$10,000
Check Website	KOHL'S KIDS WHO CARE – Students up to age 18 who have not graduated from high school yet, must live in community that has a Kohl's department store, community service, www.kohlscorporation.com/CommunityRelations/scholarship/index.asp \$1,000-\$5,000
Check Website	DECA – Be DECA member, www.deca.org/schol.html \$1,000-\$15,000
Check Website	AMERICAN FOUNDATION FOR BLIND – Various fields of study to those who are legally blind, www.afb.org/scholarships.asp varies
Check Website	FORD, ANNE & ALLEGRA – Have an identified learning disability (LD), www.ncid.org \$10,000

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Check Website	CAROLYN'S COMPASSIONATE CHILDREN – Be a cancer survivor, personal character, financial need, community service, www.nclcd.org \$1,000
Check Website	HEMOPHILIA FEDERATION – Students with hemophilia or von Willebrand Disease, also offers Artistic Encouragement grants, www.hemophiliafed.org/site162.php \$1,500
Check Website	AHEPA – Students of Greek descent, transcript, letters of rec., www.ahepa.org/education/ varies
Check Website	ARAB AMERICAN – Students of Arab heritage, visit listing of more than 10 scholarships, plus info on internships and leadership programs, www.aaiusa.org/foundation varies
Check Website	ASIAN & PACIFIC ISLANDER AMERICAN – Students of Asian or Pacific Islander heritage, 2.7+ gpa, www.apiasf.org \$2,000
Check Website	AMERICAN INDIAN AFFAIRS – Complete 1 application to be considered for several different awards, www.indian-affairs.org \$500-\$1,500
Check Website	HISPANIC SCHOLARS – Hispanic students with 3.0+ gpa, see website for other scholarships for Hispanic students, http://scholarships.hispanicfund.org \$5000-\$5.000
Check Website	HISPANIC SCHOLARSHIP FUND – Hispanic students with 3.0+ gpa, essay, letters of rec., transcript, www.hsf.net \$1,000-\$5.000
Check Website	ROBINSON, JACKIE – Minority, be leader, SAT/ACT scores, financial need, www.jackierobinson.org up to \$7,500
Check Website	LULAC – Students of Latin American heritage, academic achievement, ACT/SAT scores, financial need, essay, www.inesc.org \$250-\$1,000
Check Website	SALLIE MAE – Various scholarships, including those for Latino students, African-American students, or to cover unmet need, www.thesalliemaefund.org/smfnew/ varies

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Check Website	SONS OF ITALY – Students of Italian heritage, 3 different scholarships, www.osia.org \$5,000-\$25,000
Check Website	UNITED NEGRO COLLEGE FUND – Fill out student profile online to search for more than 7,000 scholarships, www.uncf.org varies
Check Website	US BOWLING CONGRESS – Several scholarships for bowlers, varying criteria and award amounts, www.bowl.com/scholarships.main.aspx
Check Website	AXA EQUITABLE – Be child of eligible AXA employees or financial professionals, leadership, community service, academic record, financial need, www/axa-equitable.com/axa-foundation/AXA-family-scholarship.html \$2,000
Check Website	CHICK-FIL-A – Be employed by Chick-fil-a, be active in school, strong work ethic, leadership, good teamwork, desire to succeed, www.chickfila.com \$1,000
Check Website	MCDONALD'S EMPLOYEE – Be McDonald's employee, work at least 15 hours per week, have worked at McDonald's for 4+ months, academic achievement, community involvement, job performance, www.mcdonalds.com/usa/good/people/scholarship.html \$1,000-\$5,000
Check Website	RAND, AYN – 2 separate contests and topics for high school students, based on age, www.aynrand.org/contests \$200-\$10,000
Check Website (Grades 9-12)	MARYKNOLL – Grades 9-12, 500 to 750 word essay on religious topic, http://society.maryknoll.org/index.pjp \$150-\$1,000
Check Website	WOMEN ENGINEERS – Women who plan to study engineering or computer science, http://societyofwomenengineers.swe.org/ \$1,000-\$10,000
Check Website	SAE Engineering – Plan to study engineering in college, www.sae.org/students/scholarships varies

