Southwest Tech External Scholarships

College Scholarships Available
November 27 Deadline

Equity Cooperative Livestock is pleased to again offer ten $1,000 scholarships for the 2018 academic year to college students pursuing careers. Completed applications are due by Monday, November 27. An applicant from each of the 10 Equity districts will be selected and awarded a $1,000 scholarship to use during the academic school year. Two $750 scholarships will also be awarded to students earning degrees from technical colleges.

Eligibility: Any college student who has not received an Equity Cooperative Livestock Sales Association scholarship in the past is eligible to apply. Students need to have completed two or more semesters at an accredited college or university, and any student who has completed at least one semester at a technical college. The student must have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or above, on a 4.0 scale. Either the student or their parent(s) must be an active shipping member of Equity. Scholarship winners are selected based on their scholastic achievements, extracurricular activities, application essay response and dedication to a career.

Applications are available from the home page of the cooperative’s website at www.equitycoop.com, or by calling Janice Schyvinck at 1-800-362-3989, ext. 152. Applicants are asked to provide a current college transcript and three letters of reference in addition to their completed online application form.
CarSeatResearch is a website dedicated to reviewing child car seats and other safety products. No matter how many requirements consumers have, there are also safety standards and regulations, which change over time and must be met notwithstanding. Our task is to help people get the best car seats, which must also be the safest. Example: Best Infant Car Seat 2017

With some of us being former university graduates, we fully understand the value of education and scholarship programs’ importance. We are preparing to launch a $3000 car seat scholarship program of our own for the first time, and we plan to make it annual, provided it will prove fruitful.

If you believe you have a creative and innovative mind, you are more than welcome to try. Your participation will be appreciated. Of course, you will have to compete with the other participants to get the chance to receive the award.

When it comes to the safety of children, the importance of impeccable design and thorough crash testing is of utmost importance. Market research and reporting are also important. Neither are possible without properly educated staff, and that is what compelled us to establish the scholarship.

The soon-to-be annual Car Seat Research Scholarship will be available for the 2017-2018 school year. We hope that we will be able to accomplish very much by providing the scholarship to the most talented people. If you are thinking about participation, you can be proud already, because what you intend to join has one of the noblest causes.

We also provide $1,000 and $500 scholarships for the second and third places respectively. While not as much as the full scholarship intended for the winner, even $500 is still an award, which, as we hope, is capable of helping a talented student.

With that being said, we must note that only eligible applicants may participate.

Eligibility Requirements
At this moment, our eligibility criteria are as follows:

- Applicants must be U.S. citizens. International exchange students may not participate. While their input would be appreciated, they are not eligible unless they are U.S. citizens residing in the United States.
- Applicants must possess a high school diploma, High School Equivalency Diploma or similarly titled credential or anticipate completion of such. Failure to obtain such a credential before this scholarship program concludes is ground for unconditional disqualification. Should a participant disqualified in such a manner take a winning place, it will be given to the runner-up.
• Applicants must be current high school students, home-schooled students, or college students attending a high school or accredited post-secondary institution in the United States provided they attend any. Applicants not in education are not eligible. Applicants attending schools or post-secondary institutions outside the United States do not qualify.

• Applicants must be planning to pursue a degree at an accredited U.S. post-secondary institution or already in pursuit of such a degree. The winner’s failure to pursue a degree on those conditions after this scholarship program concludes shall result in the revocation of the monetary award.

• Applicants must have a minimum 3.00 GPA at the time this scholarship program concludes.

How to Apply

To request the Car Seat Research Scholarship, we suggest that you fill out the application form. Additionally, we require that you include an official high school or college transcript.

Should you choose to omit filling out any field, the application form will fail to go through. Please make sure to answer the Automated Public Turing Test question in a manner that would allow us to conclude that the form has been filled out by a human being.

After you have completed the form, you must include a 2000-3000 word essay. The essay must respond to any of the three essay topics we provide below. Alternatively, you may create a short video (between 5 and 10 minutes) that responds to the same topics. Do note that an essay is not required in that case, and neither is a video if you choose to write an essay.

Your work must be interesting, innovative, and informative. If you choose to make a video, it should also be entertaining. Videos with subtitles are preferable. The essay must be written in plain text and submitted via the application form. Do not use emoticons.

The video must be uploaded to YouTube. Use the application form to submit the link to the video. Do note that by doing so you explicitly agree to allow Car Seat Research to use your video should you become a winner. It may be posted on Car Seat Research for promotional purposes. However, that does not guarantee it will be utilized in any manner.

P.S. Before the program commences, you can contact us at scholarship@carseatresearch.com. You can also use this email if you have any questions concerning the scholarship.

Topics

How does having a child affect one’s plans with pursuing a tertiary education?

How is the safety of infants jeopardized in the modern world on a regular basis?

What cars are the safest to use when one has children?

Application Deadline & Guidelines

• Starting Date: February 1, 2017
• Deadline: November 30, 2017
• Winner Announcement: December 15, 2017

Awards
The Soroptimist Live Your Dream Awards assist women who provide the primary source of financial support for their families by giving them the resources they need to improve their education, skills and employment prospects.

Each year, more than $1.7 million in education grants are awarded to more than 1,300 women, many of whom have overcome enormous obstacles including poverty, domestic violence and/or drug and alcohol abuse. Live Your Dream Awards recipients may use the cash award to offset any costs associated with their efforts to attain higher education, such as books, childcare, tuition and transportation.

In addition to providing the primary financial support for their families, eligible applicants must be enrolled in, or have been accepted to, a vocational/skills training program or an undergraduate degree program and must demonstrate financial need. Also, please note only residents of Soroptimist International of the Americas’ member countries and territories are eligible to apply for the educational grants.

The Live Your Dream Awards involves three levels of cash awards. The program begins at the local Soroptimist club-level, where award amounts vary. Local-level award recipients become eligible for region-level awards of either $3,000 or $5,000. Region-level award recipients then become eligible to receive one of three international-level awards of $10,000.

Since the Live Your Dream Awards program began in 1972, about $30 million in education grants have been disbursed to assist tens of thousands of women achieve their dreams of a better life for themselves and their families. In 2007, the program received the Associations Advance America Summit Award—ASAE & The Center for Association Leadership's highest level of recognition.

Interested in applying for the Live Your Dream Awards? Applications for the 2017 awards will be accepted between July 1, 2017 and November 15, 2017. Determine if you are eligible:

Determine if you are eligible: https://www.soroptimist.org/awards/eligibility.html
Caring.com Student-Caregiver Bi-Annual Scholarship

#CaringScholar

Are you caring for an adult relative while enrolled in a U.S. college or university? At Caring.com, we know that caregiving can be both difficult and rewarding. It becomes even more difficult when you have to juggle classes and student life alongside caregiving responsibilities. Caring.com is offering three $1,500 scholarships to university students attending an accredited U.S. college or university who care for aging relatives. Submit your story though a 1500-word essay or 2-minute video telling us about your journey.

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- Who are you caring for and how are you involved as their caregiver?
- How has your role as a caregiver influenced the decision for your major/career path?
- How would this scholarship be helpful to you in your current student-caregiving role?

Share your #CaringScholar story by December 31, 2017.

Award

- Three students attending a U.S. college or university (and in good academic standing) will each receive a $1,500 grant for tuition and/or books.

To Apply

- Read the Scholarship Agreement.
- Complete and submit the Application Form by 11:59PM PDT on 12/31/2017.
- Judging will be based on the following criteria, that include, but are not limited to:
  - Submission quality (inspiring, extraordinary, or otherwise compelling).
  - Impact the scholarship will make on the life of the student and the person they care for.
  - Whether the applicant has addressed the application questions and satisfied the application guidelines.

Eligibility
1. For students attending a U.S. university or college in Fall Term 2017 (starting August 2017), who have been caring for an older relative while attending school. Includes current high school students who are matriculating in Fall 2017 and have been involved in caregiving during high school and intend to continue while attending college.

2. Students must follow all application instructions and agree to the Scholarship Agreement.

**About Caring.com**

More than 40 million people in the United States care for someone over age 50, yet most have little preparation or experience when they begin their caregiving journey.

Caring.com is the leading online destination for those seeking information and support as they care for aging grandparents, parents, spouses, and other loved ones. We equip caregivers to make better decisions, save time and money, and feel less stressed -- as they face the many challenges of caregiving.

To make that journey a little easier, we provide personal, one-on-one guidance with a Family Advisor, thousands of original articles, a comprehensive Senior Care Directory with reviews from real caregivers, and the collective wisdom of an involved community. Caring.com's carefully researched and expert-reviewed content includes advice from a team of more than 50 trusted leaders in geriatric medicine, law, finance, senior housing, and in-home care.

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**Alert1 Student for Seniors Scholarship**

Plan to help seniors in the future? You could be grandma’s caregiver or the next great innovator for seniors. Whether you're pursuing technology or the arts, you're committed to improve senior care.

To reward your hard work, Alert1 wants to give you a helping hand. As a leader in medical alerts, we’re all about helping future leaders in senior care.

Alert1 is offering a $250 scholarship to a student attending an accredited U.S. college or university who wants to help seniors. To apply for this scholarship, follow the instructions below. Submit the online application form and answer the following three questions (under 300 words each):

1. What is your experience with seniors?
2. What is the most important lesson you’ve learned from seniors?
3. How will you help seniors in your chosen career?

Submit your online Alert1 Scholarship application by January 5th, 2018 11:59 PM PST.

Apply Now
The InvestmentZen $1k Financial Future Scholarship

InvestmentZen aims to promote a lifetime of financial responsibility which starts as soon as we start managing our own money.

The good financial habits we develop as collegiates can serve us for the rest of our lives. To help promote financial responsibility among post-secondary students around the world, we’re thrilled to award one $1,000 USD scholarship annually to help alleviate educational costs.

Who Qualifies / Criteria

All applicants must be actively enrolled full-time in an accredited college/university in any country.

How to Apply / Guidelines

To enter, please submit an essay (500-1500 words) in English answering one of the following:

1. How are you managing your money in college to prepare for a bright financial future?
2. What financial challenges have you overcome in your life? What lesson(s) did they teach you?
3. What are the most common financial pitfalls you see your peers making, and what advice do you have for them?

Dates

2017-2018 School Year

Opens: April 10, 2017
Deadline: April 1, 2018 at 11:59pm GMT
Winner notified: April 15, 2018

Winner Selection

Winners will be selected based on the quality of their writing and answers and will be notified via the email address provided.

Legal

- Void where prohibited.
• No purchase necessary to enter or win.
• Current employees, officers, directors and agents of Sponsor and its related companies and members of their immediate families (defined as spouses, parents, siblings, and children) and persons residing at the same address are not eligible to win.
• Participants must be enrolled full-time at an eligible educational institution.
• The InvestmentZen Financial Future contest entry period for the 2017-2018 academic year begins April 10, 2017 and ends April 1, 2018 at 11:59 GMT.
• The winner will be notified by the email address they provide by April 15, 2018.
• Funds will be distributed directly to the institution that the winner attends.
• The InvestmentZen Financial Future Scholarship contest is subject to the complete Official Scholarship Rules

Apply Now

Rest assured that email addresses for students that are applying for the scholarship will never be sold or shared with any third party.

Restaurantware Icons Scholarship Program

As a leading supplier of contemporary kitchen supplies, Restaurantware is always driving the industry standard for innovation and quality. We know that the ideas and dreams of tomorrow’s chefs are just as important as today’s icons. We are showing our support for future culinarians through the Restaurantware Icons Scholarship Program.

Restaurantware will provide two $1,000 grants each year to culinary students that have displayed the same passion and enthusiasm for innovation in the foodservice industry as Restaurantware. One grant will be provided in the first half of each calendar year, and the other one will be provided at the end of each calendar year. Eligible students need to be currently enrolled or planning to enroll full time in the fields of Culinary Arts, Hospitality Management, or a similar program at an accredited culinary arts school or college.

Eligibility
Candidates must provide proof of enrollment or future enrollment in a culinary arts school or college with an accredited culinary arts, hospitality or similar program at the start of the next school year. This includes secondary students, high school seniors, GED students, as well as tertiary educational students.

**Application Process**

Applicants must visit [www.restaurantware.com/icons](http://www.restaurantware.com/icons) and follow instructions to submit a 250-500 word essay. Essays should address the role eco-friendly tableware will play in the foodservice industry in the coming years, as well as how to balance green initiatives with style and presentation. **Essays must be submitted in .pdf or .doc form by June 30th and December 31st of each year to be eligible for the following semester’s grants.** All applicants must be able to provide proof of enrollment or application in a program as listed above upon request.

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**SeniorHomes Caregiver Scholarship**

The number of seniors in the U.S. continues to grow. SeniorHomes.com is dedicated to helping seniors find the best possible care. We are offering two $1,000 scholarships for students who are passionate about using their studies to help seniors live healthy lives.

To apply, students who are actively enrolled in a U.S. college or university may submit a 500-word essay or a 2-3 minute video that includes their answer for the following:

- Nearly 90% of adults 65 and older say they prefer to grow old in their own homes or communities. What upcoming trends or services will become increasingly important for seniors who want to age in place? How will your degree help seniors age with dignity?

**Your application should be submitted to us by January 31st, 2018.**

Winners will be announced by March 15th, 2018.

**Award Details**

Two students who are in good academic standing and attending a U.S. college or university will each receive a $1,000 scholarship from SeniorHomes.com for use in paying tuition and/or books.
How To Apply

- Read our Scholarship Agreement.

- Complete and submit the Application Form by 11:59 p.m. PST on January 31st, 2018.

- Judging will be based on the following criteria, that include, but are not limited to:
  
  o Submission quality (inspiring, extraordinary, or otherwise compelling)
  
  o Whether the applicant has addressed the application questions and satisfied the application guidelines

- Announcement of the winners will be made by March 15th, 2018.

CLICK HERE TO APPLY

Eligibility for Application

1. Students attending a U.S. university or college in Spring 2018 and who will care for a loved one while actively enrolled in school. This includes high school seniors who plan to attend college by Spring 2018.

2. Students must agree to the Scholarship Agreement and follow all application instructions.

About SeniorHomes.com

SeniorHomes.com is a website that has assisted more than 100,000 people in finding senior care. We offer a nationwide directory of senior care services and articles that educate people on the latest senior living trends.


There are multiple scholarships available through http://www.studentscholarships.org/2014scholarships.php Please click the link above, and then browse through the scholarship list. If you see a scholarship you are eligible for, click the link to that scholarship and the site will then direct you to the application.
The ezDinero Latino Scholarship Fund ¡Aspire!
The goal of ezDinero financial solutions is to provide greater access and opportunity to higher education for outstanding students from underrepresented backgrounds. The program promotes academic excellence and encourages students to pursue and complete an undergraduate education in all discipline areas.

The Scholarship Application Process
ezDinero awards its annual Latino scholarships through its various scholarship programs, including scholarships geared specifically for high school seniors, community college students, and current college students. In order to be eligible for any of them, you must have a minimum 3.0 GPA, be a U.S. citizen or legal permanent resident, be pursuing or plan to pursue your first undergraduate or graduate degree, and plan to enroll as a part-time or full-time student at an accredited U.S. postsecondary institution in the upcoming academic year.

Scholarship Requirements
• Plan to enroll Part-Time or Full-Time in a not-for-profit OR for-profit 2- or 4- year college or university
• Must be of Hispanic Heritage
• Minimum of 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent) for High School Students
• Plan to enroll Part-time or Full-Time in an accredited not-for-profit OR for-profit 2- or 4- year college, university or graduate school during SPRING or FALL of scholarship cycleyear
• U.S. Citizen, Permanent Legal Resident, DACA or Eligible Non-Citizen (as defined by FAFSA)
• Merit-based scholarships available for undergraduate and graduate students
• All majors and graduate fields accepted
• Scholarship awards are $1000 per application period

The applicant who is awarded the scholarship will be asked to share their progress on a quarterly basis. We at ezDinero Aspire look forward to hearing from you and fostering your academic success. Though there are continued cultural, economic, and societal barriers to educational success, students of Hispanic descent have recently made significant gains, and ezDinero would like to contribute to that momentum.

Fill Out the Application Form at www.ezdinero.com/english/latino-scholarships/

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Other General Scholarship Searches:

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