



Hillsborough County
PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Excellence in Education

Division of Instructional Support
Department of Guidance Services

UNDERCLASSMEN SCHOLARSHIP MATRIX

American Legion Awards	Varies	9 TH -12 TH	Several programs. Oratorical Contest, Boys and Girls State, ROTC Achievement Award, Auxiliary Essay Contest. www.floridalegion.org
American Legion Oratorical Contest	\$1,500-\$6,500	9 TH – 12 TH	Oration based on the US Constitution www.legion.org
Anne Frank Humanitarian Award	\$100 savings bond	11 th	Juniors, must be nominated, community service
Ayn Rand Essay Contest	Up to \$10,000	9 TH – 12 TH	Separate essays for grade levels, must read an Any Rand novel Application details are in Guidance
Bright House Youth Service Award	Laptop computer and internet service for one year	9 TH – 12 TH	Volunteer project, 2.5 GPA, 500 word essay, recommendation letters.
Cash In On Your Smarts	\$750	9 TH – 12 TH	750 word essay. www.fldfs.com
Council for America's First Freedom	Varies	9 TH – 12 TH	Essay contest http://competition.firstfreedomcenter.org/program/
Executive Women International	\$2,500-\$10,000	11 th	Girls only, must be nominated, essay www.executivewomen.org
Grady-Rayam Prize in Sacred Music Competition	Varies	11 th -12 th	African-American only, music competition, fee charged. www.negrospiritual.org
Hillsborough Education Foundation	Varies	9 TH – 12 TH	Several different scholarships in booklet form, only one application for all, essay, letters and transcripts required for some. www.educationfoundation.com

Holocaust Remembrance Project Essay Contest	\$1,000-\$5,000	9 th – 12 th	Essay. Apply online http://holocausthklaw.com
Kaplan/Newsweek "My Turn" Essay Competition	\$5,000	9 th – 12 th	Official entry form, 2 copies of original essay (500-1,000) words www.kaptest.com/essay
Prudential Spirit of Community	\$1,000	9 th – 12 th	Grades 9-12/ Based on Community Service and required essay. Application may be downloaded from www.prudential.com/spirit . Must be nominated by school.
Read Together Florida Essay	\$1,000-\$5,000	9 th – 12 th	Essay. For more information contact fonda.anderson@vffund.org
Siemens Foundation Competition in Math, Science & Technology	4 years of tuition	9 th – 12 th	Individual Projects for rising seniors and team projects for grades 9-12 www.siemens-foundation.org
Soroptimist International	\$100-\$2,500	9 th – 12 th	Community Service www.soroptimist.org
U.S. Senate Youth Program	\$5,000	11 th – 12 th	11 th or 12 th grade students currently serving as class officer, student council rep, student rep or education organization www.usenateyouth.org
University writing Scholarship by Elders & Leemaur Publishers	\$1,000	11 th - 12 th	Essay. www.eipublishers.com
Washington Mutual	Intern	11 th – 12 th	Internship program. https://www.chase.com/
West Point Bridge Design Contest	\$5,000-\$15,000	9 th – 12 th	Team competition, apply online. http://bridgecontest.org/
Zonta International Young Woman in Public Affairs	\$100-\$1,000	Ages 16-20	Young women committed to leadership and volunteerism www.zonta.org