Scholarships Administered by Phi Theta Kappa

Phi Theta Kappa administers scholarships in the Spring and the Fall using a common application. **Applicants may apply for one scholarship on the common application or multiple scholarships at the same time**.

- **The Spring Common Application opens on February 21 and closes on April 30.**
- The Fall Common Application generally opens on October 1 and closes in early December.

Spring Scholarships
Apply by completing Spring Common Application
[February 21 – April 30]

Frank Lanza Memorial Scholarship

- Up to 20 stipends of $2,500 each
- Total awards of $50,000
- Open to **registered nursing, respiratory care and emergency medical services majors**
- **To be used for degree completion while enrolled at the community college**

Application Dates: February 21 - April 30
Deadline: April 30

Coca-Cola Leaders of Promise

- Up to 180 scholarships of $1,000 each **to be used for enrollment at community college**
- Total awards of $180,000

Application Dates: February 21 - April 30
Deadline: April 30

GEICO Business Student Scholarship

- The two top scoring **business majors** that apply to the Coca-Cola Leaders of Promise Scholarship will qualify for a $1,000 GEICO Business Scholarship
- Total awards of $2,000

Application Dates: February 21 - April 30
Deadline: April 30

Richard L. Resurreccion Public Safety Scholarship

- Up to two $1,000 scholarships annually
- Open to students in the following Associate Degree Programs:
    - Criminal Justice
    - Fire Safety
    - Emergency Medical Services
    - Public Safety Administration
    - Emergency Management
    - Homeland Security
- To be used for degree completion while enrolled in the community college

Application Dates: February 21- April 30
Deadline: April 30

Fall Scholarships
Apply by completing Fall Common Application
[Available October – December 2013]

Hites Transfer Scholarship

- Up to 10 scholarships of $7,500 each
- Total awards of $75,000
- Recognizes outstanding academic achievement of Phi Theta Kappa members
- Recipients must transfer to a regionally accredited baccalaureate degree-granting senior institution

Guistwhite Scholarships

- Up to 20 scholarships of $5,000 each
- Total awards of $100,000
- Must transfer to a regionally accredited baccalaureate degree-granting senior institution

All-USA Community College Academic Team

- Up to 20 students selected to receive a $2,500 stipend and medallion
- Total awards of $50,000
- Receive extensive national recognition through USA TODAY
- Purpose is to recognize outstanding two-year college students

All-State Community College Academic Team

- Students nominated to the All-USA Community College Academic Team are automatically named to the All-State Community College Academic Team
- 37 participating states
- Over $41 million available
- All-State members receive special recognition including medallions, certificates and oftentimes scholarships

Coca-Cola Community College Academic Team

- 50 Gold Scholar Awards of $1,500
- 50 Silver Scholar Awards of $1,250
- 50 Bronze Scholar Awards of $1,000
- Total awards of $187,500
- All scholars receive medallions and recognition in USA TODAY

New Century Scholars

- 52 stipends of $2,000
- Total awards of $104,000
- Selection based on scores received in the All-USA Community College Academic Team Program
- Recognizes the top-scoring student from each of the 50 states plus one student from a chapter in Canada and one student from a chapter in one of the six sovereign nations where Phi Theta Kappa chapters exist

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES – SCHOLARSHIPS FOR SPECIFIC AUDIENCES AND/OR WITH ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS TO BE MET

The Hispanic Scholarship Fund

- Award amounts vary
- Must be enrolled at a community college and intend to transfer
- Must transfer to a four-year college to pursue a baccalaureate degree

Application typically due in December

✓ **To apply**, contact the **Hispanic Scholarship Fund (http://www.hsf.net/)**

The Jack Kent Cooke Undergraduate Transfer Scholarships

- Maximum $30,000 available per student, per year
- Provides funding for tuition, room and board, books and other required fees
- Of the 60 scholars named in 2011, 51 were Phi Theta Kappa members
- Must be nominated by the community college

Deadline: Typically due the first week in December

✓ **To apply**, contact **Jack Kent Cooke Foundation (http://www.jkcf.org/scholarships/undergraduate-transfer-scholarships/)**

The Jeannette Rankin Foundation

- Award amounts vary
- For **low income women age 35 and older**

Can be used for associate and vocational programs

Application typically due March 1

✓ **To apply**, contact **the Jeannette Rankin Foundation (http://www.rankinfoundation.org/)**

International Scholar Laureate Program

- Eight scholarships of $1,000 each awarded specifically to Phi Theta Kappa members

- For international study in career fields of business, diplomacy and international relations, engineering, medicine and nursing

Application typically due March 1

✓ **To apply**, contact the **International Scholar Laureate Program** (http://www.scholarlaureate.org/)

Pearson Prize for Higher Education

- Awards 20 scholarships of $10,000 and 50 scholarships of $500
- Recognizes college students for high academic achievement and engagement in community service
- Open to full-time, degree-seeking students attending a career college, two-year or four-year college or university. To be eligible, students must have completed a minimum of 30 credits, have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher, have no relation to a Pearson employee, have not received the Pearson Prize grant or fellowship before and be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident.

Application typically due in March

✓ **To apply**, contact the **Pearson Foundation (http://pearsonprize.pearsonfoundation.org/applications/)**

Transfer Scholarships

- More than **$37 million** in transfer scholarships available to Phi Theta Kappa members
- Available at over **700 four-year colleges and universities**, Search our Transfer Scholarships (http://www.ptk.org/benefits/scholarships)
- **Awards are administered directly by the senior institution**.

✓ For information on deadlines, awards and contact information, visit www.CollegeFish.org.