

NOVEMBER 2009 SCHOLARSHIP LIST

Scholarship

Due

Elks National Foundation "Most Valuable Student" Scholarship [applications available at http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/mvs.cfm](http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/mvs.cfm)

2-Nov-09

Last year - \$2.3 million awarded nationally; \$4,800 awarded locally

Download and complete application on website, then print and mail to P.O. Box 191 Herald, CA 95638 or drop off at 9510 Elk Grove-Florin Road- DO NOT SEND APPLICATION TO ELKS NATIONAL FOUNDATION - It will be automatically disqualified - must be submitted to local Elks Lodge.

Eligibility: Graduating Seniors ; must be US citizen; typed application **required** - Applicants do not need to be related to a member of the BPO Elks.

Requires: essay (500 words or less)- topic applicant will choose from 1 of 3 topics offered; Also requires Parental Financial Statement; Counselor Report, Transcript and SAT/ACT scores; Letters of Recommendation; Exhibits.

Selection based on: **Scholarship**- (SAT / ACT scores) ; **Leadership** (Honors/Awards, Positions of Leadership, Organization Participation, Employment/Community Service, Overall application); **Financial Need**

Required items include: Completed application (3-hole punched & placed in folder) Applicant essay, Parental Financial Statement, Official Transcript, SAT/ACT scores, counselor Report, 2 letters of recommendation, copies of Exhibits

*See details in Scholarship Binder

The Frank H. Buck Scholarships *Use website to request application directly from the Foundation by Nov. 11. www.buckfoundation.org The Frank H. Buck Scholarship will no longer be offered after Fall 2009 email: scholarships@buckfoundation.org

Request app by Nov. 11
Application due Dec 1

Mailing address: P.O. Box 5610, Vacaville, CA 95696-5610

phone# (707)446-7700 voice #(707) 446-7766

Scholarship may be applied to 4-year collegiate institutions, graduate school, community colleges or specialized trade schools. Scholarship will supplement any other financial aid or scholarships the student has been awarded or may receive in the future, so all ordinary costs of an education are covered.

Scholars are selected from the applicants who reside or attend school within the boundaries of California's Third Congressional District as served by Frank H. Buck. (includes Sacramento County). The Buck Scholarships benefit exceptional, ambitious young people who possess leadership potential as well as a commitment to their school, community and family. Buck Scholars possess strength of character and ambition, as well as the potential for leadership. They are well-rounded in school and community activities, making a contribution to society. Financial need and high academic standing are important, but are not necessarily prerequisites. Race, creed, gender, sexual orientation, age and national origin have no influence in the selection of scholars.

Call, Fax, Write, or Email The Frank H. and Eva B. Buck Foundation to request application. or download the application from the website. Remember to provide your name and mailing address. If you connect with voicemail, leave a message with your request for application, and name and mailing info.

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

20-Nov-09

Zeta Beta Lambda Chapter

Graduating African American seniors attending high school in Sacramento, Placer, Yolo, and El Dorado.

Criteria based on Academics, financial need, extra curricular activities, character, citizenship and career objective.

Submit completed application, 2 letters of recommendation, official transcript, written personal statement that provides information about your African American background, community involvement, career goals, desire to contribute to your community and knowledge of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. Information about unique personal or financial circumstances may also be added (not to exceed 2 pages).

MetroPCS Community Scholars

25-Nov-09

www.metropcs.com/scholarship application available online beginning Oct. 1, 2009

Nationally - 83 / \$2,500 and 1 / \$25,000 scholarship awarded

Applicants must be high school seniors attending a high school in Sacramento, Colusa, Glenn, Plumas, Shasta, Tehama, Placer, San Joaquin, Yolo, Solano, Stanislaus, Merced, Yuba, Sutter, Butte or El Dorado counties who plan to enroll in a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two- or four- year college or university. Minimum 3.0 GPA on a standard 4.0 scale.

Primary Selection Criteria used to select scholarship recipients are demonstrated involvement in volunteerism with community organizations and participation in activities that give back to the student's community. Additional criteria used include: Leadership and involvement in school activities, academic record, honors, work experience, statement of goals and aspirations, unusual personal or family circumstances, and an outside appraisal. Financial need is not a requirement.

Requires completed application, and a complete official transcript

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The Emma Patterson Memorial Scholarship 2010-2011

30-Nov-09

Open to all High Achieving Seniors with financial need admitted to UC Berkeley from Sacramento, El Dorado, or Nevada County High Schools.

Candidates will be selected based on their academic merit and financial need as determined by their FAFSA and any applicable scholarship requirements.

To be Considered: Simply apply for admission to UC Berkeley, and complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) available online at www.fafsa.ed.gov. You must have financial need to be eligible.