




College Board Opportunity Scholarships

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Planning and paying for college are complicated, especially this year...

A young woman with long brown hair, wearing a white knit sweater and blue jeans, walks alongside a young man with short brown hair, wearing a dark jacket over a yellow shirt and light-colored pants. They are walking on a paved path next to a white fence. The background shows trees and a clear sky. The entire image has a blue tint, and white text is overlaid in the center.

The College Board Opportunity Scholarships guide students on the path to college and reward effort with scholarships.

College Board Opportunity Scholarships

- Launched in December 2018, the program now recognizes more winners and addresses affordability concerns by connecting students with other scholarships and aid.
- Students earn chances at scholarships by completing six key actions along the path to college. Scholarships are awarded monthly through drawings among all eligible students.
- Half of the scholarships (more than \$2 million a year) are designated for students whose families earn less than \$60,000 per year. Students who qualify have more chances to earn money for college.



More than **7,000 students** each year will earn a total of nearly **\$5 million** in scholarships.

This Is a Unique Scholarship Program

The College Board Opportunity Scholarships:

- Are open to **all** juniors and seniors who attend high school in the US or US territories, regardless of GPA, test scores, family income and citizenship status
- Help students plan, prepare and pay for college
- Simplify the college planning process
- Reward effort and action
- Don't require an application or essay



When students complete a step, they'll earn a chance at a \$500 scholarship. When they complete all six steps, they'll earn a chance at a \$40,000 scholarship.

The College Board Opportunity Scholarships is a great opportunity for any motivated student as it is a unique scholarship that not only recognizes results, but the effort and hard work that is put into achieving them.

Astrid from Texas

Class of 2021

College Board Opportunity Scholarship Winner

The 6 Key Actions to Prepare for College



Build Your College List \$500
(1,800 Scholarships)

Get started by exploring colleges that interest you on BigFuture™.



Practice for the SAT \$500
(2,200 Scholarships)

Get ready for test day with Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy®.



Explore Scholarships \$500
(800 Scholarships)

Find scholarships and other aid to help you pay for college.



Strengthen Your College List \$500
(400 Scholarships)

Make sure your college list has a mix of safety, match and reach schools.



Complete the FAFSA \$500
(1,700 Scholarships)

Fill out the free government form to apply for financial aid.



Apply to Colleges \$500
(300 Scholarships)

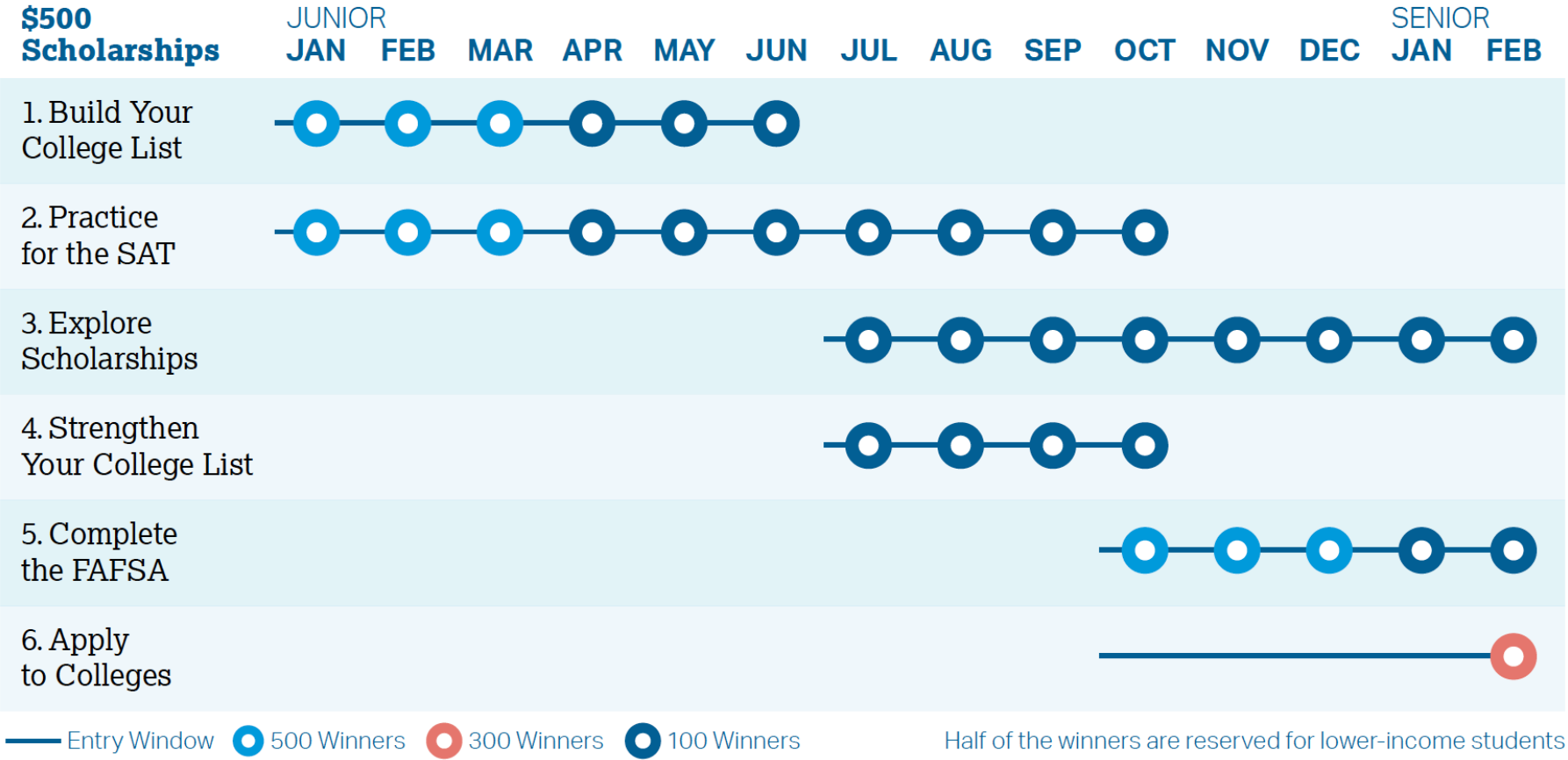
Apply to the colleges you want to attend.

When students complete all six steps, they are eligible for a \$40,000 scholarship

2020 Complete Your Journey
\$40,000 Opportunity
Scholarship Recipients

 Natalia Arcos-Rivera Woburn, MA	 Ali Arain Lubbock, TX	 Yadelis Avila New York, NY	 Nicole Boodhoo East Moline, IL			
 Wyman Chan Elk Grove, CA	 Elena DePaolo North Tonawanda, NY	 Nanci Diaz Los Angeles, CA	 Sunshine Falkoff Tucson, AZ	 Isabella Garcia San Antonio, TX	 Nyzaiah Gore Newport News, VA	 Jeffrey Guan Poolesville, MD
 Angeliqe Hall Beacon, NY	 Rachel Heimke Anchorage, AK	 David Horta Valencia, CA	 Imani Irons Herndon, VA	 Aaron Jackson San Diego, CA	 Matthew Jones Spartanburg, SC	 Malak Mosleh Guttenberg, NJ
 Misaki Mizutani Torrance, CA	 Izehinosen Okojie Beltsville, MD	 Dhruvi Patel Rockland, MA	 Waseem Salamah Rowland Heights, CA	 Trinity Scott Chicago, IL	 Fiona Smith-Calónico Livermore, CA	 Kalley Xia Houston, TX

The earlier students get started, the more opportunities to earn scholarships



Complete all six steps to be eligible for the \$40,000 Complete Your Journey Scholarship: 25 winners announced every March

With this scholarship opportunity and its deadlines, I manage my time accordingly and ensure I have a future plan after my high school graduation. I would tell my friends this opportunity led me down the right path in college planning.

Neha from Illinois

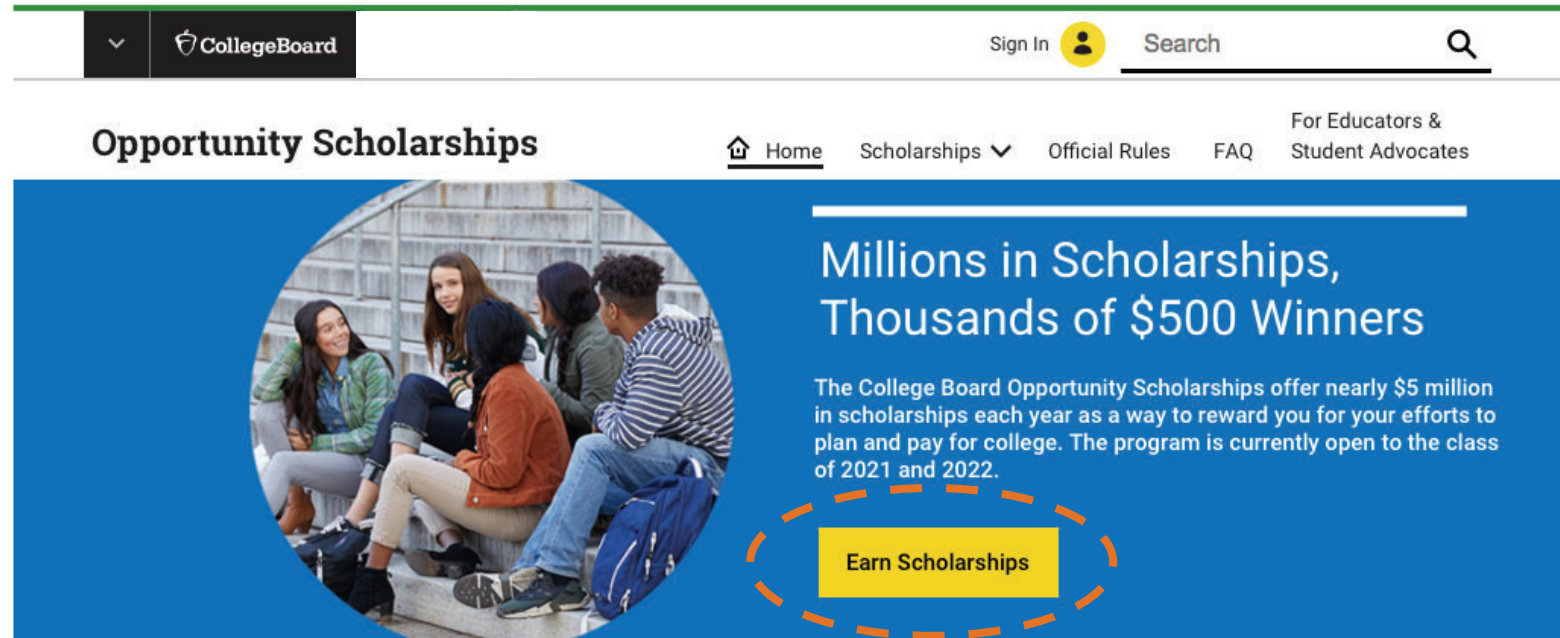
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What you will find here:

- Scholarship details
- Official rules
- FAQs
- Downloadable resources

cb.org/opportunity



The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the website. On the left, there is a dropdown menu icon and the CollegeBoard logo. On the right, there are links for 'Sign In' with a user icon, a 'Search' field with a magnifying glass icon, and a link for 'For Educators & Student Advocates'. Below the navigation bar, the main heading is 'Opportunity Scholarships'. To the right of this heading are links for 'Home', 'Scholarships' (with a dropdown arrow), 'Official Rules', and 'FAQ'. The main banner features a circular image of five diverse students sitting on steps and talking. To the right of the image, the text reads: 'Millions in Scholarships, Thousands of \$500 Winners'. Below this, a paragraph states: 'The College Board Opportunity Scholarships offer nearly \$5 million in scholarships each year as a way to reward you for your efforts to plan and pay for college. The program is currently open to the class of 2021 and 2022.' At the bottom of the banner is a yellow button with the text 'Earn Scholarships'.

Students log in using their College Board account or create a College Board account if they don't have one.

Even without the scholarship, the College Board Opportunity is an amazing and fun way to walk through and understand the college application process. It is easy and very user friendly. I found colleges to be a good fit that were not on my radar. I could also easily see my progress in completing the steps for college admission.

Ezekiel from Georgia

Class of 2021

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We're clearing a path for all
students to own their future.