

Apply for 105 scholarships each year in 90 minutes per week!

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https://scholarshipsatanyage.com/

This cheat sheet helps students earn free money for college through scholarships. One student won \$70,000 in 9 months. Another earned \$360,00 between her 13th and 18th birthday. We don't guarantee you will have the same results. However, we know that you will earn scholarships if you will follow these steps working on scholarships in just 90 minutes a week.

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- Download our FREE eBook How to Find 50 -100 Scholarships Perfect for You at YYY
- Purchase (on Amazon) our book Get Free Money for College—Enjoy \$100,000s of Scholarships at Any Age!
- Enroll in our online course for more details on how to get the \$\$\$! YYY
- (It describes how to use each of the scholarship sources listed in the cheat sheet)

# **FIRST MONTH**

# Identify themes & situations, find scholarships, & talk to counselors

### **1ST WEEK**

- Create a new email account to use to find scholarships
- Complete profiles on <u>www.Fastweb.org</u>
  <u>www.Chegg.com</u>

### **2ND WEEK**

- Identify 4 themes from the list below
  - Academics
- Activism
- Athletics
- Character
- Creative talents
- Entrepreneurship
- Ethnic background
- Leadership
- Service
- Survivor
- Complete the profiles on <u>Scholarships.com</u>, <u>CollegeBoard.com</u>, & <u>MyScholly.com</u>

### **3RD WEEK**

- Add 3 situations for each theme selected last week
- Review scholarships on the Counseling or Financial Aid section of high school & college web sites
- Use your themes and locations to identify scholarships on <u>ScholarshipLibrary.org</u>
- Review articles on Scholarships Scams on www.FinAid.org to avoid scams & frauds

- Talk to high school guidance and college financial aid counselors
- Use your themes to identify scholarships on <u>CareerOneStop.org</u> & <u>AIE.org</u>
- Ask teachers to choose a scholarship topic for writing homework assignments instead of their assigned topics

# **SECOND MONTH**

# Continue finding scholarships, refine scholarship statements, solicit letters of recommendation

### **1ST WEEK**

- Register on <u>www.Reddit.com</u> sub reddit r/scholarships, and <u>www.Scholarships.net</u>
- Select one of your themes and identify 3 specific examples for each situation
  - Write brief descriptions of examples to prompt your memory
  - These will form the basis of what we call scholarship statements to prove you deserve their money
- Identify & contact 5 people you can ask to give you letters of recommendation

### **2ND WEEK**

- Refine each of your scholarship statements for that theme in the following ways (Refine each statement separately. Do not combine these steps)
  - Turn each example into a sentence. Just get it down and don't try to edit it as you write it
  - Identify all implied numbers in your sentence. Exchange the implied numbers for real \$, #, or %s. Use alpha-numeric symbols rather than words

### **3RD WEEK**

- Draft a letter of recommendation for one of the people who agreed to submit a letter of recommendation for you
- Refine the scholarship statements you created last week in the following ways (Refine each statement separately. Do not combine these steps)
  - Identify any jargon in each sentence, then translate those terms in phrases that cannot be misunderstood
  - Identify any use of the passive voice shifts in tense & person, then edit to active voice, tense, & person for each sentence
  - Upgrade the vocabulary in each sentence to sound more sophisticated and professional

- Ask an English teacher or other professional to review and edit your scholarship statements
- Send your first letter of recommendation to the submitter
  - Ask him or her to edit the drafted letter to their personal satisfaction
  - Ask him or her to print it on their letterhead and send you both the hardcopy and a PDF copy of the letter
- Draft letters of recommendation for 2 of the other people who agreed to submit one

# THIRD MONTH

# Start applying for scholarships, refine more scholarship statements, & draft additional letters of recommendation

### **1ST WEEK**

- Select another one of your themes and identify
  3 specific examples for each situation
  - Write brief descriptions of examples to prompt your memory
  - These will form the basis of what we call scholarship statements to prove you deserve their money
- Submit the two drafts of letters of recommendation you wrote last week to the submitter
  - Ask those people to edit the drafted letter to their personal satisfaction
  - Ask him or her to print it on their letterhead and send you both the hardcopy and a PDF copy of the letter

### **2ND WEEK**

- Refine each of your scholarship statements for the theme you selected in the following ways
  - Turn each example into a sentence. Just get it down and don't try to edit it as you write it
  - Identify all implied numbers in your sentence.
    Exchange the implied numbers for real \$, #, or %s.
    Use alpha-numeric symbols rather than words
- Submit 2 applications for scholarships seeking to reward what you described in your first theme
  - Create a document titled < Your name> Scholarship Master Application
  - Copy answers not included in your master application from scholarship applications you complete into your master application
  - Copy and paste answers from your master application into applications you will submit

### **3RD WEEK**

- Draft a letter of recommendation for the 2 other people who agreed to submit one
- Refine the scholarship statements you created last week in the following ways
  - Identify any jargon in each sentence, then translate those terms in phrases that cannot be misunderstood
  - Identify any use of the passive voice shifts in tense & person, then edit to active voice, tense, & person for each sentence
  - Upgrade the vocabulary in each sentence to sound more sophisticated and professional
- Submit 2 more applications for scholarships seeking to reward what you described in your first theme
  - Copy answers not included in your master application from scholarship applications you complete into your master application
  - Copy and paste answers from your master application into applications you will submit

- Ask an English teacher or other professional to review and edit your scholarship statements
- Submit your fourth and fifth letters of recommendation to the submitters
  - Ask them to edit the drafted letter to their personal satisfaction
  - Ask him or her to print it on their letterhead and send you both the hardcopy and a PDF copy of the letter
- Submit 2 more applications for scholarships seeking to reward what you described in your first theme
  - Copy answers not included in your master application from scholarship applications you complete into your master application
  - Copy and paste answers from your master application into applications you will submit

# **FOURTH MONTH**

# Apply for scholarships, refine more scholarship statements, & draft essays

### **1ST WEEK**

- Select another one of your themes and identify
  3 specific examples for each situation
  - Write brief descriptions of examples to prompt your memory
  - These will form the basis of what we call scholarship statements to prove you deserve their money
- Begin writing 5-6 reusable essays for scholarship applications
  - Review web sites listing top essay topics solicited for scholarships on Reddit & www.WiseEssays.com https://www.wiseessays.com/blog/scholarship-essay-prompts
  - Review essays you have already written for previous homework assignments to identify essays you may use to apply for scholarships

### **2ND WEEK**

- Refine each of your scholarship statements for the theme you selected in the following ways
  - Turn each example into a sentence. Just get it down and don't try to edit it as you write it
  - Identify all implied numbers in your sentence.
    Exchange the implied numbers for real \$, #, or %s.
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- Submit 2 applications for scholarships seeking to reward what you described in your first theme

### **3RD WEEK**

- Ask teachers to substitute scholarship topics for writing assignments they give you
- Refine the scholarship statements you created last week in the following ways
  - Identify any jargon in each sentence, then translate those terms in phrases that cannot be misunderstood
  - Identify any use of the passive voice shifts in tense & person, then edit to active voice, tense, & person for each sentence
  - Upgrade the vocabulary in each sentence to sound more sophisticated and professional
- Submit 2 more applications for scholarships seeking to reward what you described in your first theme

- Ask an English teacher or other professional to review and edit your scholarship statements
- Use the scholarship statements for the 3 themes you developed to draft a scholarship essay on the topic "Why do you deserve our scholarship?" or "Describe yourself and the achievements you have made."
  - Follow the outline listed in our book or online course using your scholarship statements in the body of the essay
  - Ask an English teacher or other professional to review and edit your essay
- Submit 2 more applications for scholarships seeking to reward what you described in your first theme
  - Copy answers not included in your master application from scholarship applications you complete into your master application
  - Copy and paste answers from your master application into applications you will submit

### FIFTH MONTH

# Apply for scholarships, refine more scholarship statements, & draft essays

### **1ST WEEK**

- Select another one of your themes and identify
  3 specific examples for each situation
  - Write brief descriptions of examples to prompt your memory
  - These will form the basis of what we call scholarship statements to prove you deserve their money
- Review the list of essay topics and select 2 topics that will require original essays for you to write this month
  - Review web sites listing top essay topics solicited for scholarships on Reddit & www.WiseEssays.com https://www.wiseessays.com/blog/scholarship-essay-prompts
  - Outline the essays using outlines, quotes, statistics, scholarship statements, and personal stories

### **2ND WEEK**

- Refine each of your scholarship statements for the theme you selected in the following ways
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- Submit 3 applications for scholarships seeking to reward what you described in your first theme

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# SIXTH THROUGH TWELFTH MONTH

# Apply for scholarships and add more scholarship statements

### **1ST WEEK**

- Submit 3 applications copying and pasting answers from your master application and scholarship statements
- Copy and & paste scholarship statements into fields asking for examples or descriptions of specific experiences
- Upload reusable letters of recommendation as requested
- Modify and upload modified, reusable essays as requested
  - Customize the essay's opening, body, and closing for each scholarship submissions
  - Save customized essays as <scholarship name> Essay Submission by <Your name>.PDF s

### **2ND WEEK**

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