

# SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

*Please see Mrs. Meyers with any questions or for applications*

**\*\*Remember to file your FAFSA as soon as possible – to file electronically you will need to get a pin number from [www.pin.ed.gov](http://www.pin.ed.gov) and then to begin work on your FAFSA go to the homepage [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)**

**{New scholarships indicated in green}**

1. Society of Women Engineers Scholarship
  - Must be attending an ABET accredited program offered outside an engineering school
  - Home or school address must be inside the SWE-Central Illinois section boundaries
  - Two reference documents are required
  - Transcript
  - DEADLINE FEBRUARY 28, 2010
  
2. Ralph Kress Memorial Scholarship
  - Visit [www.peorianorthrotary.org](http://www.peorianorthrotary.org)
  - Mechanical Engineering Students ONLY, resident of Peoria County, B average (3.00/4.00), must be able to show acceptance into a collegiate program as Mechanical Engineering Major
  - DEADLINE MARCH 1, 2010
  
3. Illinois AMVETS Trade School Scholarship
  - Must be accepted into a pre-approved trade school program
  - A copy of the acceptance letter must accompany the application
  - DEADLINE MARCH 1, 2010
  
4. Illinois AMVETS Service Foundation Scholarships
  - Have taken the ACT or SAT
  - DEADLINE MARCH 1, 2010

5. Illinois AMVETS Sad Sacks Nursing Scholarships
  - Must be accepted into a preapproved nursing program
  - A copy of the letter must accompany the application
  - Prove satisfactory in academic record, character, interest, activity record, and financial need
  - Priority will be given to the dependent of a deceased or disabled Veteran
  - DEADLINE MARCH 1, 2010
  
6. Illinois AMVETS Ladies Auxiliary Memorial Scholarship
  - Be a child or grandchild of a Veteran of the United States of America who served after September 15, 1940 and was Honorably Discharged or is still serving in the military
  - Have taken the ACT or SAT
  - DEADLINE MARCH 1, 2010
  
7. Illinois AMVETS Ladies Auxiliary Worchid Scholarships
  - Be a child of a deceased father or mother who was a Veteran of the United States of America, who served after September 15, 1940, who was honorably discharged
  - They need NOT be killed in action or died as a result of a service connected disability
  - Have taken the ACT or SAT
  - DEADLINE MARCH 1, 2010
  
8. Children of Veterans Tuition Waiver @ the University of Illinois
  - [www.osfa.illinois.edu](http://www.osfa.illinois.edu)
  - Select Forms, 2010-2011 Forms, application is under Tuition Waiver section
  - Required documentation listed on website
  - Valid at any University of Illinois campus
  - DEADLINE MARCH 1, 2010
  
9. USBANK Scholarship
  - [www.usbank.com/studentloans](http://www.usbank.com/studentloans)
  - DEADLINE MARCH 1, 2010
  
10. The Illinois Odd Fellow-Rebekah Scholarship Program
  - [www.I.O.O.F.-IL.org](http://www.I.O.O.F.-IL.org)
  - Be a citizen of the U.S.
  - Be a resident of Illinois

- Provide proof of financial need by submitting a current copy of IRS 1040 or proof of electronic filing
- Maintain at least a C average
- DEADLINE MARCH 1, 2010

#### 11. Grand View Chapter American Business Women's Association

- Applicant must be a resident of Peoria or Tazewell County
- Need three letters of character recommendation from teachers, counselors, or employers
- Include written statement of not more than 300 words explaining who you are , what your college plans are and why you are requesting financial assistance.
- DEADLINE MARCH 12, 2010

#### 12. Elmwood Business Women

- DEADLINE MARCH 30, 2010

#### 13. Peoria County Farm Bureau

- Planning to study agriculture and related fields
- Must reside in Peoria County
- Must have been accepted or be currently enrolled in a four year university or two year junior college
- May only receive scholarship from the Farm Bureau 1 time
- DEADLINE MARCH 31, 2010

#### 14. ICC Scholarships

- Apply online at [www.icc.edu/scholarships/application](http://www.icc.edu/scholarships/application)
- Only online application is necessary – based on the information you provide, you will be matched with and considered for each scholarship for which you are eligible.
- DEADLINE APRIL 1, 2010

#### 15. General Assembly Scholarship

- Must live in the 73<sup>rd</sup> legislative district
- Eligible four year schools: Chicago State University, Eastern Illinois, Governors State, Illinois State, Northern Illinois, Northeastern Illinois, Southern/Carbondale, Southern/Edwardsville, University of Illinois/Chicago, University of Illinois/Springfield, University of Illinois/Urbana, Western Illinois
- Required application & transcripts
- DEADLINE APRIL 1, 2010

#### 16. Richard T. Humphrey Masonic Scholarship

- Two award winners selected from the following schools: Canton, Cuba, Elmwood, Farmington, Illini Bluffs, Lewistown, & Spoon River Valley
- DEADLINE MAY 7, 2010

#### 17. River Cup Foundation

- Involvement in golf
- Not required to play on a college team
- Active in school & community
- [www.rivercup.com](http://www.rivercup.com)
- DEADLINE MAY 15, 2010