

2023-2024 Manatee High School Scholarship List

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Sons and Daughters of Italy Bradenton Lodge #2782 Scholarship	For seniors in Manatee County. Must be of Italian descent and a resident of Florida. Must have at least a 3.0 unweighted GPA and a minimum SAT of 1100(CR+M) or ACT 23. See application for additional details.	3/15/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center		local
Manatee County Retired Educators Foundation Scholarship	For seniors who plan to become teachers . Must have at least a 3.0 GPA, attend a college in Florida and teach in Florida for the number of years they receive the scholarship. Awards based on GPA, test scores, extra curricular activities and financial need.	3/15/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center		local
Pi Beta Beta Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Scholarship	For African American or Hispanic seniors in Manatee or Sarasota counties. Must have at least a 2.5 GPA. Application includes essays and letters of recommendation. See website for details.	3/15/2024	Applications are available on the official website under the "Programs" tab.	https://pibetabeta1982.org/index.cfm?e=home	local
The Jackie and Patricia Peebles Family Scholarship	For seniors at Manatee High School. Must have at least a 2.5 GPA and 100 hours of community service OR documentation of a part-time job.	3/15/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center.		local
American Association of University Women (AAUW)	For female seniors who have lived in Manatee County for at least two years. A number of scholarships are offered, some specific to a field of study, other are general. Criteria include at least a 3.0 GPA, outstanding character and citizenship and need for financial assistance.	3/16/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center or on the AAUW website	https://manatee-fl.aauw.net/scholarships/	local

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Questbridge College Prep Scholarship Program	For JUNIORS . Must have a strong academic record (3.5 GPA or higher) and financial need (approximate household income less than \$65,000 or other financial hardship). Program links bright, motivated low-income students with educational and scholarship opportunities at some of the nation's best colleges. Program educates students about the options that exist at selective colleges and helps them become competitive applicants to these institutions. See website for details.	3/20/2024	Applications and details are available on the official website.	https://www.questbridge.org/high-school-students/college-prep-scholars	national
Sarasota Bradenton Project Guide Right Technical Scholarship	For seniors in Manatee/Sarasota counties. Must have at least a 2.0 unweighted GPA.	3/22/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center.		local
Community Centers/13th Ave Dream Center Drevian J. Mays Scholarship	For seniors. Must display leadership and high morals in the classroom and community. Must be enrolling in a 2-year or 4-year college in Fall 2024.	3/29/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center		local
Realtor Association of Sarasota Manatee	For high school seniors in Manatee and Sarasota counties. For students whose parent(s) is a realtor/member of the Realtor Assoc. of Sarasota/Manatee, but also open to the public .	3/29/2024	Applications available on the official website	www.MyRASM.com/scholarships	local
John van Zandt Scholarship Fund - The Center of Anna Maria Island	For seniors who live or work on Anna Maria Island - or whose parents live or work on the island. For students attending tech school like MTC to pursue a certification in the trades, like automotive/marine, manufacturing, culinary, health care, cosmetology and more. See website for details.	3/30/2024	Applications are available on the official website	https://centerami.org/scholarship/	local
Sarasota-Manatee Florida A&M University National Alumni Assoc. Scholarships	For seniors in Manatee or Sarasota counties who have been accepted to FAMU and will attend . Criteria includes academic achievement, financial need, extra curriculars and more.	3/30/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center or on the organization's Facebook page.	www.facebook.com/manasotarattles/	local

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The Mark Wandall Foundation Scholarships	For seniors who are residents of Florida who have experienced the death of a parent, sibling or guardian . Scholarship can be used at a college or technical school. See full details on official website.	3/31/2024	Applications are available on the official website.	https://www.themarkwandallfoundation.org/scholarship-program/	state
Anna Maria Island Historical Society Scholarship	For seniors. Must be a resident of Anna Maria, Bradenton Beach or Holmes Beach OR work at a business located in one of these cities. Must have at least a 3.0 GPA for a 4-year college or at least a 2.5 GPA for community college.	3/31/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center.		local
Manatee Education Foundation Suncoast Credit Union Scholarship	For seniors in Manatee County. See website for details and online application.	3/31/2024	Applications and Information are available on the official website.	https://mefinfo.org/students-families/	local
Manatee River Garden Club Scholarship	For seniors who are going to college to study gardening, horticulture, floral design, environmental concerns or other related endeavors.	4/1/2024	Applications are available on the official website. Click on "About us" then "Grants and Scholarships".	https://www.manateerivergardenclub.com/	local
Southern Scholarship Foundation	For seniors who will attend UF, Santa Fe CC, FSU, FAMU, TCC, or FGCU. Provides rent-free scholarship housing (must pay for food/meals) . Houses are located on campus or just off campus. Must have at least a 3.0 GPA, demonstrated financial need and acceptance to one of those schools. See website for details.	4/1/2024	Applications and details are available on the official website. Apply early!	https://www.southernscholarship.org/applicants/	school specific
Sertoma Club of Bradenton Scholarship	For seniors. Must be a US citizen, Manatee County public high school graduating senior, and have a minimum unweighted GPA of 3.2. Must be pursuing a bachelor's degree in any discipline. Priority will be given to students with a speech or hearing impediment before considering other applicants. READ THE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY! \$2,500 Scholarship!	4/1/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center		local

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The Polish American Association of Sarasota Scholarship	For seniors who have at least one parent of Polish origin or descent. Must have at least a 3.5 GPA and plan to attend college in Florida. See website for full details.	4/1/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center or on the official website.	https://www.polishsarasota.org/page/2093271-about-us	local
The Artists Guild of Anna Maria Island Scholarship	For seniors in Manatee County public high schools who plan to major in fine arts or arts education (visual art, music, dance, drama). Must have at least a 3.0 GPA and submit samples of your work.	4/1/2024	Applications and details are available on the official website.	https://www.amiartistsguildgallery.com/2022-scholarship-application	local
Linda Van Metre Personal Achievement Scholarship	For MHS seniors. Given in honor of Mrs. Van Metre (long time MHS English teacher). For students who demonstrated a strong desire to improve, have a positive attitude and strength of character.	4/2/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center		local
Manatee High School Butler Scholarship	For MHS seniors. Must have at least a 2.5 GPA. Criteria include academics, involvement in school/community, references and brief essay.	4/2/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center		local
Manatee High School Dominic Eiardi Engineering Scholarship	For MHS seniors who will major in engineering at a 4-year university. Criteria include Math SAT/ACT test scores and math courses at MHS.	4/2/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center		local
Jewish Federation of Sarasota-Manatee	For seniors. Most scholarships are for those of Jewish faith, except for one that is open to students of other faiths. Must reside in Manatee or Sarasota County and demonstrate financial need. Several different scholarships available - see website for details.	4/10/2024	Applications are available on the official website.	https://www.jfedsrq.org/educationscholarships	local

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MHS Alumni Association Scholarships	For MHS Seniors only. There are seven scholarship programs - but only one application. Application includes transcripts, essay, completed FAFSA and letter of recommendation. They have scholarships for liberal arts majors, STEM majors, students who participated in music at MHS, medical majors, students who will attend technical college (like MTC) and general. Great opportunity! They award a lot of scholarships - so apply!	4/12/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center.		local
Gamma Xi Boule Foundation Matthew Carter Scholarship	For African American seniors in Sarasota or Manatee counties who show readiness for college majors including Business, Finance, Biological/Life Sciences, Physics, Chemistry, Social Science, Math, engineering and other academic degrees. Must have at least a 3.0 GPA unweighted and have financial need. Application includes an essay and letters of recommendation See website for full details.	4/12/2024	Applications and Information are available on the official website. On their main page, click "More" then "Scholarships" to access the application.	www.gammamaxifoundation.org/	local
The Island Players	For seniors in Manatee County who have demonstrated excellence in the areas of art, dance, music or theater and who plan to continue to develop these talents at an even higher level of education next school year. See application for details.	4/15/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center and on the official website.	https://www.theislandplayers.org/scholarships	local
State College of Florida (SCF) Foundation Scholarships	For seniors who will attend SCF . Dozens of scholarships are available to students - including some specific to field of study and many that are general. You must have already completed an application to SCF to apply for these scholarships.	4/15/2024	Applications and details are available on the official website.	www.scf-foundation.org/scholarships/apply-for-a-scholarship/	school specific

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AdVance Scholarship	For Manatee/Sarasota seniors who will attend MTC, SCF or USF Sarasota-Manatee. Must have at least a 2.5 GPA, letters of recommendation and transcripts.	4/15/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center		local
SCF Excellence Award	For seniors in Manatee/Sarasota/Charlotte counties who plan to enroll at SCF in Fall 2023. Must have at least a 3.0 GPA. The scholarship is for two years of tuition and fees for up to 15 credits per semester.	4/15/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center or on the official website.	https://www.scf.edu/StudentServices/Admissions/liz.asp	local/school specific
Bradenton Rotary Club	For seniors. Criteria include financial need (must be eligible for a Pell Grant as determined by the FAFSA), academic excellence, and essay. One \$2,000 scholarship will be awarded to a MHS senior.	4/15/2024	Applications are available in the College and Career Center		local
Alpha Phi Alpha Foundation	For male seniors who are African American or Hispanic . Must be a resident of Manatee or Sarasota County and will attend a 2-year, 4-year college or technical college.	4/15/24	Applications and details are available on the official website.	https://alphamanasota.org/scholarships	local
Manatee School Counselor Association Scholarship	For seniors in Manatee County who will attend a 4-year college or university after graduation. Must submit an essay explaining the impact or difference your school counselor has made in your life or high school career. Scholarship is \$1000.	4/15/2024	Online application - see link to the right	https://forms.gle/vsoAJgZcF6MosNKq7	local
Take Stock in Children	For 9th grade students . Must meet academic and financial eligibility requirements. Students selected meet with a volunteer mentor each week and receive supports to be successful in high school and prepare for college. Applications are "rolling" - apply anytime, but sooner rather than later! See all details on the Take Stock website.	rolling	Information and details on the official website	https://manateetakestock.org/apply-now/	local

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American Legion Auxiliary National Scholarships	For seniors. Several scholarships all with different criteria and deadlines. See all details on the official website.	varies	Applications are available on the official website.	https://www.legion-aux.org/scholarships	national
Manatee Community Foundation Technical/Vocational Scholarships	For Manatee County seniors who will pursue technical training or vocational school like MTC . There are several scholarships available with different requirements - MTC East Campus programs, construction/building trades, and others that are general. See website for specific details.	varies	Applications are available on the official website.	https://www.manateecf.org/scholarships/technical-vocational-scholarships/	local