

SUMMARY OF SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR TEXAS RAINBOW

TEXAS POT OF GOLD FOUNDATION

Application and related forms are available on the Pot of Gold Foundation website: www.Texaspotofgold.org AND on the Grand Assembly of Texas website: www.txior.org/Texas Pot of Gold Foundation. Applications must reach the Scholarship Chairman by April 15.

VICTOR C. AND MARTHA MARIE WHITFIELD SCHOLARSHIP: \$5000 over a period of four (4) years. Selection is by the Trustees of the Pot of Gold Foundation.

DAVID B. DIBRELL SCHOLARSHIP: Selection is by the Trustees of the Pot of Gold Foundation.

TEXAS POT OF GOLD SCHOLARSHIP: The number of scholarships awarded is dependent upon the funds generated by the Foundation. There may be other Memorial Scholarships made available. Selection is by the Trustees of the Texas Pot of Gold Foundation.

TEXAS LODGE SCHOLARSHIPS

The members of every lodge in the state of Texas are interested in helping further the education of our Masonic Youth. Not every Lodge has a Scholarship program, however, anyone interested in receiving a scholarship should make an effort to contact the Masonic Lodges in their immediate area and inquire about any scholarships offered. It never hurts to ask.

SCOTTISH RITE – SOUTHERN JURISDICTION

SAM & MILLIE HILBURN SCHOLARSHIP: \$5000 per year for two (2) years for student in the field of childhood language disorders.

Eligibility: Member of DeMolay, Job's Daughters or Rainbow or a member of Scottish Rite – Southern Jurisdiction, their spouse, child, grandchild, sibling by birth, marriage or operations of the law (adoption).

Requirements: Application (obtained through Executive Director), Transcripts and four (4) letters of recommendation.

SHEPHERD SCHOLARSHIP: \$2000 PER YEAR FOR MAXIMUM OF FOUR (4) YEARS.

Application for both are available from the Office of the Executive Director: (202) 232-3579

DALLAS SCOTTISH RITE: www.dallascotishrite.org

Contact Dallas Scottish Rite for Application and deadlines.

FORT WORTH SCOTTISH RITE: www.fortworthscotishrite.org/foundation/scholarship

Application is available online and deadline is posted.

There are seven (7) other Scottish Rite Valleys in Texas which may also offer scholarships in their area. They are in Austin, El Paso, Galveston, Houston, Lubbock, San Antonio and Waco. Check their websites.

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THE LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM AT TEXAS SCOTTISH RITE HOSPITAL: If any Rainbow Girl has received treatment at TSRHC they are eligible for a scholarship.

Contact: legacy.scholarship@tsrh.org.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR: Grand Commandery Knights Templar of Texas/ Texas Knights Templar Educational Foundation

Each applicant must have at least 30 hours of college credit before an application will be accepted. The application is not difficult, but it is lengthy. The application requires 6 letters of reference and a photo. Distribution is directly to the student to use as they see fit. The Knights Templar Scholarship is available for two years, each year requiring a separate application. Traditionally, the scholarship is \$1000 per year.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

Many local Eastern Star Chapters have a scholarship program. Information is available from any member of a local Chapter. Your High School Counselor may also have the information about local scholarships.

GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS, ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

There are two scholarships available through the Grand Chapter of Texas.

EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

The application and full instructions are online at www.grandchapteroftexasoes.org.

The deadline for application is March 1 and must be received in the Grand Chapter of Texas office via US Postal Service by that date.

Requirements for Eligibility:

1. Used for General Education only
2. Must have and maintain 2.5 GPA
3. Must be a graduate or will graduate from a Texas High School
4. Must have an O.E.S. affiliation

ESTARL SCHOLARSHIP (Eastern Star Training Award for Religious Leadership)

Following or related field of study must include

1. Minister or Missionary
2. Director of Church Music
3. Director of Religious Education
4. Director of Youth Leadership

Requirements for Eligibility:

1. Ministerial students or students in related religious studies only when legal resident of Texas
2. Those that are in their 3rd or junior year or beyond having a GPA of 2.5
3. Not required to have O.E.S. or Masonic affiliation