

AMBUCS, INC. SCHOLARSHIPS FOR THERAPIST

National AMBUCS, Inc. is a nonprofit charitable organization with a diverse membership dedicated to *inspiring mobility & independence*.

Eligibility: Students must be US citizens accepted in a graduate-level program that is accredited by the appropriate therapy profession authority in physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech language pathology, or hearing audiology. Assistant or undergraduate programs are not eligible. Awards are based on financial need, commitment to local community, character for compassion and integrity, and career objectives.

Over \$150,000 is awarded annually with individual awards ranging from \$500 to \$1,500. There is one two-year award in the amount of \$6,000. Award monies are deposited into the student's credit account with the financial aid office of the educational institution.

National AMBUCS, Inc. accepts applications for its scholarship program from **March 4** until **May 5 at midnight**, annually.

Students must submit all portions of the application before the May 5 deadline. The online application will allow students to save their work and return at a later time.

In addition to the filling out general information, the student will be required to upload:

- Their **FAFSA** (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) SAR (Student Aid Report)
- Proof of enrollment into an accredited program as outlined above and
- One page personal statement.

In order to apply for this scholarship you must fill out the FAFSA and supply us with your SAR; even if you do not want to apply for Federal aid. You can accept or decline any aid offer made by the government.

Past the eligibility requirements, **financial need** the first hurdle every applicant must pass (including those that are chapter sponsored).

Proof of Enrollment: Please upload a document from your registrar's office confirming your enrollment (you might also find this on your student portal somewhere). If this is your first year, the registrar's office may not be willing to give you proof of enrollment at this early stage. In that case, you may upload your acceptance letter.

Tips on writing your personal statement: It should be one page, double spaced and at least 10 point font. But, beyond that, it should be...personal. You don't need to tell us school is expensive and long and all the other things that are true for every single applicant. We would

like to hear what sort of therapist you want to be and why as well as any volunteerism (especially serving people with challenges to mobility or independence – through AMBUCS or other organizations). We will be looking for all three of those elements in your statement...and, yes, we actually read them!

CHIROHEALTHUSA FOXWORTH FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

Deadline: May 03 2019 at 11:59 PM CDT (Midnight)

The Foxworth Family Chiropractic Scholarship is an achievement-based scholarship awarded to students currently enrolled in Chiropractic College. Students are recognized for their capacity to lead and serve, and their commitment to making an impact in their communities and the profession.

The Foxworth Family Chiropractic Scholarship is fully funded by ChiroHealthUSA in honor of President Dr. Ray Foxworth's parents, Drs. Betty Pace Mathews and Charles Vernon Mathews. The award includes a \$10,000 scholarship for school expenses, \$5,000 in cash to help offset living expenses, and an additional \$10,000 donation to the chiropractic college where the recipient of the scholarship is enrolled.

For more information on ChiroHealthUSA, please visit our website at www.chirohealthusa.com.

REQUIREMENTS

- Unless graduating in the meantime, the recipient must remain a full-time student, enrolled in a Doctorate of Chiropractic program at an accredited Chiropractic college or university in the U.S. during the entire academic year of the award, or they shall forfeit the award.
- Minimum 2.7 GPA.
- Two recommendations submitted through the online application. Contacts listed for recommendation will be sent a link to complete an online questionnaire.
- Recipient must agree to keep the award confidential until it is announced at The FCA National Convention in Orlando, Florida, on August 23, 2019, or they shall forfeit the award.

- Applicants may not be family members of employees, officers, or owners of ChiroHealthUSA.

IWSH ESSAY SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST

ESSAY TOPIC

“What can IWSH do to improve sanitation and clean water for those who lack access to a plumbing system?”

PURPOSE

to acquaint the uninitiated with the crucial importance the plumbing industry plays in our everyday lives. To introduce students to the global impact of IWSH projects.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Students must provide a copy of their current full-time schedule, school transcripts, or acceptance letter with their submission.

Must be a current high school senior; or enrolled or accepted as a full-time (12 credit hours) student in an accredited technical school, community college, trade school, four-year accredited college or university, or an apprentice program.

International students are eligible. Please submit proper school documentation with the essay.

GENERAL RULES AND REQUIREMENTS

ANY SUBMISSION THAT IS MISSING SOME OR ALL OF THE REQUIREMENTS WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.

1. The deadline for essay submissions is 11:59pm (PT) on April 30, 2019. Late submissions will not be accepted.
2. Each submission must include a cover page containing the student’s name, address, phone number, and email. We must be able to contact you, if we have any questions or comments regarding your entry.
3. Essays must be written on the topic noted above, and must be an original essay.
4. One essay per student.
5. Essays should be no fewer than 800 words and no more than 1,600 words. The essay cover page, added footnotes, references or citation page does not contribute to the word count.
6. Entries must be typed, double-spaced, in 12-point Times New Roman or an equivalent font with a one-inch margin on all sides of the page. Standards of content and style

from MLA Handbook for Writers of Research Papers, 8th ed., will be expected for:

- a. Documentation of sources in the text of your essay;
 - b. The format of the list of works cited;
 - c. Margins and indentation; and,
 - d. Bibliography.
7. Essays MUST be submitted in Microsoft Word (.doc or .docx) format. Essays submitted in any other format will not be considered.
 8. Essays must be submitted via email to **essay@iwsh.org**; via fax to 909-472-4241; or USPS to:

International Water, Sanitation and Hygiene Foundation

Attn: Leticia Gallegos, Essay Contest

4755 E. Philadelphia Street

Ontario, CA 91761

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All submissions become the property of IWSH. The winners' essays will be posted on the IWSH website and published in the Official Magazine.

Please email questions to **essay@iwsh.org**.

PRIZES

The Sandra Imprescia Essay Scholarship Committee will review essays to determine the top three. IWSH's Board of Trustees will select and announce essay contest winners by August 31, 2019. Prizes will be awarded as follows:

First Place – one winner

- \$1,000
- Publication of essay in Official and at IWSH web site
- One year IAPMO student membership

Second Place – one winner

- \$750
- Publication of essay in Official and at IWSH web site

Third Place – one winner

- \$500
- Publication of essay in Official and at IWSH web site

ELLEN HIGHLAND FERNANDEZ SCHOLARSHIP FOR GRADUATE STUDIES

The Ellen Highland Fernandez Scholarship for Graduate Studies is for students obtaining a Masters or Ph.D degree, and enrolled for the 2019-20 school year. Scholarships may be renewed for up to 3 years of graduate work, at the decision of the Scholarship Committee.

The Little People of America Scholarship Committee will consider only complete applications that consist of the following:

- 1) the application filled out in its entirety;
- 2) personal statement of at least 500 words;
- 3) three (3) letters of recommendation from: A) a professional reference (counselor, instructor, employer, clergy, etc)
B) a personal reference (no family members);
C) A reference from a current/or recent past LPA chapter president, district director, or national officer;
- 4) Transcripts from most recent academic year attended. Scholarships are given in order of preference to:
 - Members of LPA who have a medically diagnosed form of dwarfism
 - Immediate family members of dwarfs who are also paid members of LPA;
 - People with dwarfism who are not members of LPA. **The deadline for submission is May 1.**

If you have any questions please contact the LPA office at 1-888-LPA-2001 or info@lpaonline.org.

Qualifications

- Applicant must be applying for a scholarship for graduate school. **Sign In or Register to apply.**

LITTLE PEOPLE OF AMERICA SCHOLARSHIP

Little People of America, Inc., is a nonprofit organization that provides support and information to people of short stature and their families. Membership is offered to those people who are usually no taller than 4'10" in height. Their

short stature is generally caused by one of the more than 200 medical conditions known as dwarfism. Membership is also available to relatives and interested professionals who work with short-statured individuals.

As part of our service to people with dwarfism and the community at large, LPA offers educational scholarships to prospective and current students attending college or vocational school in the United States. Awards can range from \$250 to \$1000 (sometimes more). A scholarship committee, headed by LPA's Programs Director, will review application packets, as well as individual donors.

LPA scholarship awards shall be limited to two awards for undergraduate studies and one for graduate studies. Ellen Highland Fernandez graduate scholarship recipients may re-apply up to two additional times.

Some Helpful Tips...

- Complete the online application by the deadline, **May 1**. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered.
- Proofread, proofread, and proofread! The scholarship committee considers spelling and grammar when reviewing applications.
- Write a thank you letter if you receive an award. Other than being the right thing to do, if you are planning to apply for another scholarship in the future, a thank you letter for past scholarships impresses the scholarship committee.
- Get involved with LPA! We are a volunteer organization and any student who has shown a willingness to volunteer his or her time will look good to the scholarship committee. Ask your local chapter or district officer how you can be of service. Indicate how you plan to help on your personal statement.
- If you need help, do not be afraid to ask! A high school counselor, college advisor, your parents, or even another college student may all be of service. Also, feel free to email me with any questions.

For more advice and information on writing a personal statements, and applying for scholarships, check out [Writing Tips](#) and [College Resources for Disabled Students](#) links.

To apply for the 2019 Scholarships, please visit [HERE](#). Applications must be completed by May 1.

THE HEALTHLINE & NAMI STRONGER SCHOLARSHIP

This year's scholarship is dedicated to the advancement of mental health, either through research, raising awareness, community building, or combatting stigma. The program will award four students with a \$5,000 scholarship each. The awarded scholarships will include:

- Two scholarships awarded to undergraduate recipients making an impact on mental health

- Two scholarships awarded to graduate recipients making an impact on mental health

Requirements for eligibility include:

- Current student in pursuit of an undergraduate or graduate degree (as of fall 2019)
- Current U.S. resident
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 from most recent college transcript
- Demonstrated involvement in the advancement of the mental health profession, either through research, patient advocacy, raising awareness, or community building

Timeline:

- March 1 - May 1, 2019: Application opens
- June 15, 2019: Winners notified
- August 1, 2019: Funds distributed to University

How to apply:

1. Click the “Apply Now” button (below) or go to <https://aim.applySTS.net/Healthline> to create an AIM account using your email address and chosen password.
2. Log in to your AIM account to be taken directly to the Welcome page of The Healthline and NAMI Stronger Scholarship Program application.
3. Complete all required fields in the online application, and upload any required documents (such as GED certificate, high school transcript, college transcript, and/or ACT/SAT scores). As part of the application process, you’ll be required to upload answers to three essay questions.
4. Click the Submit button on the Save/Submit page of the online application.

NOTE: The status “Complete” will display on your AIM home page when all forms have been submitted and all documents have been verified. Applicants are responsible for monitoring the progress of all application requirements to make sure their application is **complete by 11:59 p.m. PST on May 1st. Late submissions will not be considered.**

Application Opens March 1st

APPLY NOW

THE TOBY MERRILL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Toby Merrill Scholarship was created to help change the lives of children and make a difference through education. After a courageous 21-month fight, Toby passed away from Gastric Cancer on August 12, 2016. Through his final days, Toby was focused on developing a lasting legacy by providing financial assistance for children seeking to attend college with the goal of empowering those deserving children to reach their full potential and experience the joys of life that Toby achieved.

Toby Merrill graduated from Franklin & Marshall College in 1997, where he served as a student athlete on the football team. Toby's wife Susan is also an alumna of F&M and now is an educator at Germantown Academy located in the greater Philadelphia area, where their two daughters attend school. Toby credits his experiences at F&M with playing a significant role in building his personal foundation and creating lifelong friendships.

The Toby Merrill Scholarship will be awarded to students exemplifying the values as defined by Toby's life. Scholarship recipients will excel in the areas of academics, athletics, and leadership and will demonstrate high character traits such as kindness and strength during times of adversity. Special consideration will be made for candidates who are experiencing personal or family issues related to cancer or bereavement.

What is the award?

\$9700 per year renewable for four years if student remains in good academic and citizen standing at the college. If the student is receiving financial aid, please note that accepting a Toby Merrill Scholarship may reduce the aid. Please contact the financial aid department for details.

What is the criteria?

Specific criteria will include a combination of the following:

- Academic Performance in high school
- Requiring a minimum of grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 Level of participation culminating
- A letter of recommendation that speaks to your character and leadership in your school or community. The letter can be from a counselor, teacher, coach, mentor, or

boss.

- Elected positions of leadership or awards received for community involvement
- Financial need based on household income or deceased, ill parents/guardians
- Personal interviews

What are the requirements if I receive the award?

In order to maintain their scholarship during the four year term, recipients must satisfy the following requirements:

- Remain enrolled in a four (4) year college approved by the organization
- Achieve a minimum GPA established at the time of the Scholarship Award
- Perform a minimum of ten (10) hours of community service per year
- Provide at least semi-annual periodic updates of that individuals' collegiate experience to the Toby Merrill Scholarship Fund (which may be shared with existing and prospective donors in newsletters, website and social media platforms)

What does a complete application entail?

1. Application
2. Two essays
3. Official transcript and school profile from you high school
4. Letter of recommendation
5. The application submission period for 2019 is now open! The Deadline is May 1, 2019.

[Apply Now](#)

SCOTT-MCKENNA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Rocky Mountain Outdoor Writers & Photographers, Inc. accepts applications for its coveted **Scott-McKenna Memorial Scholarship** each Spring. (Questions? E-mail the [scholarship chair](#).) Named in memory of *J.B. Scott* and *Joe McKenna*, founders of RMOWP, the award is given annually to a student with a career interest in the outdoors. Students in high school (only seniors will be considered) need not have a declared major, but college students should have declared a major.

Candidates with an interest in Natural Resources, Forestry, Rangeland Ecology, Wildlife Biology, Agriculture or related fields are eligible for the scholarship. Photography or journalism majors, with a special interest in wildlife outdoor photography/journalism are also eligible.

Since 2008, RMOWP has awarded up to \$2000 in scholarships each year. The monies, primarily raised through the auction at our Annual Conference, are paid directly to the college to offset tuition and fees.

Questions regarding the scholarship should be sent to the [Scholarship Chair](#). Here is the [application](#) in PDF format. Please mail your completed application to the address shown thereon. The winner will be notified by June 10th, and will be posted here by the end of June.

Applications must be **post-marked by May 30th** to be considered for that year's scholarship award.

For information about other scholarship opportunities, visit www.cappex.com/scholarships.

SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDENTS WHO ARE HARD OF HEARING OR DEAF

Academic Year 2019-2020 Deadline: May 1, 2019
<https://members.sertoma.org/document.doc?id=356>

This is a \$1,000 scholarship to cover tuition, books and supplies. Recipient may use the funds for any semester, including summer, during the awarded academic school year. Support from Sertoma and Oticon, Inc. provides the funding for the scholarships.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Must have a minimum 40dB bilateral hearing loss, as evidenced on audiogram by an SRT & PTA of 40dB or greater in both ears
- Must be a citizen of the United States of America
- Must be pursuing a bachelor's degree on a full-time basis at a college or university in the United States—graduate degrees, associates degrees, community colleges, and vocational programs do not qualify.
- Must have a minimum cumulative 3.2 GPA on a 4.0 un-weighted scale. *High School senior* – Cumulative GPA is for grades 9-11 and first semester for grade 12
- *College freshman* – Cumulative GPA is all of high school and first semester of college

- *College sophomore or higher* - Cumulative GPA for all college-level semesters completed

DEADLINES All scholarship applications and requested materials must be received at Sertoma headquarters by 4:00 pm Central Standard Time on May 1st each year. Faxes or email are not accepted. If the deadline falls on a weekend, the following Monday will be used as the deadline date.

REQUIRED MATERIALS

The following items are required to complete the application process.

- Application - must be on the original form, typed, and signed.
- (2) Two letters of Recommendation. Recommendation Letters need not be sealed.
- High School and/or College transcript – Transcript must be from school, but does not have to be official. The school name, applicant's name, and GPA must be printed on the transcript. GPA stated on application must be verifiable from transcript. Show conversion if GPA is documented on scale other than 4.0. College freshman must include high school and college transcripts.
- Recent audiogram from a hearing health professional (must not be any older than two years). Hearing loss on application must be verifiable from audiogram.
- One additional copy of the application and letters of recommendation. The additional copy must whiteout all references to the student's personal information including name, address, phone, email, and social security number.
- Submit all materials in a single envelope in the order listed. Any additional items or items received separately will be discarded. Application materials are to be single sided. Please do not use staples.

NOTIFICATION TO RECIPIENTS

Scholarship recipients will be notified by June 30th of each year. We only notify recipients, no notification means the student did not receive the scholarship. We cannot send out lists of recipients to those who do not receive a scholarship.

MAILING ADDRESS

Sertoma Headquarters
Hard of Hearing or Deaf Scholarship Program
1912 E. Meyer Blvd.
Kansas City, MO 64132

Sertoma does not acknowledge receipt of applications. If you wish verification that the application was received send via any service with tracking ability.

THE RED CROSS JANE DELANO STUDENT NURSE SCHOLARSHIP

[Jane Delano](#) was the principal organizer of the Red Cross Nursing Service. Thanks to her efforts, more than 20,000 Red Cross nurses served in World War I. She died in France in 1919, while traveling on behalf of the Red Cross. In recognition of her service to our country, she received the Distinguished Service Medal and is buried in Arlington National Cemetery.

The Red Cross honors her memory through the Jane Delano Student Nurse Scholarship which promotes nursing as a career and encourages new nurses to get involved with the Red Cross. A limited number of scholarships are awarded each year.

How to Apply

Applications are due in May and applicants are notified in July each year. The award amount is \$3000. May 11, 2019 is the deadline. For additional information, please [email us](#).

Eligibility Criteria:

The scholarship is available to nursing students (undergraduate or graduate) who have contributed volunteer service to or are employees of an American Red Cross Unit. Scholarship funds may be applied towards tuition, books and academic fees only. Recipients of the Jane Delano Student Nurse Scholarship and their Red Cross units are notified by the Office of the Chief Nurse. A unit may be a chapter; Humanitarian Services region; Blood Services region; Preparedness, Health, and Safety Services territory; or Service to the Armed Forces station.