

Opportunity Knocks: Your Weekly Update

Scholarships, Internships, Volunteer Opportunities, Contests, and Awards

Tip of the Week

Fewer people apply to scholarships than you imagine and for some more complicated scholarships, applying alone gives you a fairly high chance of getting an award.

Opportunity of the Week **Next Deadline Apr. 31st.**

Shawn Carter Scholarship Fund



The Shawn Carter Scholarship Fund (SCSF) was founded on the belief that any motivated individual in need should have the opportunity to further his or her education. By removing some of the financial burdens associated with going to, surviving in, and graduating from college, the SCSF plays a vital role in increasing college access and success for many motivated yet underserved youth and young adults. The SCSF provides individual grants, paid directly to the educational institution, to every student who qualifies and reapplies yearly, from admission to graduation.

The grant can be used to cover tuition expenses and related supplemental educational expenses such as books, lab fees, travel and select costs of living. All Shawn Carter Scholars are required to “give back” by conducting community service and by serving as mentors to younger, aspiring Shawn Carter Scholars.

Deadline to submit: Scholarship Opens Apr. 1st and closes Apr. 31st.

Please note awards will be granted after the deadline. Late applications will not be accepted. You may be contacted for more information.

Apply at <https://shawncartersf.com/scholarship/> .

California Latino Legislative Caucus Foundation Scholarship

The California Latino Legislative Caucus Foundation (CLLCF) is pleased to invite all qualified California residents to apply for a scholarship. This scholarship program was established to assist deserving students by offering financial assistance to help meet educational expenses. Applications open April 1st and are due on June 1st of 2025. To find out more and apply, visit <https://www.clpcf.org/scholarship-program>



“The only thing standing between you and your goal is the story you keep telling yourself as to why you can’t achieve it.” – Jordan Belfort