

HURON HIGH SCHOOL

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Scholarship Application Deadlines:

- **American Legion Scholarships** - deadlines vary.
- **Athlete of the month** (Vantage Financial Partners)- 1st of each month
- **Prevention Magazine Essay Scholarship**- no deadline

February

- **ELKS Legacy Awards**- February 5, 2024
- **Basin Electric Member Scholarship**- also available in counseling office- February 9
- **DEC \$500 Scholarship**- also available in counseling office- February 9
- **DEC \$1,000 Electrician Scholarship**- also available in counseling office- February 9
- **DEC \$1,000 Line Worker Scholarship**- also available in counseling office- February 9
- **DEC Youth Tour Opportunity**- also available in counseling office- February 9
- **NIAAA Essay Scholarship**- February 14
- **Agtegra Agricultural Scholarship**- February 15, 2024
- **Independent Insurance Agents of South Dakota**- February 28, 2024
- **Evie Kahnke Memorial Scholarship**- also available in counseling office- February 28
- **Annis Irene Fowler/Kaden Scholarship**- online- February 29
- **The Ardell Bjugstad Scholarship for Native American Students**- online- February 29

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HOW TO
address your
envelope](#)

March

- **SD Junior Achievement Leo Crawford Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- March 1
- **SD American Legion Educational Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- March 1
- **Cancer Unwrapped Teen Writing Contest**- March 1
- **SD Farm Bureau Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- March 1
- **WRCA Foundation Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- March 1
- **SD State DAR Scholarship For Military Descendants**- available in counseling office- March 5
- **First Dakota Scholarship**- online or in counseling office- March 5
- **Resource Conservation Speech Contest**- also available in counseling office- March 6
- **Dacotah Bank**- also in counselors' office- March 8
- **Venture Communications Scholarship**- March 8
- **Curtis Marvin Hohn Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- March 10
- **Farm Credit Services of America Land Grant**- March 11
- **SD Farm Bureau**- also available in counselors' office- March 14, 2024

March Cont...

- **Coach Russ Morrel Memorial Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- March 15
- **Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 3A Scholarship**- available in counselors' office- March 15
- **Horatio Alger Scholarships**- March 15
- **Justin Lake College Scholarship**- March 15
- **SD Fire Service Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- March 15
- **Sioux Falls Area Community Foundation Scholarships**- March 15 **there are SEVERAL scholarships on this website:*
 - * Emily's Hope * Cogley-Buffington Fund * Fred & Marie Christopherson * Kimberly Rose Means
 - * Joe Foss "An American Hero" * Norman W. Ranschau Memorial * Osman Family Native American Scholarship
- **SD Society for Technology in Education Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- March 22
- **Santel Communications: Ray Judy Memorial Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- March 22
- **HRMC Auxiliary Scholarship**- March 31
- **Bellator Titans MC Scholarship**- available in counselors' office- March 26
- **Oahe Racers Association Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- March 31
- **SDACDE Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- March 31
- **HRMC Foundation Scholarships**- March 31
- **Build Dakota Scholarship Fund**- March 31

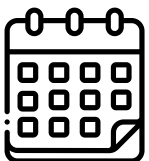
April

- **Day County Coyote Hunt: for SD National Guard members/family**- also available in counselors' office- April 1
- **Inez Taylor Walter Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- April 1
- **Donald H. Quimby Memorial Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- April 1
- **Huron Youth Wrestling Club Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- April 1
- **Lockheed Martin STEM Scholarship**- April 1
- **Mid-Dakota Rural Water System Scholarship**- available in counselors' office- April 1
- **M-O Federal Credit Union Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- April 1
- **Huron Area Chamber & Visitors Bureau Agriculture Scholarship**- available in counselors' office- April 1
- **First District Development Company Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- April 5
- **BBB Student of Integrity Scholarship**- April 5
- **Gene Abdallah**- also available in counseling office- April 15
- **Dr. Dale A. Gibson Oral Health Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- April 15
- **Esther Edie Environmental Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- April 15
- **Scott Lippincott Memorial Scholarship**- also available in counselors' office- April 15

Upcoming Campus Visit Dates

- **Northern State University**: check the website for individual visit days: Northern Bound Day- February 16
- **University of South Dakota**: check the website for individual visit days; "Coyote Visit Days"- March 1, 22; April 12, 26
- **South Dakota State University**: check the website for individual visit days; "Jackrabbit Preview Days"- February 2, 16; March 8, 22; April 5, 12, 19, 26
- **Dakota State University**: check the website for individual visit days; February 16; March 1: April 6
- **Dakota Wesleyan University**: check the website to schedule an individual or group visit
- **Black Hills State University**: "Yellow Jacket Days"- March 22; April 19; check the website for individual visit days
- **Augustana University**: check the website to schedule an individual or group visit
- **School of Mines & Technology University**: "Go to Mines" Open House- April 13; June 7, 20; visit the website for more details/dates
- **University of Sioux Falls**: visit the website for more details/dates
- **Mount Marty University**: visit the website for more details/dates
- **Southeast Technical College**: "Campus Visit Days" - February 2; March 1
- **Lake Area Technical College**: Junior Tech Day- April 3
- **Mitchell Technical College**: February 29
- **Western Dakota Technical College**: College Visit Days and Nights- April 20

To register, go the University website and select the event and date that works for you.



Scholarships

Mid-Dakota Rural Water Systems Scholarship

4 @ \$750

Applicants must be a child of a member of Mid-Dakota Rural Water System or a resident in one of Mid-Dakota's participating communities.

The applicant must attend a SD post-secondary educational facility and have a GPA of 2.8 or higher. Applications are available in the counselors' office or print on your own from [HERE](#).

Deadline: April 1

Huron Area Chamber & Visitors Bureau Agriculture Committee Scholarship

This scholarship is available to any graduating high school senior who is planning to enroll in post-secondary education at any University or Technical College in South Dakota. All students living in the Huron area are eligible, preference will be given to students majoring in a degree that is specifically related to agriculture.

Applications are available in the counselors' office or print on your own from [HERE](#).

Deadline is: April 1

M-O Federal Credit Union Scholarship

Applicant must have been a member of M-O Federal Credit Union for at least one year with an account in good standing before the closing date of the application.

Applicant must be going to attend an accredited university, college or technical institute.

Applicant must submit a signed letter of reference from within the present school or most recently attended school.

Application to be mailed, or hand delivered to:

M-O Federal Credit Union
Scholarship Committee
1730 Dakota Ave S
Huron, SD 57350.

Applications are available in the counselors' office or print on your own [HERE](#).

Deadline: April 1

General Information

ASVAB sign ups!

Starting Monday, a sign up sheet will be available for those Juniors and Seniors wanting to take the ASVAB.

Test will be: February 28

Apply for Federal Financial Aid NOW:

Each state has their own deadline- contact your college/university for this date.

MAKE SURE YOU HAVE YOUR FSA ID AND YOUR PARENT/GUARDIAN FSA ID!!

**If you need assistance or have questions*

Visit SouthDakota.MappingYourFuture.org

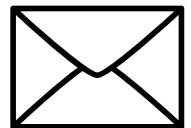
Call 1-800-374-4072

Email: feedback@MappingYourFuture.org

**the Counseling Office cannot help you complete your FAFSA.*

Sit down with your parent(s)/guardian(s) and all your documents and complete the form together.

Unsure of how to mail your scholarship application?
Click the envelope to learn how.



ACT- Test Dates/Registration Deadline:

- April 13- deadline March 8/LATE deadline March 22
- June 8- deadline May 3/LATE deadline May 17
- July 13- deadline June 7/LATE deadline June 21

*HHS CODE: 420-656

Financial Aid-Next Steps

- **Student Aid Index (SAI):**

- When you submit your completed 2024–25 FAFSA form, you'll get an email confirming that Federal Student Aid received your form with preliminary information related to your eligibility for federal student aid. This will include your estimated Student Aid Index (SAI) and estimated eligibility for Federal Pell Grants.
- Federal Student Aid will provide your FAFSA eligibility information to your school(s) and state. Once your school receives your FAFSA information, they will provide you with personalized aid information/award details.
- Federal Student Aid will send you an email when you can access your FAFSA Submission Summary which will provide your official SAI calculation.

- **FAFSA Submission Summary:**

- After your 2024–25 FAFSA form is submitted and processed, you'll receive an email with instructions on how to access an online copy of your FAFSA Submission Summary—an electronic or paper document that summarizes the information you reported on your FAFSA form. It includes your estimated eligibility for a Federal Pell Grant and federal student loans, your Student Aid Index (SAI), and whether you've been selected for verification. The FAFSA Submission Summary replaces the Student Aid Report for the 2024–25 award year.
- If you have a StudentAid.gov account:
 - View your online FAFSA Submission Summary by
 - logging in using your account username and password,
 - navigating to your account Dashboard,
 - selecting your processed FAFSA submission, and
 - selecting "View FAFSA Submission Summary."

- **Information in the FAFSA Submission Summary:**

- At the top of your online FAFSA Submission Summary, under the "Eligibility Overview" tab, you'll see the date your application was received, the date your application was processed, and a four-digit Data Release Number (DRN). You'll need the DRN if you choose to allow the Federal Student Aid Information Center or your college or career school to change certain information on your FAFSA form.
- If your FAFSA form is complete and fully processed, your estimated federal student aid and SAI will display under the "Eligibility Overview" tab of your online FAFSA Submission Summary. If your FAFSA Submission Summary indicates action required, your FAFSA Submission Summary won't include your estimated federal student aid and SAI. Instead, your FAFSA Submission Summary will request information that you must provide before we can determine your eligibility for federal student aid. Your FAFSA Submission Summary may also contain a note indicating that you've been selected for verification. If you've been selected for verification, there will be an asterisk by your SAI. Find out what to do if you've been selected for verification.
- Under the "FAFSA Form Answers" tab, you'll see the answers that you and your contributor(s) provided on your FAFSA form. Federal tax information from the IRS won't display.
- Under the "School Information" tab, you'll see information about the schools that you selected to receive your FAFSA information. You can compare the graduation rate, retention rate, transfer rate, default rate, median debt upon completion, and average annual cost of your selected schools.
- Under the "Next Steps" tab, you'll see any comments that pertain to your FAFSA form. Some comments may require you to start a correction or send additional documentation to the college or career school you plan to attend.

University/Technical College Visit Days

Huron HS Scholarship Database

Scholarships are added and updated constantly. Check this often!

Apprenticeship Opportunities

Forward Thinking

DI, DII, DIII, NAIA Requirements To College or Not To College
Calculating the Cost of Post-Secondary

Valuable Resources & Websites

ACT information Financial Aid Websites University Specific Scholarships
College and Beyond Websites WUE/WICHE Information

Seniors: A Month-by-Month Guide

information from SouthDakota.MappingYourFuture.org.

Advice for Parents

Think About Your Future

Careers What Should I Be Doing? What Comes Next?

FAFSA 101

Errors to avoid FAQ Checklist

Financial Aid- Next Steps

Federal Financial Aid: let's talk DETAILS

Federal Student Loans: Basic Information

Scholarship Tips