

<u>Upcoming Events</u> <u>MTC</u> Admissions Rep: 12/18; @ 12:30 - 1:00

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### **COMING SOON! Opens December 14**

#### Sioux Falls Area Community Foundation Scholarship Opportunities

Last year the SFACF awarded more than \$500,000 in scholarships to students across the state.

Scholarship offerings include both merit-based and need-based awards, and are available to students attending traditional colleges and universities as well as those pursuing technical education.

The scholarship application period is December 15 to March 15. The link to begin an online scholarship application is available HERE

#### **Scholarship Application Deadlines**

- Alert College Scholarship: Essay Contest No deadline; available online or in counseling office
- American Legion Scholarships Deadlines vary
- <u>Athlete of the Month (Vantage Financial Partners)</u> 1st of each month (ONLY APPLY ONCE): available online, to <u>print,</u> or in counselors' office; <u>ONLINE APPLICATION</u> is <u>PREFERRED</u>
- 2025 NRECA Youth Tour -HERE or in counselors' office; Dec 13
- Dakota Corps Scholarship ONLINE; Dec 15
- National DAR American History Video Contest HERE or in counselors' office; Dec 15
- Western Legacy Foundation Scholarship HERE; December 18
- Black Hills Angus HERE or in counselors' office; Jan 10
- South Dakota Association of Environmental Professionals (SDAEP) Scholarship Here or in counseling office: Jan 15
- South Dakota Solid Waste Management Association (SDSWMA) Scholarship HERE or in counseling office; Jan 15
- Washington Crossing Foundation Scholarship HERE or in counseling office; Jan 15
- <u>US JCI Senate Foundation Scholarship: College/University option or Vocational/Industrial option</u> January 17; in Counseling Office or <u>online</u>
- Agtegra Agricultural Scholarship HERE or in counseling office; Jan 17
- SDES Engineering Scholarship HERE or in counseling office; Jan 17
- Dakotaland FCU Scholarship available in counseling office; Jan 17
- Davis-Bachall Scholar Program HERE; Jan 17
- DEC Power Line & Maintenance Scholarship HERE or in counselors; office; Jan 29
- DEC Electrician Scholarship HERE or in counselors' office; Jan 29
- Basin Electric/Dakota Energy Scholarship HERE or in counselors' office; Jan 29
- <u>Dakota Energy Scholarship</u> <u>HERE</u> or in counselors' office; Jan 29
- Leo Crawford Junior Achievement Scholarship HERE or in counselors' office; March 1
- <u>Dacotah Bank Scholarship</u> <u>HERE</u> or in counselors' office; March 3
- Bellator Titans MC Scholarship HERE or in counselors' office; March 26
- SDAPHCC Scholarship HERE or in counseling office; April 1

#### <u>ACT- Test Dates/Registration Deadline:</u>

- February 8- deadline January 3
- April 5- deadline February 28
- June 14- deadline May 9
- July 12- deadline June 6

\*HHS CODE: 420-656



#### **COST**

- w/o "Writing" \$69
- w/ "writing" \$94
- Late Fee- \$38

#### Register at ACT.org

\*If you have FREE/REDUCED lunch you can fill out a waiver and take the test for FREE. If this is an option for you, please come into the counselors' office.

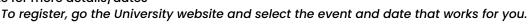
\*It will be helpful to have a copy of your transcript when applying to take the ACT. Come into our office and request a copy of your transcript to help with that process.

- ACT study guides are available at the Huron Public Library
- Free Test Prep at SDMyLife.com
- FREE ACT Practice Test &Resources
- ACT Test Dates (Spanish)
- <u>ACT Test Dates (English)</u>
- JUNIORS who are planning on attending a 4-year college/university-You should be taking your ACT NOW.

#### **Upcoming Campus Visit Dates**

\*more dates and info to come as they become available. Go to the College website you want to visit and find applicable dates/events that fit your schedule

- Northern State University: Northern Bound Day Feb 21
  - o check the website for individual visit days
- University of South Dakota: Coyote Visit Day March 21
  - check the website for individual visit days
- South Dakota State University: Jackrabbit Preview Day Feb 14, 21, 28; March 7, 28; April 4, 11, 25
  - check the website for individual visit days
- Dakota State University: Discover DSU Days- Dec 13; Jan 31; Feb 21; April 12
  - o check the website for individual visit days
- <u>Dakota Wesleyan University</u>: Scholarship Day- Feb 21; Tiger Preview Day March 28;
  - o check the website to schedule an individual or group visit
- Black Hills State University: Yellow Jacket Preview Days- March 21, April 25
  - o check the website for individual visit days
- Augustana University:
  - o check the website to schedule an individual or group visit
- School of Mines & Technology University:
  - check 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- Feb 7; March 7; Career Exploration Events- Dec 18; May 14
  - visit the website for more details/dates
- Lake Area Technical College: Ready, Set, GO! Build Dakota Day January 16, 2025; visit the website for more details/dates
- Mitchell Technical College: Exploration Days- Jan 23; March 26
  - visit the website for more details/dates
- Western Dakota Technical College: Visit Days April 12
  - visit the website for more details/dates







## <u> Valuable Resources & Websites</u>

Test Prep ACT Information Financial Aid Websites
College & Beyond Websites Resume Tips WUE/ WICHE details

# <u>Huron HS Scholarship Database</u>

Scholarships are added and updated constantly. Check often!

# **Scholarship Tips**

## Federal Financial Aid: Let's Talk Details

Financial Aid- What Comes Next

Student Loans-Basic Info

## Forward Thinking

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

# Seniors: Month-by-Month Guide

### **FAFSA 101**

Errors to Avoid FAQ

Checklist

### **Think About Your Future**

Careers

What Should I Be Doing?

What Comes Next?

# **Apprenticeship Opportunities**

South Dakota: 2-year & 4-year College Master List

## **Advice for Parents**

