



## January Scholarship Newsletter

### **Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)**

The 2019-2020 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) opened October 1. Students and families hoping to access federal grants, state grants, and loans must complete the FAFSA.

Students and families looking for the FAFSA can find it here: <https://fafsa.ed.gov/>. Resources, information, and help completing the FAFSA is available at [Federal Student Aid](#), an Office of the U.S. Department of Education.

The Minnesota Office of Higher Education also has a number of resources and publications available about the Financial Aid process. To learn more about Financial Aid, I recommend check out these publications from the [Minnesota Office of Higher Education](#).

- i. [Financial Aid Basics](#)
- ii. [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\) & Mn Dream Act](#)
- iii. [Grants and Scholarships \(Free Money\)](#)

### **Scholarship Search Engines**

Scholarship Search Engines are helpful tools students and families can use to identify local and national scholarships. Students create profiles and Search Engine algorithms identify scholarships that fit these profiles and eligibility criteria.

Below is a list of reputable, commonly-used, Scholarship Search Engines. These Scholarship Search Engines are listed in the Minnesota Office of Higher Education [“Grants and Scholarships \(Free Money\)”](#) publication.

- [CollegeNet](#)
- [CollegeView](#)
- [FastWeb](#)
- [Minnesota Institutional Scholarships](#)

- [Scholarship Experts](#)
- [Scholarships.com](#)



[RaiseMe](#) is a social enterprise focused on expanding access to higher education. Rather than waiting until the end of high school to earn scholarships, which is often too late to impact a student's college ambitions or choices, RaiseMe enables students to earn scholarships throughout high school, starting as early as 9th grade, for doing all the things that best prepare them to succeed, whether that's getting good grades, volunteering in the community or joining an extracurricular.

Students can sign up for RaiseMe at any point in their high school career. Once a profile is created, students can follow colleges and universities of interest and begin seeing how their academic, social, and athletic achievements and activities may translate into scholarship dollars.

### **Scholarships**

**Association for Iron and Steel Technology Scholarships** - January 31, 2019 (Multiple Awards- Award Amounts Vary)

[Midwest Member Chapter Scholarship Opportunities](#)

**Redfin Scholarship** - January 31, 2019 (2 Awards - \$2,500)

[Redfin Scholarship](#)

**The Safe Pedestrians Scholarship** - January 31, 2019 (1 Award - \$1,000)

[Nussbaum Law Group Safe Pedestrians Scholarship](#)

**American Indian Services Scholarship** - February 1, 2019 (Multiple Awards - Award Amounts Vary)

[American Indian Services](#)

**Enterprise Education Foundation Scholarship Program** - February 1, 2019 (1 Award - \$5,000 (Renewable))

[Enterprise Education Foundation](#)

**Institute for Oral Health Scholarship Program** - February 1, 2019 (Multiple Awards - Award Amounts Vary)

[American Dental Hygienists' Association Scholarship Program](#)

**The Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship Program** - February 1, 2019 (Multiple Awards - Award Amounts Vary)

[The Jackie Robinson Foundation](#)

**Society of Manufacturing Engineers Society** - February 1, 2019 (100 Awards - \$1,000)

[Society of Manufacturing Engineers Society Scholarships](#)

**Dr. Michael and Mrs. Kay Wilcox Education Fund Scholarship** - February 10, 2019 (1 Award - \$5,000)

[Wilcox Education Fund Scholarship](#)

**Wallin Education Partners** - February 15, 2019 (Multiple Awards - Award Amounts Vary)

[Wallin Education Partners](#)

**Easy College Money Scholarship** - February 28, 2019 (1 Award - \$1,000)

[Cappex Easy College Money Scholarship](#)

**Center for Cyber Safety and Education Scholarship** - March 1, 2019 (20 Awards - Between \$1,000 and \$5,000)

[Information Security Undergraduate Scholarship](#)

**2019 Student-View Scholarship Program** - April 22, 2019 (13 Awards - Between \$500 and \$4,000)

[Student-View Scholarship Program](#)

**LastPass STEM Scholarship** - April 30, 2019 (1 Award - \$12,000)

[LastPass STEM Scholarship Program](#)

**Abbott & Fenner Business Consultants Scholarship Program** - June 14, 2019 (Multiple Awards - \$1,000)

[Abbott & Fenner Scholarship Program](#)