

Environmental, Conservation & Sustainability Scholarships

If you are trying to save the world by recycling, conserving water, or participating in clean-up days in your community, you have an interest in Environmentalism, Conservation, and/or Sustainability causes. There are quite a few scholarships open to students who care about our planet! Some are for students who have an interest in making a difference, while others are for students who are studying Environmental Science, Sustainability or other related fields. If you have an interest in Environmentalism, Conservation, and Sustainability, these scholarships are for you.

Green Circle Salons – Environmental Beauty Scholarship

Sponsor: Green Circle Salons | Beauty Changes Lives

Amount: \$4,000

Closing Date: November 30, 2023

Description: Scholarship is open to cosmetology and barbering students in the professional beauty industry that leads to licensure. Applicant must create a three-minute YouTube video answering questions related to environmental sustainability.

Semper Solaris Scholarship

Sponsor: Semper Solaris

Amount: Up to \$3,000

Closing Date: November 30, 2023

Description: Scholarship is open to current undergraduate and graduate students with at least a 3.0 GPA. Applicant must submit an essay on the following prompt: “How can solar and renewable energy help local communities?”

Take Care of Texas Video Contest

Sponsor: Take Care of Texas

Amount: Up to \$2,500

Closing Date: December 1, 2023

Description: Scholarship is open to Texas high school students in grades 9 through 12. Applicant must submit a video that portrays positive ways Texas can help keep our air clean, keep our water clean, conserve water, save energy, or reduce waste. Note: Students in grades 6-8 can apply, but their prize will be a gift card for camera equipment.

Women’s Wildlife Management Conservation Scholarship

Sponsor: National Rifle Association (NRA)

Amount: \$5,000

Closing Date: December 15, 2023

Description: Scholarship is open to female undergraduate students (sophomores, juniors and seniors) who are studying in a recognized conservation or environmental-related degree program (i.e. habitat restoration, wildlife biology, conservation).

Clean Energy Experts Scholarship

Sponsor: Clean Energy Experts

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: December 20, 2023

Description: Scholarship is open to current undergraduate and graduate students who are studying Environmental Science or a related field.

[Apprentice Ecologist Initiative Youth Scholarship Program](#)

Sponsor: Nicodemus Wilderness Project

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: December 31, 2023

Description: Scholarships are open to students between the ages of 13 and 21 who are candidates for a degree/diploma at a primary (middle school), secondary (high school), or accredited post-secondary educational institution from any country around the world. Applicant must conduct their own environmental stewardship project in 2023.

[NEWH Green Voice Design Competition](#)

Sponsor: NEWH – The Hospitality Industry Network

Amount: \$7,500

Closing Date: January 8, 2023

Description: Contest is open to undergraduate and graduate Hospitality Interior Design or Architecture students who are junior level or above. Applicant must have at least \$7,500 in current/upcoming debt through college for tuition and program approved books/supplies. Applicant must showcase their design skills while utilizing the very best in sustainable design products and practices.

[BLSTF Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Boyd Lyon Sea Turtle Fund

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: January 15, 2024

Description: Scholarship is open to undergraduate and graduate students in the U.S. and internationally who can clearly demonstrate interest in enhancing our understanding of sea turtle behavior and conservation, habitat needs, abundance, spatial and temporal issues.

[Flavorful Futures – Go Green Scholars](#)

Sponsor: Talking Rain

Amount: \$5,000

Closing Date: January 31, 2024

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors who have at least a 2.5 GPA. Applicant must intend to pursue a degree related to environmental studies.

[Stossel in the Classroom Essay Contest](#)

Sponsor: Stossel in the Classroom

Amount: Up to \$2,500

Closing Date: March 22, 2024

Description: Contest is open to writers aged 10-18 (grades 5-12). Applicant must submit an essay on one of four given topics: Housing storage, concert tours, presidential campaign priorities, or the U.S. energy policy.

[Stossel in the Classroom Video Contest](#)

Sponsor: Stossel in the Classroom Video Contest

Amount: Up to \$2,500

Closing Date: March 22, 2024

Description: Contest is open to filmmakers aged 10-23. Applicant must create a 1-3 minute video one of four given topics: Housing storage, concert tours, presidential campaign priorities, or the U.S. energy policy.

E-waste Scholarship

Sponsor: Digital Responsibility

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: April 30, 2024

Description: Scholarship is open to high school students and current or entering college or graduate students at any level. Applicant must answer in 140-characters or less “the most important reason to care about e-waste is...”

Semper Solaris Scholarship – Graduating High School Seniors

Sponsor: Semper Solaris

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: May 31, 2024

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors with at least a 3.0 GPA. Applicant must submit an essay on the following prompt: “How do you see Solar Power changing our country in the future?”

Young Filmmakers Contest

Sponsor: One Earth Film Festival

Amount: Up to \$1,000

Closing Date: June 25, 2024

Description: Contest is open to students in grades 3 through college (ages 8 and up) from the United States. Student must create a film on one of many given topics (climate, energy, food, transportation, waste, water, Wildlife and Ecosystems) related to the Earth.