Poetry Scholarships

Do you enjoy poetry? There is a growing list of scholarships and contests for students who enjoy poetry. All you have to do is submit your own poems. Some have specific requirements while others allow you to submit your favorite piece of original poetry.

Art & Design Scholarship

Sponsor: PortraitFlip

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: November 30, 2023

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors who have been accepted in a college, university, trade school, or design school for one of the following disciplines: Arts (Fine Arts, Music, Performing Arts, Visual Arts, Digital Art, Camerawork, Cinematography, Graphic Design), Languages (Linguistics, Literature, Semantics), or Cultural Studies (Sociology, Cultural Philosophy, History, Psychology, Gender Studies, or Law). Applicant must submit their favorite and best pieces of art (painting, photograph, statue, son, animation, video, film, illustration, story, poem, or any other type of art).

Text Free for Tita Bi-Annual Scholarship

Sponsor: Patterson Law Group

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: December 15, 2023

Description: Scholarship is open to Texas full-time students, entering or attending an accredited university or law school in the United States with at least a 3.0 GPA. Applicant must submit a video, short writing (three paragraphs or less) or poem, or photo or graphic on a subject related to reducing the number of truck accidents due to distracted driving in Texas.

Penguin Random House Creative Writing Awards

Sponsor: Penguin Random House | We Need Diverse Books

Amount: \$10,000

Closing Date: January 16, 2024

Description: Scholarship is open to current high school seniors at public high schools in the United States. Applicant must submit one original literary composition in English in one of the following genres of poetry, spoken word, fiction/drama, personal essay/memoir, or book bans prompt. Only the first 1000 applications will be accepted.