Immigrant/Refugee/Internationally Born Scholarship Resources

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25 Great Scholarships for Immigrants and First Generation Americans
- Read through this list compiled by Top 10 Online Colleges to see if any of these scholarships apply to you. If so, go to the provided website for each scholarship to make sure the information is up-to-date and accurate.

National Immigration Law Center Access to Postsecondary Education Toolkit
- [https://www.nilc.org/issues/education/estimates-of-eligible-students/aid-scholarships-groups/](https://www.nilc.org/issues/education/estimates-of-eligible-students/aid-scholarships-groups/)
- An up-to-date resource list of scholarship, financial aid, advocacy, and student groups

Scholarships.com Ethnicity Scholarships
- Are you a foreign born student? Look for scholarships that offer aid to students from your birth country and/or ethnicity!

NAFSA Financial Aid for International Students
- [http://www.nafsa.org/About_Us/About_International_Education/For_Students/Financial_Aid_for_Undergraduate_International_Students/](http://www.nafsa.org/About_Us/About_International_Education/For_Students/Financial_Aid_for_Undergraduate_International_Students/)
- Learn more about receiving financial aid, managing your college costs, and finding more resources as a foreign born student

Federal Student Aid for Non-US Citizens
- Even if you are not a full US citizen yet, you might still qualify for Federal Student Aid! Use this guide to see what you are eligible for.

Minority Students
Scholarships.com’s Minority Scholarships
- Find scholarships for African American, Hispanic and Latinx, American Indian/Native American, and Asian/Pacific Islander students
- Find scholarships from organizations and companies with a more specialized focus, such as African American women and mothers, those going into STEM fields, women of Italian descent, etc
101 Scholarships for Minority Students (curated by University of North Carolina)
  • http://diversity.unc.edu/resources/new-students/awards/101-scholarships/
  • Search a huge list of scholarships for minority students and find those that fit your situation best!

NEED: Local Pittsburgh
  • http://www.needid.org/
  • Focuses on local African American student funding options

HBCU Lifestyle HBCU Scholarships:
  • http://hbculifestyle.com/101-minority-scholarships/
  • Search for scholarships from historically black colleges and universities under specific categories like STEM, disability, and need-based

Community for Accredited Online Schools: Scholarships & Financial Aid for Minority Students
  • http://www.accreditedschooolonline.org/resources/college-scholarships-for-minority-students/
  • Use this toolkit to walk through the scholarship-seeking process and learn about other funding sources like grants and fellowships

Scholarships.com Minority Scholarships
  • https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-type/Minority-Scholarships/
  • Browse through an extensive list of scholarships for minority students. Find one (or a few) that are a perfect fit for you!

Undocumented Students

  • http://paimmigrant.org/sites/default/files/2016%20Tuition%20Equity%20Student%20Toolkit.pdf
  • Info about where to find scholarships and how to navigate Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA)
  • PA college profiles and their policies on undocumented students
  • Profiles of supportive organizations by PA county
  • General education resources for immigrants and undocumented students

  • https://www2.ed.gov/about/overview/focus/supporting-undocumented-youth.pdf

Golden Doors Scholars:
  • http://www.goldendoorscholars.org/
  • Scholarships for DACA students

Big Future: For Undocumented Students
  • https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/get-started/for-undocumented-students

Best College’s Financial Aid Opportunities for Minority Students
  • http://www.bestcolleges.com/financial-aid/minority-students/
  • Find scholarship opportunities for minority, immigrant, and undocumented students

FAFSA Frequently Asked Questions for Undocumented Students