CHANDLER HIGH AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIPS

**Deadline to submit applications to Ms. Anderson in the CHS Career Center:**

**Wednesday, March 4th, 2020 at 2:30 p.m.**

An application must be completed for each scholarship the student is applying for.

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

**1. Marilyn Emanuel Memorial Scholarship (1)** Established in memory of Mrs. Marilyn Emanuel, a longtime Chandler resident and elementary school teacher at Knox Elementary. One award of $500.

* Pursuing a career in elementary education
* Minimum GPA of 2.5
* Must be attending Northern Arizona University

**2. Anna Marie & Peyton C. Jacobson Memorial Scholarship (1)**

This scholarship was established by friends and family of Anna Marie and Peyton C. Jacobson, long time Chandler residents and community leaders. Mrs. Jacobson was a member and former President of the CUSD Governing Board. One (1) award of $500.

* Minimum 3.5 GPA
* Extra-curricular activities
* Community service

**3. \*\* Lillian Landis Memorial Scholarship (1)** Established by family and friends of Lillian Landis, a longtime Chandler resident. She was a single parent who strongly believed in family values and education. One award of $500.

* Student has succeeded in spite of obstacles and difficulties
* Essay must be submitted on “My goals in life and why additional education is necessary to achieve them”, and “Why a college education at (specific school) will make a difference in my life.”

**5.\* James T. Perry Scholarship (1)** Established in 1991 to honor retiring superintendent of Chandler Unified School District. One award of $500.

* Academic achievement
* Leadership qualities
* Community service
* Financial need

**6. \*\*\* Howard K. Conley Scholarship (1)** The Dr. Howard K. Conley Scholarship was started in June, 1996 upon his retirement from the school district. A reception was given in his honor and attendees were made aware of the scholarship and it was funded by family, friends and associates. It has been supported the last 20 years through the generosity of close friends who see the added value to a Chandler graduate. One (1) award of $1,000.

* Minimum GPA of 2.0
* Pursuit of a two to four- year college or vocational program
* Financial need
* Applicant must complete an essay addressing the following topics / question:
  + My goals in life and why additional education is necessary to achieve them
  + Why a college education at (specify school) will make a difference in my life.

**7. \* Kent Michael Drake Memorial Scholarship (1)** Established to honor his memory by helping other student athletes to attend college and achieve their educational and professional goals. Kent attended Chandler schools throughout his life, graduating from Chandler High School in 1992. He enjoyed sports of all kinds, participating at various stages of his life in soccer, baseball, basketball, tennis and golf. This scholarship was created for young men or women to fulfill their dreams similar to his to work with and help to educate young people and to encourage them to participate in and enjoy athletics as much as he did. One award of $1,000.

* Participation in extra-curricular activities (athletics)
* Financial need
* Pursuing a career in elementary or secondary education (preferred but not required)

**12. Andersen Elementary PTO Scholarship (1)** Established by the Andersen Elementary PTO. Consideration will be given to students who were enrolled at Andersen Elementary for a minimum of two academic years and who perform at least 10 hours of community service at Andersen Elementary. One award of $500.

* Attended Andersen Elementary for a minimum of two academic years
* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* One letter of recommendation from an Andersen Elementary teacher
* One letter of recommendation from a high school teacher
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Displays good citizenship / respectful behavior
* Preference given to student who performs 10 hours of community service at Andersen Elementary

**13. \*\*\* Cathy L. McCabe Memorial Scholarship (1)** Established by family, friends and co-workers of Cathy L. McCabe. Cathy Lynn McCabe was a teacher, artist and principal of Knox Elementary School. One award of $500 to be awarded upon entrance to a college of education in student’s junior year.

* Minimum GPA of 3.5
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Leadership qualities
* Financial need
* Pursuing a degree in Teaching
* Essay on reasons for becoming a teacher, qualities brought to the field and contributions expected.

**14. \* Vena Thomas Memorial (1)** Established by friends of Vena Thomas who was a teacher for CUSD for 27 years at Denver Elementary (now San Marcos Elementary) as a kindergarten teacher. Vena had a special place in her heart for the littlest students and a special admiration for those that taught them. One award of $1,000.

* Pursuing a degree in Elementary Education
* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Community service
* Financial need

**15. \* The Desper Family Scholarship for Women in Education and Sports (1)** Established by friends and family to recognize and honor Michael Desper. Michael was a woman’s athletic coach and educator in the Chandler Unified School District. The scholarship was created to promote female athletes to enter the education field and coaching. One award of $500 is made on the basis of:

* Academic achievement and honors
* Financial need
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Athletic achievements and honors
* Pursuing a career in Education / Coaching

**16. Herbert Family Scholarship (1)** All six Herbert children were raised in CUSD schools, *w*ith at least one sibling graduating from CHS, HHS, BHS, and PHS.  All credit the education they received from CUSD as providing a solid foundation for their post-secondary academic pursuits.  One award of $2,500 will be awarded to a graduating senior who comes from a large family (four or more siblings) and who has achieved a 3.25 or higher GPA.  One (1) award of $2,500

* Applicant must come from a large family (four or more siblings)
* Minimum GPA of 3.25
* Applicant must write an essay of approximately 250 words:
  + Introduce your family and explain how being a member of a large family impacts your ability to pursue your academic goals.

**17. \* Solera Ladies Club Scholarship (4)** Established by members of the Solera Ladies Club to provide financial assistance to four (4) qualified female seniors attending any of the Chandler public high schools who wish to pursue higher education at an accredited **college, university, community college** or **vocational school.** Scholarship award monies of $1,000 will be made payable to the college, university, community college or trade school for the first semester of study. This scholarship is eligible to be renewed for an additional $1,000 for a 2nd semester if a 2.5 GPA and minimum of 12 credit hours are maintained. This information and request for payment must be provided directly to the Solera Ladies Club. Four (4) awards of $1,000 each with eligibility for an additional four awards at $1,000 each for the 2nd semester.

* US Citizenship
* Financial need,
* Minimum GPA of 2.5
* Achievements and awards
* Community involvement
* Work experience, volunteerism and school activities

**19. \*\* William Stanton Scholarship (1)** Established to honor retired elementary school teacher William Stanton, who taught at Knox Elementary from 1981 to 2005. One award of $1,000.

* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Community service – provide documentation showing an ongoing history of community service and extra-curricular activities
* Pursuing Social Sciences as a field of study, e.g., (Education, History, Economics, Political Science, Pre-Law, etc.)
* Include a 250 word typed essay (Times New Roman, 12 pt. font) discussing the importance of Social Sciences.

**21. Haley Knutsen Memorial Scholarship (5)** Established by the family and friends of Haley Knutsen. Haley was a wonderful child who battled leukemia for eight years. She was a good daughter, friend, and sister to all who knew her. She possessed character beyond her years, in the caring she showed for others. Haley will remain in our hearts forever. One award of $500 will be given to a student from CCHS, CHS, BHS, HHS/ACP, and PHS.

* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* 100 hours of community service
* Leadership qualities / character
* Special consideration will be given to a student who as overcome a serious obstacle, for instance, a childhood cancer survivor or a student that has endured some type of disability.

**22. \*\*\* Ashley Lauren Mitchell Scholarship (1)** Established by the friends and family of Ashley Lauren Mitchell. Imagine seeing someone so dedicated and talented that it inspired you to pursue your dreams; this someone is just the person that Ashley was. From the tender age of three she pursued her passion for dance and developed many opportunities based on her strive for excellence. Tragically on March 15, 2004 Ashley’s dreams were cut short at the young age of 16, but her spirit lives on continuing to influence the lives of others each and every day. One award of $500 will be given to a student from CHS or HHS.

* 500-750 word essay incorporating:
  1. Your definition of excellence and how it applies to you and your goals.
  2. Why you feel that you deserve this scholarship to achieve success in your field of study
  3. How do you plan on pursuing your dreams?
* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* Pursuing a field of study in the Performing Arts
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Community services (min. 25 hours)
* Leadership qualities
* Financial need

**24. \* Larry & Kay Lyman Scholarship (1)** Established by the families of Larry and Kay Lyman to honor their years of service with CUSD. Through their active involvement with CHS students, they wanted to assist one student from CHS each year to fulfill their college dreams! Recipient must plan to attend a Maricopa Community College and complete at least 9 credit hours per semester. This scholarship awards the recipient up to $3,000 over two years (renewable after one year if a 3.0 GPA is maintained and the recipient has completed at least 18 credit hours total in the first year). Each year the award amount is $1,500.

* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* Financial need
* Plans to attend a Maricopa Community college
* Renewal based on maintaining minimum of 3.0 college GPA and completion of 9 credit hours per semester

**27. \* Dr. Paul Ritz Leadership Scholarship (1)** The Dr. Paul Ritz Leadership Scholarship was established in honor of Dr. Paul Ritz who served as Principal of Frye Elementary for 25 years. Dr. Ritz was a true leader, positive role model, and advocate for all the students that came through the doors. The scholarship is awarded to a student who attended Frye Elementary and is taking the next step in bettering themselves through education. In honor of him the staff and students of Frye Elementary continue to support and encourage students. One award of $500.

* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* Community service
* Leadership qualities
* Financial need
* Attended Frye Elementary for a minimum of one year.

**29. \*\* Al & Jean Howell Track & Field Scholarship (1)** Al Howell was the head track and field coach for Chandler High School from 1963 to 1973. He served Chandler High School as its Director of Athletics from 1965 to 1975. From 1976 to 1988 he was the District Director of Athletics for CUSD. During his track and field coaching years he led Chandler’s boy track and field teams to the state championship in 1972, and a state runner-up finish in 1973. Coach was a renowned pole vault coach and the vaulters he coached broke the AZ state high school record and held it for many years during his coaching tenure. This scholarship is being established to recognize Al Howell’s memory as the head track and field coach at Chandler and his years as the director of Athletics for Chandler High School and CUSD. He passed away at age of 81 on April 27, 2010. One award of $500.

* Female or male student
* Minimum GPA of 2.0 (on a 4.0 scale)
* Participation in the high school track and field program for at least two years
* Student must include a brief statement from a track & field coach at their school that summarizes their efforts within the team
* Student must plan to attend a post high school educational institution
* Submit an essay of not more than 500 words titles, “How my participation in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ high school’s track and field team enhanced my high school education.

**30. \*AAUW Scholarship - SE Valley Branch (2)** The American Association of University Women was founded in 1881 by 17 like-minded women who defied society’s standards by earning college degrees. The founding members envisioned an organization in which women college graduates could band together to open doors of higher education to other women. Today, the AAUW is comprised of more than 100,000 throughout the country whose mission is to advance equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy and research. In keeping with the national vision of educating women, in 2010 the AAUW Southeast Valley Branch, Sun Lakes, Arizona elected to establish, and began funding a local scholarship for senior girls attending CUSD high schools. Two awards of at least $1,000 to two female students.

* Minimum GPA of 2.5
* Planning to attend an in-state community college or university
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Community service
* Leadership qualities
* Financial need
* The recipients must remain in contact with the AAUW Organization for invitations to future events

**34. \*\*\* Virginia E. Cardenas Memorial Scholarship (1)** Virginia Cardenas always remembered her Mexican roots and spent her career working with recent immigrants, first at CHS and later at ASU as the eighth grade advisor in the Hispanic Mother Daughter Program. This scholarship is meant to continue her passion and dedication to higher education as a pathway for future success for both male and female Hispanic students. One award of $3,500 made payable to the recipient’s college or university.

* Minimum grade of a B
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Community service
* Financial need
* Please complete a 500-word essay (Times New Roman 12 pt. font) discussing your Hispanic heritage and addressing your future plans for higher education.

**35. \*\*\* Brian D. Pinney Memorial Scholarship (2)** The Brian D. Pinney Memorial Scholarship was established by his family and friends in his honor. All of Brian’s children graduated from Chandler High. Brian was a great conservationist and a successful entrepreneur as well as a generous man who believed that being kind, fair, and helping people would always result in positive outcomes. Two (2) awards of $2,500.

* Minimum GPA of 2.5
* Financial need
* Community service - please provide a list of where service was performed, no signatures required
* Ideal candidate will want to pursue a career in carpentry, business or conservation, but not required.
* Essay required (400 words or less – 12 pt. font) on the following question: Are you a kind, fair and thoughtful person? Tell us an example of when you have exhibited this.

**37. \* Sue Vant Hof Physical Education Scholarship: (1)** This scholarship was established in 2013 by the friends and family of Sue Vant Hof. Sue was a well-loved physical education teacher who made going to PE a favorite part of her students’ day. Her ability to inspire and challenge them to be physically fit and life-long contributing members of society are legacies this scholarship is meant to perpetuate. One award of $1,000.

* Applicant must be pursuing a career in the education and/or coaching field
* Community service
* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* Academic achievement and honors
* Participation in extra-curricular activities - athletics
* Leadership qualities
* Financial need

**39. \*\* Fulton Elementary PTO & Student Council Scholarship (1)** Established in 2014, with the support of the Fulton Elementary PTO and Student Council. Criteria listed below in order of importance. One award of $500.

* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* Must have attended Fulton Elementary for a minimum of one academic year
* Must have performed community service of a minimum of ten hours (preference will be given to applicants whose community service is conducted at Fulton Elementary School)
* Applicants must submit a 100-word essay or less (Times New Roman, 12 pt. font) reflecting on the impact that Fulton Elementary School had on you.
* Participation in extra-curricular activities and/or work experience
* Academic honors and achievement
* Leadership qualities
* Displays good citizenship / respectful behavior
* Minimum of one letter of recommendation from a high school teacher or community leader.

**40.\* Dr. Howard K. Conley Elementary School PTO Scholarship (2)** This scholarship is funded by the Conley Elementary School PTO. It is dedicated to the positive impact that Howard K. Conley had on the Chandler Unified School District and the Chandler community. Two (2) awards of $500 will be made to a male and female student. Criteria listed below in order of importance.

* Applicant must have attended Conley Elementary School for a minimum of four (4) years
* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* Academic achievement and honors
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Community service
* Leadership qualities
* Financial need

**42. \*\*CTA Liberty Scholarship (1)** Established by the CTA Liberty Elementary Site Council and supported by the CTA Liberty PTO. Applicants must have attended CTA Liberty Elementary for a minimum of three (3) academic years, including 6th grade, and performed a minim of 10 hours of community service at CTA Liberty Elementary. One (1) award of $500.

* Community service – minimum of 10 hours at CTA Liberty, and a minimum of 10 additional hours elsewhere
* Applicants must submit a 100 word or less essay reflecting on the impact that CTA Liberty had on them
* Participation in extra-curricular activities / work experience
* Minimum GPA of 3.0.

**46. \* Maud Perry Daly Memorial Scholarship (1)** Established by family and former students of Maud Perry Daly in appreciation for the impact she made on the lives of so many grateful CHS students. She was a longtime Chandler resident, a dedicated teacher at CHS for 21 years, and Chairman of the English Committee after receiving her MA in 1943. One award of $500. This scholarship can be renewed for a 2nd year if a 3.0 GPA is maintained.

* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* Planning on attending and in-state college or university
* Financial need
* Participation in extra-curricular activities / work experience
* Community service
* Academic achievement and honors

**47.\*Hartford Sylvia Encinas Elementary School Scholarship (1)** Newly established in the fall of 2015, this scholarship has been created to honor Sylvia Encinas, long-time volunteer, beloved community member, and dedicated employee of our school.  It has been funded with the support of the Hartford Elementary PTO and Student Council, as well as through fundraising efforts on the part of teachers and students. Sylvia Encinas was dedicated to helping people through her generosity, spirit, passion and energy. Even during her youth in Tucson, a radio station featured her every Saturday on the air, asking for donations of food and medical supplies for community members in need. These experiences formed the roots of her lifelong commitment to service, which eventually extended to joining the Hartford Elementary School community as a parent volunteer and extending to 26 years working at Hartford.   One award of $500.00

* Minimum GPA of 2.5
* Must have attended Hartford Sylvia Encinas Elementary School for a minim of two academic years in 4th, 5th or 6th grades
* Must have performed community service of a minimum of ten hours (preference will be given to applicants whose community service is conducted at Hartford Sylvia Encinas Elementary School)
* Applicants must submit a 250 or less word essay in which he or she:
  + Reflects on the impact that Hartford Sylvia Encinas Elementary School had on him or her; describe his or her participation in extra-curricular activities or work experience; and describes his or her leadership qualities.
* Academic honors and achievement (please provide documentation)

**49. \*\*\* Chandler Rotary Scholarship (8)** The Chandler Rotary Club Scholarship was established in 2016 to recognize those students who’ve demonstrated strong community service and leadership qualities which exemplify the rotary motto, “Service above Self.” Four scholarships will be awarded to students attending a university and four will be awarded to students attending a community college or vocational program after graduation. Eight (8) awards of $1,000.

* Minimum GPA of 2.75
* Minimum 100 hours of community service
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Leadership qualities
* Financial need
* Applicant must also include a short paragraph or two describing the community service work performed.  (Times New Roman, 12 pt. font)

1. **\*\*\* Hettmansperger Family Scholarship (1)** This scholarship was established in 2016 by Phil Hettmansperger to honor the memory of his wife Stephanie. As a 4th grade teacher for 33 years, Stephanie effectively prepared her students for future success. One (1) scholarship will be awarded in the amount of $2,000 ($1,000 per semester).

* Minimum GPA of 3.8
* Applicant must have completed
  + AP American History with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam
  + Complete at least one of the following:
    - AP Calculus AB or BC with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
    - AP Microeconomics and Macroeconomics with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on both AP Exams.
    - AP Biology with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
    - AP Chemistry with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
    - AP Physics with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
    - AP Statistics with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
    - AP English Language and Composition with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
    - AP English Literature and Composition with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
    - AP Psychology with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
    - AP US/AZ Government and Constitution
    - AP Comparative Government and Politics with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
    - AP Spanish Language and Culture with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
    - AP Chinese Language and Culture with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
    - AP German Language and Culture with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
    - AP French Language and Culture with a B or better and earn a 3 or better on the AP Exam.
* Participate in at least one extracurricular activity each year of high school. The candidate will include a list of the activity or activities they participated in each year and a brief description about their level of participation and what they learned from the experience(s). The candidate will also submit a letter of recommendation for each activity listed and hours served.
* Participate in at least one public service activity each year of high school. The candidate will include a list of the service activity or activities and approximate hours served for each year and a brief description about the impact of their service to the community. The candidate will also submit a letter of recommendation for each activity listed and hours served
* Financial need.

1. **\*\*Neil Patel Memorial Scholarship (1)** Neil Ramesh Patel, 39, died on January 15, 2016, in a tragic accident near his home in Chandler, AZ.  Neil was a proud, first generation American born son of Asian Indian immigrants. In his younger years, he worked multiple jobs in order to obtain his degree in Finance and Accounting from ASU and go on to pursue his American dreams. Neil’s parents immigrated to the US just before he was born and though he and his family struggled financially, he remained vigilant to work tirelessly for everything he would later earn and accomplish. Even after accomplishing so much in his short life, including becoming a manager for a global 500 company, Neil continued to give tirelessly of himself to his community, family, friends and even total strangers.

Neil was a dedicated athlete (weight lifter and runner), a lover of sports (because of the character and competition derived from them), a talented chef, animal lover and a dedicated son, brother, father and husband. He always wore a warm smile and carried a genuine friendly demeanor. He demonstrated an interest in each person, as well as their family, dreams and pursuits. He was a leader among men who effortlessly and continuously led by example.

As CS Lewis believed, “hardships prepare ordinary people for extraordinary destiny” – Neil’s family would like to ensure part of his legacy is helping a young student fulfil such destiny. Therefore, the goal of this award is to grant scholarship funding to a first-generation U.S. student who will be pursuing studies in finance, accounting, and/or business. The recipient will be one of high ideals and character who exemplifies Neil’s attributes; integrity, selflessness, discipline, tenacity and self-sacrificing love. One (1) award of $1,500.

* Eligible applicants must be first-generation U.S. citizens or immigrants
* GPA of 3.0 or greater
* Please submit a 500-word essay (Times New Roman, 12 pt. font) explaining how you’ve overcome adversity
* Demonstrated ability of helping others, community service and/or demonstrated excellence in leadership.

1. **Bogle Family Scholarships (6)** Established by friends and family of Jackson and Barbara Bogle. Six scholarships in the amount of $1000 each are awarded to three male seniors and three female seniors (one male and female at CHS, HHS, and BHS).

* Academic achievement and honors
* Extra-curricular activities
* Community service
* Strong leadership qualities

**58. Santan Elementary – Michael & Phyllis O’Dell Scholarship (1)** This scholarship was established in 2014 by the Santan Elementary PTO to honor Michael & Phyllis O’Dell. The O’Dells have been volunteers and PTO board members for over nine years. This scholarship is dedicated to their service and dedication to supporting the students of Santan Elementary. One (1) award of $500.

* Applicant must have attended Santan Elementary School for a minimum of two (2) years
* Community service – minimum of 50 hours

**60. Humphrey Elementary PTO & Student Council Scholarship (1) E**stablished by the Humphrey Elementary PTO and Student Council. Consideration will be given to students who were enrolled at Humphrey Elementary for a minimum of two academic years and who perform at least 10 hours of community service at Humphrey Elementary. One award of $500.

* Attended Humphrey Elementary for a minimum of two academic years
* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* One letter of recommendation from a Humphrey Elementary teacher
* One letter of recommendation from a high school teacher
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Displays good citizenship / respectful behavior
* Preference given to student who performs 10 hours of community service at Humphrey Elementary

**62. \*\*\* Chandler Historical Society Scholarship (5)** The Chandler Historical Society is interested in providing scholarship assistance to students whose financial circumstances limit their ability to attend a four-year institution and therefore plan to attend a Maricopa County Community College. Five (5) awards of $1,000.

* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* Financial Need
* Must be attending a Maricopa County Community College.
* Both letters of recommendation must be from teachers representing separate fields of study
* Applicants must submit a 300-word essay (Times New Roman, 12 pt. font) describing the particular circumstances the applicant feels qualify them for need based assistance. Essay should include their thoughts on the importance of this form of community financial support for academic endeavor.

**63. \*\* Jacobson Elementary PTO Scholarship (1)** The Jacobson Elementary PTO Scholarship, established in 2017, is funded by the Jacobson PTO through the fundraising efforts of Jacobson teachers, parents and students for the purpose of supporting a lifetime of learning for former Jacobson Elementary students. One award of $500.

* Minimum GPA of 2.5
* Academic achievement and honors
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Minimum of 10 hours of community service (preference given to students that conduct service at Jacobson
* Leadership qualities
* Attended Jacobson Elementary for a minimum of three academic years
* Applicants must submit a 100 word or less essay (Times New Roman, 12 pt. font) reflecting on the impact Jacobson Elementary had on you.

**64. \*\* Narducci Family Scholarship: (1)** For generations, the Narducci Family has been, and continues to be a strong believer in a quality college education. Therefore, this scholarship places value on the applicant’s determination and grit. – In fitting with a family adage, “It’s the end result that counts.” The successful applicant will have formed a plan to successfully enter and complete his/her college education. The scholarship will be awarded to a high-achieving CUSD senior who has demonstrated outstanding grades, commitment to community service, and a passion for learning**. Qualifying applicants have attended CUSD schools from Kindergarten through 12th grade.** One (1) award of $3,000 made payable to the ASU, U of A, or NAU.

* Minimum GPA of 3.8
* Academic achievement and honors
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Attended CUSD schools from Kindergarten through 12th grade
* Community service
* Leadership qualities
* Applicant must plan on attending either ASU, U of A, or NAU
* Applicant must be pursuing a major of study resulting in a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree
* Applicant must submit a 200 word essay on the following topic:
  + What / who has been a motivating factor in pursuing and intended completion of your college education and what the impact of this study will have on your live and/or the lives of others. In addition, please provide a brief description of each of the criteria listed above.

**65. \*\* Mrs. K. Scholarship (1)** Established by Mrs. Kolanowski who was employed by CUSD as a paraprofessional 2010 – 2018. She strongly believes in family values and education as a path to success in life. Priority applicants will be to those students who are currently, or have previously attended Hill Learning Academy. (Please provide verification of your enrollment at HLA). One award of $500.

* Minimum GPA of 2.5
* Pursuing STEM in college
* Student has succeeded in spite of obstacles and difficulties
* First-generation student to receive a post-high school education
* Please provide verification of your enrollment time at HLA if you are not a current student
* Applicant must submit a 250 typed word essay (Times New Roman, 12 pt. font) on the following topic:
  + Essay must be submitted on the “3R’s” of teaching – reading, writing and ‘rthmetic and address the “3R’s” in education – respect, responsibility and relationships.

**66. \*\*\* Don Minor Cross Country Scholarship (1)** This scholarship was established by the CHS Cross Country Team and grandchildren of Don Minor in 2017. Don Minor started coaching and teaching in Chandler in 1959. He coached multiple sports, including CHS Cross Country from the late 1970s through the late 1980s. He always went out of his way to provide for his students and athletes, often paying for supplies out of his own pocket. Continuing education was important to Don and he always encouraged his students to continue on after high school. At least one (1) $500 scholarship will be awarded to the student(s) that best exemplifies the following criteria:

* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* Leadership qualities
* Financial need
* Cross country participation for a minimum of two years (one year while a senior)
* Preference given to applicants continuing with cross county in college
* Applicant must submit an essay (Times New Roman 12 pt. font, 250 words maximum) describing how your participation in the CHS Cross Country Team has contributed to your growth as a person and athlete. Include comments on how that growth will assist you in your personal and professional future.

**67. \* Tom Hymer Scholarship (1)** Established in 2018, Tom Hymer was a former teacher in Chandler, Indianapolis and Marion, Indiana. He began his career teaching children that were mentally challenged, then physically challenged and retired after teaching elementary education, primarily 5th grade in Chandler. He loved teaching. One (1) award of $1,000.

* Minimum GPA of 3.0
* Community service
* Leadership qualities
* Applicant should be pursuing Elementary Education as a field of study.
* Preference given to applications pursuing Special Education

**Science & Technology Scholarship on 34th Street (1)** This scholarship is intended to support an academically successful high school graduate pursuing a technical / scientific college or university curriculum. Their high school background should have demonstrated technical learning (science and math), creative / extracurricular endeavors and community services. One (1) award of $1,000

* Minimum GPA of 3.5
* Academic achievement and honors
* Participation in extra-curricular activities
* Community service
* Pursuing a field of study of Science, Technology and/or Engineering

**69. Excellence in Debate Scholarship (3)** This scholarship was established in 2017 to recognize students participating in the Speech and Debate teams at their schools. Three (3) awards ranging from $500 - $2,000.

* Participated in the Winter Trophy Tournament 2019
* Participated in the 2019 Harvard or Berkeley Tournament – Joy of Tournaments
* Please answer the following question: In the 2019 Harvard or Berkeley Tournament, what events did you participate in and how did you place?
* Please write a two-page essay on the following topic: What are the biggest challenges facing CUSD high school students today (from an academic standpoint) and what can be done to address these challenges to improve academic excellence?
* Awards will be given to the top three applicants in this order:
  + 1st place - $2,000
  + 2nd place - $1,000
  + 3rd place - $500

**70. Daniel J. Neville Memorial Scholarship (1)** Established in honor of Daniel Neville, husband of Lorah Neville, the former Director of Instruction for CUSD. He himself was an instructor for the Kyrene School District and together they have improved the lives of those around them. One award of $500.

* Pursuit of music as a field of study in college
* Community service
* Leadership qualities / activities

**71. Islands Women’s Club Scholarship (2)** The Island Women’s Club Scholarships are for graduating female high school seniors from Chandler High School. These scholarships are intended for young women who may have been limited in pursuing the traditional measures of high school success, grades and volunteerism, due to special circumstances or a necessity to work. Successful applicants will have a career goal requiring a 1-2 year Associates Degree or a Vocational Certificate. Financial need, work history, personal history, GPA, career goals and community service will be taken into consideration. Scholarship awards will be made payable to the school directly. Minimum one (1) award of $1,000.

* Minimum GPA of 2.5 and regular attendance of classes
* Community service
* Financial need
* Planning on attending a community college, vocational or technical school
* Please write a one-page essay (500 words or less, Times New Roman, 12 pt. font) on the following topic: Explain why you are in need of this scholarship money and what you hope to accomplish with it
* Recipients must be available to attend the Women’s Club Banquet on May 13th 2020

**\* Financial Application Required**

**\*\* Essay Required**

**Deadline to submit applications to Ms. Anderson in the CHS Career Center:**

**Wednesday, March 4th, 2020 at 2:30 p.m.**

An application must be completed for each scholarship the student is applying for.

Incomplete applications will not be considered.