

ST. VRAIN VALLEY LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS
These Scholarships Use the SVVSD Local Scholarship Application
CLASS OF 2018

Each of the following scholarships uses the Local Scholarship Application form. All are due to the counseling office by February 28, 2018. Follow the directions on the first page of the application form. It is the **student's responsibility** to provide the necessary copies of this form and correctly assemble and indicate the correct scholarship for which the student is applying. Incomplete applications will not be considered!

WELKER SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Financial need and achievement
Eligibility: Graduating senior from any St. Vrain Valley District Re1J high school
Restrictions: Must be used at a non-sectarian Colorado institution
Selection criteria: Financial need and achievement
Sponsor: Welker Trust Fund
Amount: \$500 to \$1,000 scholarships, amount and number varies
Payable: Payment directly to college
Selection committee: District Scholarship Committee
Form used: Local Scholarship Application. **Include a copy of the FAFSA and SAR. INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT.** The FAFSA must be electronically filed by February 15, 2018
Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

TWIN PEAKS ROTARY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: GPA: academic – minimum 3.5
Financial need; achievement in activities; **essay** of 400 words or less, on the following theme: “Describe the event(s) which you believe have led you to achieve your present level of success.”
Eligibility: Graduating senior from any St. Vrain Valley area high school as long as student's physical address is within the St. Vrain Valley School District boundary.
Restrictions: Must be used at college, university or vocational school **in Colorado**
Sponsor: Twin Peaks Rotary Club
Amount: Academic /awards to be determined. Varies year to year depending on applicant pool
Payable: Payment made directly to college, one half each semester
Selection committee: Twin Peaks Rotary Club Scholarship Committee
Form used: Local Scholarship Application. **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**, SAT or ACT test scores, a copy of the SAR. (Students applying for this scholarship must be willing to allow members of the rotary committee access to the financial information on the SAR. **Complete and submit FAFSA electronically by February 15, 2018** to include a copy of the **SAR** in your application. Incomplete applications are immediately disqualified.
Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

KIWANIS CLUB OF LONGMONT FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

Selection criteria: Financial need and scholarship standing; 250-word essay on what President Kennedy said, “Ask not what your country can do for you but ask what YOU can do for your country.” What does that mean to you today? Family income may not exceed \$60000 per year
Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley area high school
Restrictions: For use at a college, university, or vocational school within Colorado.
Sponsor: Kiwanis Club of Longmont
Amount: Three (3) \$2000 scholarships
Payable: Directly to the college
Selection committee: Kiwanis Club Scholarship Committee
Form used: Local Scholarship Application, **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**
Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP, UNIT 32

Selection criteria:	Financial need, 25%; scholarship standing, 25%; community service, 25%; ESSAY—Women in the Military, 25%
Eligibility:	Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley School District RE1J or qualified home or private school.
Restrictions:	May attend any university, college or vocational school in the USA
Sponsor:	American Legion Auxiliary Unit #32
Amount:	At least one \$1,000
Payable:	Payment made to college and the scholarship recipient
Selection committee:	American Legion Auxiliary Unit 32 Scholarship Committee
Form used:	Local Scholarship Application, essay, INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT
Deadline:	February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

SAL SQUAD #32 SCHOLARSHIP (SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION SQUADRON #32)

Selection criteria:	Transcript and a 750-word typed essay on the following topic: “The freedoms we enjoy today are a direct result from our Veterans’ unselfish service to our great country.” Discuss with a Veteran (relative or acquaintance), who is involved in your life, how serving in the military has influenced their life and what it means to you as an American.
Eligibility:	Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley area high school
Restrictions:	None.
Sponsor:	Sons of the American Legion Squadron #32
Amount:	One \$1000 scholarship
Payable:	Payment made directly to college, award presented at one of American Legion regular meetings.
Selection basis:	SAL Scholarship committee
Form used:	Local Scholarship Application, essay, INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT
Deadline:	February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

THE FRED ELHART WORLD WAR II MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria:	School records and essay: America’s Influence on the World Following WWII*
Eligibility:	Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley area high school
Restrictions:	None
Sponsor:	American Legion Post #32
Amount:	\$1000
Payable:	Payment made directly to college. Award presented at one of Legion’s regular meetings in May.
Selection committee:	American Legion Scholarship Committee
Form used:	Local Scholarship application, essay, INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT
Deadline:	February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

*Required Format

- Minimum length of one (1) page
- Double spaced
- 1” margins on all sides
- Times New Roman or Calibri, 12 pt. font
- Left justified only
- Title page with
 - Title of the Essay
 - Your name

JAMES G. CRAIG SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Student records and essay; Students will have their choice from two topics to write about:

Topic 1: Studying the Vietnam War Era.

1. Why should younger generations study the Vietnam War Era in American History?
2. What lessons were learned from this war, and how can we apply these lessons to future political decisions on going to war?

Topic 2: The Draft. The Vietnam War Era, as with World War II and Korean War, employed conscription (the draft) to bring young men into the military to support and fight these wars. Although the Selective Service System still exists, conscription has not been used since 1973, as an all-volunteer, professional military force is used instead.

- Should conscription be used as an option to bring U.S. citizens to support military efforts to resolve conflicts involving USA?
- If conscription were to be used again should females be drafted along with males?

Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley area high school
Restrictions: None
Sponsor: American Legion Post #32
Amount: \$1000
Payable: Payment made directly to college. Award presented at one of Legion's regular meetings in May.
Selection committee: American Legion Scholarship Committee
Form used: Local Scholarship application, essay, **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**
Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

*Required Format

- Minimum length of one (1) page
- Double spaced
- 1" margins on all sides
- Times New Roman or Calibri, 12 pt. font
- Left justified only
- Title page with
 - Title of the Essay
 - Your name

PHIL HART MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Student records and essay: [Topic: Veterans returning from wars, in all eras, have experienced mental health issues. Describe what this has been called through the years, and how should our government treat veterans with mental health needs?](#)

Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley area high school
Restrictions: None
Sponsor: American Legion Post #32
Amount: \$1000
Payable: Payment made directly to college. Award Presented at one of Legion's regular meetings in May
Selection committee: American Legion Scholarship Committee
Form Used: Local Scholarship application, essay, **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**
Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

*Required Format

- Minimum length of one (1) page
- Double spaced
- 1" margins on all sides
- Times New Roman or Calibri, 12 pt. font
- Left justified only
- Title page with
 - Title of the Essay
 - Your name

JAMES B. CLAYTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Student records and essay; Students will have their choice from two topics to write about:

Topic 1: Studying the Vietnam War Era

- Why should younger generations study the Vietnam War Era in American History?
- What lessons were learned from this war, and how can we apply these lessons to future political decisions on going to war?

Topic 2: The Draft. The Vietnam War Era, as with World War II and Korean War, employed conscription (the draft) to bring young men into the military to support and fight these wars. Although the Selective Service System still exists, conscription has not been used since 1973, as an all-volunteer, professional military force is used instead.

- Should conscription be used as an option to bring U.S. citizens to support military efforts to resolve conflicts involving USA?
- If conscription were to be used again should females be drafted along with males?

Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley area high school
Restrictions: None
Sponsor: American Legion Post #32
Amount: \$1000
Payable: Payment made directly to college. Award presented at one of Legion's regular meetings in May.
Selection committee: American Legion Scholarship Committee
Form used: Local Scholarship application, essay, **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**
Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

*Required Format

- Minimum length of one (1) page
- Double spaced
- 1" margins on all sides
- Times New Roman or Calibri, 12 pt. font
- Left justified only
- Title page with
 - Title of the Essay
 - Your name

HM3 CHRISTOPHER "DOC" ANDERSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The HM3 Christopher "Doc" Anderson Memorial Scholarship is named in honor of Christopher Anderson, a U.S. Navy Corpsman from Longmont, who was killed in action on December 4, 2006 while serving in Iraq with the U.S. Marine Corps. A graduate of Longmont High School, Christopher saved more than one life during his service, and earned the respect of his compatriots for his willingness to help anyone in need.

Selection criteria: School records and essay: Using the perspective of "Serving in the Military", choose one of the following topics:
1. Give an example of "Service to Others" and explain how it affects you personally and how it affects those around you.
2. Give an example of "Sacrifice for Others" and explain how it affects you personally and how it affects those around you.

Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley area high school
Restrictions: None
Sponsor: American Legion Post #32
Amount: \$1000
Payable: Payment made directly to college. Award presented at one of Legion's regular meetings in May.

Selection committee: American Legion Scholarship Committee
Form used: Local Scholarship application, essay, **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**
Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

*Required Format

- o Minimum length of one (1) page
- o Double spaced
- o 1" margins on all sides
- o Times New Roman or Calibri, 12 pt. font
- o Left justified only
- o Title page with
 - Title of the Essay
 - Your name

THIRD AVENUE EYECARE SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Scholastic achievement and community service. Individual interested in pursuing a degree in math or science.

Eligibility: Any graduating senior from the St. Vrain Valley School District Re1J
Restrictions: Not limited to Colorado. Arts and Science major at an accredited four-year college or university. Emphasis on math and/or science.

Sponsor: Dr. Jane Wolford and Dr. Audrey Brodie
Amount: At least one \$500
Payable: Check payable to university will be given to the individual
Selection committee: Jane Wolford, O.D. and Audrey Brodie, O.D.
Form used: Local Scholarship Application, **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**
Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

HISPANIC EDUCATION FOUNDATION

- Selection criteria: Personal qualities, financial need, community and school participation and an essay on one of the following topics:
- Why do you feel HEF should award you a scholarship?
 - How will your attendance at a college benefit you, your family and/or other residents in St. Vrain Valley?
 - What do you expect to accomplish in the future and how will a college education help you accomplish that goal?
- Eligibility: The applicant must be graduating from, or a former student of a St. Vrain Valley area high school and must be actively involved in the community. The applicant must be accepted to an accredited college, university or vocational school prior to funds being released. Non-traditional students are encouraged to apply. The FAFSA is *not* required, but all students are able to complete the FAFSA4Caster. The forecaster will give HEF a clearer picture of a family's financial need. Please include a copy of the report. Here is the link: <https://fafsa.ed.gov/FAFSA/app/f4cForm?execution=e2s1>
- Restrictions: None
- Sponsor: Hispanic Education Foundation
- Amount: Multiple \$1,000 scholarships
- Payable: Payment made directly to the college in the student's name
- Selection committee: Hispanic Education Foundation board members
- Form used: Local Scholarship Application; essay; copy of **FAFSA4caster**, **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**
- Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling Office
- *Note: The Hispanic Education Foundation and Front Range Community college have an exciting partnership: any students who are attending FRCC, and earn a HEF scholarship, will be eligible to apply for a matching scholarship from the college. Students will need to apply for the matching funds through FRCC.*

NANCY L. NIXON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

- Selection criteria: Cumulative scholastic record—copy of **TRANSCRIPT REQUIRED**; much emphasis is placed on the one page essay discussing other qualifications such as clubs, student offices held, community involvement, plans for course of study in college, career goals, etc.—in other words, tell the committee about yourself; letters of recommendation are important, especially from members of the community personally acquainted with applicant but letters from school faculty and administration can also be included. Extra consideration given for students with financial need but is not required for consideration. See application for more detail.
- Eligibility: Any senior attending St. Vrain Valley Public Schools scheduled to graduate this year
- Restrictions: Students must be accepted and attend an accredited 2 or 4-year college or university. Extra consideration given to students attending in state supported institutions.
- Sponsor: The Nancy L. Nixon Foundation
- Amount: \$1000—At least ten (10) awards will be made locally
- Payable: Payable in one payment directly to the college selected by recipient
- Selection committee: The Foundation Scholarship Committee
- Form used: Local Application and include above mentioned documents; essay; **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**.
- Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

WILL ZULAUF MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Selection Criteria: Financial need, (include copy of SAR) community and school participation, and an **essay** of 400 words or less using the following Essay Prompt: “Which of your high school teachers has had the most substantial, beneficial, and enduring impact on your life?” Minimum GPA of 3.0.

Eligibility: Any graduating senior from either Longmont or Skyline High School

Restrictions: May be used at any accredited college, university or vocational school in Colorado or Wyoming

Sponsor: Will Zulauf Family

Amount: At least \$500

Payable: Directly to the college or university. Student must be accepted before funds are released.

Selection committee: Members of Will Zulauf family

Form used: Local Scholarship Application, Essay, **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**, copy of SAR

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**ST. VRAIN VALLEY LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP LIST
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These scholarships have their own application

This list includes only those scholarships that use their own applications and NOT the Local Application Form. If the scholarship calls for an application, it is on Naviance under the scholarship name.

Please see your counselor with any questions. Deadlines vary and some applications are sent directly to the sponsor.

**The following applications are due on February 28, 2018 to the Counseling Office.
Do not mail them to the sponsor.**

TOM NELSON MEMORIAL GOLF SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria:	Student must have been involved in golf for at least two years at the high school level (varsity level one year). Minimum 3.0 GPA
Eligibility:	Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley area high school or private school
Sponsor:	Family and Friends of Tom Nelson
Amount:	\$1,000
Restrictions:	To be used at any 4-year college or university
Payable:	Payment made directly to college
Form used:	Tom Nelson Memorial Scholarship Application—obtain from counselor
Selection committee:	Committee selected by Nelson family
Deadline:	February 28, 2018 to Counseling Office

EDNA LAYTON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Selection criteria:	GPA, community and school participation, essay, financial need. Finalists will be interviewed. Please include copy of <u>OFFICIAL</u> TRANSCRIPT
Eligibility:	Graduating or graduated from any St. Vrain Valley School District RE1J High School
Restrictions:	Recipient must be pursuing an education in the field of teaching
Sponsor:	Edna Layton Trust Fund
Amount:	Portion of tuition and fees to recipient's selected college
Payable:	Directly to college
Selection committee:	Edna Layton Scholarship Committee
Form used:	Edna Layton Scholarship Fund Application—available in the counseling office. Return completed application to counseling office. Include <u>OFFICIAL</u> TRANSCRIPT
Deadline:	February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

MARSHA NIXON SOUKUP MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria:	Selection for the scholarship will be based on three factors, equally weighted: 1) Overall scholastic record while in high school 2) Written recommendations from band/orchestra teacher 3) One page paper on "What Music Means to Me"
Eligibility:	Seniors attending any St. Vrain Valley High School who are members of the high school band and/or orchestra
Restrictions:	Must attend an accredited 4-year college/university in the United States and be pursuing a 4-year degree at that institution
Sponsors:	Mr. Dennis Soukup and Mr. Lonnie Nixon
Amount:	\$1,000
Payable:	Payable in one lump sum to the college/university to which the student will matriculate
Form used:	Assemble TRANSCRIPT, letter(s) of recommendation and essay and return to counselor (no official application)
Deadline:	February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

AMERIKICK MARTIAL ARTS FUTURE LEADER SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Academic performance; documented volunteer and community service record, honors and awards that demonstrate leadership skills; financial need; personal essay (see application for topic); letters of recommendation

Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley School District high school with at least a 3.0 GPA

Restrictions: To be used for enrollment as a full-time student at an accredited 2-year or 4-year college or university beginning in the fall of 2018, with the intention of ultimately completing a bachelor's degree at a minimum.

Sponsors: Education Foundation for the St. Vrain Valley; AmeriKick Martial Arts owners Michael and Shelby Wax

Amount: One (1) \$1000 scholarship

Payable: Directly to the college/university or in one lump sum

Selection Committee: Education Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee

Form used: AmeriKick Martial Arts Future Leader Scholarship Application on Naviance or Ed Foundation website at www.efsvv.org . **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**

Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

DONNA BOWER EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Academic performance (unofficial transcript required); personal essay, high school activities and honors, volunteer and community service record, letters of recommendation

Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley School District high school

Restrictions: To be used for enrollment as a full-time student at an accredited 2-year or 4-year college or university or trade school beginning in the fall of 2018. Preference will be given to students who previously attended Rocky Mountain Elementary and/or are students of a single parent

Sponsors: Education Foundation for the St. Vrain Valley and the Family of Donna Bower, a long-time employee of the St. Vrain Valley School District

Amount: One (1) \$1000 scholarship

Payable: Directly to the college/university or trade school in one lump sum

Selection Committee: Education Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee, including Donna Bower

Form used: Donna Bower Educational Scholarship Application on Naviance or Ed Foundation web site: www.efsvv.org . **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**

Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

EVELYN C. ELDER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: The Evelyn C. Elder Memorial Scholarship honors Evelyn Claire Elder who passed from Sudden Unexplained Infant Death in August 2014. The scholarship is awarded to a senior student who plans to attend a 4-year university. The scholarship recipient should possess qualities such as: love of learning, authenticity, and resiliency. The scholarship recipient should have a 3.0 grade point average or higher and a history of service.

Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley School District high school

Restrictions: To be used for enrollment as a full-time student at an accredited 2-year or 4-year college or university or trade school beginning in the fall of 2018.

Sponsors: Education Foundation for the St. Vrain Valley and the Family of Evelyn C. Elder

Amount: One (1) \$1000 scholarship

Payable: The award amount is \$1,000 payable to the recipient's account at the educational institution of choice.

Selection Committee: Education Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee and E. C. Elder family

Form used: Evelyn C. Elder Memorial Scholarship Application on Naviance or Ed Foundation web site: www.efsvv.org . **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**

Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

JULIA SAGE STOLTE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Academic performance; documented volunteer and community service record; bilingual abilities; financial need; personal essay (see application for topic); record of high school leadership; activities and honors; letters of recommendation

Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley School District high school

Restrictions: To be used for enrollment as a full-time student at an accredited 2-year or 4-year college or university or trade school beginning in the fall of 2018. Preference is for bilingual ability and interest in community service.

Sponsors: Education Foundation for the St. Vrain Valley; Laurel and Christopher Stolte and their family and friends

Amount: One (1) \$1000 scholarship

Payable: Directly to the college/university or trade school in one lump sum

Selection Committee: Education Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee

Form used: Julia Sage Stolte Memorial Scholarship Application on Naviance or Ed Foundation web site: www.efsvv.org . **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**

Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

KATHY HALL FUTURE IMPACT SCHOLARSHIP

Selection Criteria: Academic performance (transcript required); documented volunteer and community service record; financial need; personal essay (see application for topic); activities and honors; letters of recommendation

Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley School District high school with at least a 2.5 GPA

Restrictions: To be used for enrollment as a full-time student at an accredited 2-year or 4-year college or university or trade school beginning in the fall of 2018

Sponsors: Education Foundation for the St. Vrain Valley; Kathy and Bruce Hall and their family

Amount: One (1) \$2,000 scholarship

Payable: Directly to the college/university or trade school in one lump sum

Selection Committee: Education Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee, including a representative from the Hall family

Form used: Kathy Hall Future Impact Scholarship Application on Naviance or Ed Foundation web site: www.efsvv.org **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**

Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

LARRY SIECKMANN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Academic performance; documented volunteer and community service record; financial need; personal essay (see application for topic); record of high school activities and honors that demonstrate a well-rounded nature; letters of recommendation

Eligibility: Graduating senior from either Longmont or Mead high schools

Restrictions: To be used for enrollment as a full-time student at an accredited 2-year or 4-year college or university beginning in the fall of 2018.

Sponsors: Education Foundation for the St. Vrain Valley; Gwen Sieckmann and her family and friends

Amount: One (1) \$1000 scholarship

Payable: Directly to the college/university in one lump sum

Selection Committee: Education Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee

Form used: Larry Sieckmann Memorial Scholarship Application on Naviance or Ed Foundation web site: www.efsvv.org . **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**

Deadline: February 28, 2018 to the Counseling office

RHONDA HERRMAN COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Academic performance; documented volunteer and community service record; community involvement essay; record of high school leadership; activities and honors; letters of recommendation

Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley School District high school

Restrictions: To be used for enrollment as a full-time student at an accredited 2-year or 4-year college or university or trade school beginning in the fall of 2018. Applicant must have completed a minimum of 75 hours of qualified community service over the past 12 months (documentation required). Minimum grade point average of 2.5 is required. Preference will be given to a student who is the child or relative of a current member or is a member in good standing of Elevations Credit Union Education Foundation for the St. Vrain Valley and Elevations Credit Union

Sponsors: Education Foundation for the St. Vrain Valley and Elevations Credit Union

Amount: Two (2) \$1000 scholarships

Payable: Directly to the college/university or trade school in one lump sum

Selection Committee: Education Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee, including representative from Elevations Credit Union

Form used: 2016 Rhonda Herrman Community Involvement Scholarship Application on Naviance or Ed Foundation web site: www.efsvv.org **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**

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The following scholarships must be sent directly (via electronic submission or mailed) directly to the scholarship sponsor (please read the application for the address/email etc.).

Do not give these applications to the Counseling office.

CUNDALL ART SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Financial need; portfolio; for students planning a major in Art
Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley District Re1J high school
Restrictions: Students must be planning on a major or minor in Art (graphic design/ photography/architecture, etc.)
Sponsor: Cundall Trust Fund managed by the Colorado National Bank of Longmont
Amount: \$500-\$3000
Payable: Payment made directly to college. Confirmation of enrollment required prior to sending funds
Selection committee: Committee of Art teachers
Form used: The 2018 Cundall Art Scholarship will be available on Schoology.svvsd.org, and due February 28, 2018. The Google form application, transcript turn-in, letters of recommendation turn-in and .mov artwork presentation turn-in will be accessed using the Access Code **8PQCF-R7VFS**. Once you have accessed this course, the Cundall Art Scholarship will appear under your courses tab and you will be able to complete the scholarship requirements
Deadline: February 28, 2018. Movie presentation of artwork is due March 14, 2018—online. See application for more details on portfolio review which will be March 16, 2018. Submit entire application on line. DO NOT give to counselor

NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION LONGS PEAK CHAPTER, WILMA DUNN STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility: Student must be a United States Citizen and a college bound, graduating senior from within the geographic area of the St. Vrain Valley RE 1J School district; or a 16-18 year old receiving a GED, living in the same geographic area who has been accepted to an accredited college or university, or a graduating senior homeschooled from within the St. Vrain Valley RE 1J geographic area or a child or close relative of a Longs Peak Chapter NSDAR member not necessarily living within the geographic area noted above
Restrictions: Must be used at an accredited college or university in the United States. Applicant must be a U.S. citizen.
Selection basis: Academic excellence, commitment to chosen field of study, demonstrated financial need; completed application forms; at least one and no more than three letters of recommendation (see instructions on application); single page statement setting forth career objective(s), how this choice will affect education choice, and how financial need has influenced this choice. Application, not to exceed eight pages must be sent directly to address at bottom of instructions
No affiliation to DAR is necessary.
Sponsor: NSDAR Longs Peak Chapter
Amount: \$1000
Payable: Directly to the college of student's choice
Selection committee: Longs Peak DAR Scholarship Committee
Form used: Longs Peak Chapter Wilma Dunn Student Scholarship Application Form (Obtain from counseling office) **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**. A copy of birth certificate or naturalization papers must be included
Deadline: Received by February 28, 2018. Application, not to exceed a total eight pages, must be sent directly to address at bottom of instructions.

MADELINE MARIE MOLZAHN SHERROD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria:	Financial need is a major consideration (we do not recommend applying for this scholarship if your Estimated Family Contribution, as reported on your Student Aid Report, is above \$12,000.); strength of personal statement; strength of letter of recommendation; church, school, and community involvement; academics.
Eligibility:	Graduating senior from a St. Vrain Valley School District high school in Colorado or from the public-school districts of Ainsworth, Hay Springs, or Wood River, Nebraska.
Restrictions:	Must be issued to an accredited college, university, or community college in the U.S.
Sponsor:	Longmont Community Foundation
Amount:	Two scholarships recipients will be chosen: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• One student will receive \$1,500 per year for up to four consecutive years by maintaining a minimum 2.5 GPA as a full-time student and providing necessary documentation each year.• A second student will receive \$1,000 per year for up to two consecutive years by maintaining a minimum 2.5 GPA as a full-time student and providing necessary documentation the second year.
Payment:	Payment made directly to the institution upon receipt of signed student contract
Selection Committee:	Longmont Community Foundation Scholarship Committee
Form used:	Madeline Marie Molzahn Sherrod Scholarship online application. Online application form is available on the scholarship link: https://lcf scholarships.communityforce.com/Login.aspx . Any questions can be directed to the Longmont Community Foundation at 303-678-6555.
Deadline:	Online application <u>must be completed</u> no later than February 28, 2018. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

CATHERINE C. OWEN SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria:	Financial need is major consideration; activities/achievements; academics; strength of personal letter; strength of letters of recommendation (2), preferably from a teacher or administrator
Eligibility:	Graduating senior from a St. Vrain Valley School District high school
Restrictions:	Must be used at either University of Northern Colorado or any accredited Christian college or university in the U.S.
Sponsor:	Longmont Community Foundation
Amount:	\$1500 non-renewable
Payment:	Payment made directly to the institution upon receipt of signed student contract
Selection Committee:	Longmont Community Foundation Scholarship Committee
Form used:	Catherine C. Owen Scholarship online application. Online application is available on the scholarship link: https://lcf scholarships.communityforce.com/Login.aspx . Any questions can be directed to the Longmont Community Foundation at 303-678-6555.
Deadline:	Online application <u>must be completed</u> no later than February 28, 2018. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

STEWART GOLDEN MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria:	Commitment to completing voice, piano or organ related music degree (most important); Demonstrated community engagement, volunteer work and/or community service; Potential for success in achieving goals related to music; Academics
Eligibility:	Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley School District; planning to study voice, and/or piano and/or organ at a 4-year accredited Colorado university with a strong music program; have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5
Restrictions:	Must be issued to a four-year accredited college or university in Colorado.
Sponsor:	Longmont Community Foundation
Amount:	\$1,000 nonrenewable
Payment:	Payment made directly to the institution upon receipt of signed student contract
Selection Committee:	Longmont Community Foundation Scholarship Committee
Form used:	Stewart Golden Music Scholarship online application. Online application is available on the scholarship link: https://lcf scholarships.communityforce.com/Login.aspx . Any questions can be directed to the Longmont Community Foundation at 303-678-6555.
Deadline:	Online application <u>must be completed</u> no later than February 28, 2018. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

ASCEND ST. VRAIN SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria:	Strength of personal statement in demonstrating drive and ambition in achieving post-secondary educational goals; demonstrated well-rounded individual; strength of letters of recommendation; potential for success in achieving goals; interview.
Eligibility:	Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley School District and must have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and have an Expected Family Contribution (EFC) between \$3,500 and \$15,000.
Restrictions:	Must be issued to an accredited technical school, vocational school, community college, college or university in Colorado.
Sponsor:	Longmont Community Foundation
Amount:	At least six (6) scholarships will be given out. They will range from a one-time \$2,500 scholarship to \$2,000 per year for up to two or four consecutive years by maintaining a minimum 2.5 GPA, providing necessary documentation each year. Multiple scholarships will be awarded to both students continuing on to vocational or technical schools AND to students continuing on 2-year or 4-year college or university. If the vocational or technical school is of shorter duration, the multi-year awards can be combined into one or two payments.
Payment:	Payment made directly to the institution, upon receipt of signed student contract
Selection Committee:	Longmont Community Foundation Scholarship Committee
Form used:	Ascent St. Vrain Scholarship online application. Online application is available on the scholarship link: https://lcf scholarships.communityforce.com/Login.aspx . Any questions can be directed to the Longmont Community Foundation at 303-678-6555.
Deadline:	Online application <u>must be completed</u> no later than February 28, 2018. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

**ST. VRAIN VALLEY LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP LIST
CLASS OF 2018**

These scholarships have their own application

The following scholarships have different deadlines and are sent directly to the address on the application.
Please note the different deadlines.

GOLD STAR AWARD

Selection criteria: Well-rounded involvements in school, family and community activities that indicate responsible use of time; strength of personal letter

Eligibility: A graduating female senior attending a public, private or home school in the St. Vrain Valley School District

Restrictions: Student must be accepted to the college, university or training/professional school at the time of application for the award

Sponsor: Chapter II, Colorado, P.E.O.

Amount: \$500

Payable: Directly to recipient. Award will be presented at Chapter II's Nest to Wings Workshop on February 24, 2018

Selection committee: Gold Star Award Committee

Form used: Gold Star Award Application. Include transcript.

Deadline: **February 2, 2018.** Send complete applications with letters of recommendation, transcript, and personal statement to address on application. Must be received by deadline.

ELEVATIONS SCHOLARS, UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO AT BOULDER

Selection criteria: Student must be enrolled full-time (minimum 12 credit hours per semester); member in good standing of Elevations Credit Union; must maintain a 2.5 GPA for all four school years; must be in the "highest need" category as established by the Office of Financial Aid

Eligibility: Graduating senior from any St. Vrain Valley School District High School

Restrictions: Must attend University of Colorado at Boulder, and one student will be selected by the LEEDS School of Business and three from the College of Arts and Sciences; recipients will be required to commit to one project annually for Elevations Credit Union

Sponsor: Elevations Credit Union

Amount: Four (4) scholarships, each for approximately \$8000

Payable: University of Colorado, Boulder, CO

Selection committee: University of Colorado Office of Financial Aid

Form used: **Online only:** <https://www.elevationscu.com/community/elevations-foundation/scholarships> click on link for Financial Aid Office under Elevations Scholars, University of Colorado at Boulder

Deadline: March 1, 2018

Other information: Apply through the Office of Financial Aid and mention that you are a St. Vrain Valley graduate and an Elevations Credit Union member desiring to attend the LEEDS School of Business or the College of Arts and Sciences

ELEVATIONS CREDIT UNION WM. C “BILL” STERNER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

- Selection criteria: Selection is based on financial need; personal and career goals and academic performance; student must be a member in good standing of Elevations Credit Union.
1. Essay explaining “Why I Want to go to College and What Influenced My Decision;” essay not to exceed 500 words. Suggestions: Identify your personal interests and career goals and provide information relevant to achieving them—this may include educational accomplishments, volunteerism, extracurricular activities, or work experience. The essay should reflect your personal goals and values
 2. Letters of recommendation from two references other than family members supporting your commitment to your goals
 3. Copy of your high school transcript
 4. Copy of FAFSA Student Aid Report (SAR) Copy only of SAR not entire FAFSA application
 5. List of other scholarships for which you applied, the status of each and amounts of awards
 6. Copy of University of Colorado - Boulder acceptance letter. If you have not yet received a letter of acceptance, obtain a letter from your counselor stating the University of Colorado - Boulder and the date the application for admission was mailed.
 7. Recent photo for use in Elevations Credit union promotional materials. Photos will not be shared with the review committee
- Eligibility: Graduating senior from an accredited Colorado high school who is a member in good standing of Elevations Credit Union
- Restrictions: Must attend University of Colorado at Boulder as a full-time student.
- Sponsor: Elevations Credit Union
- Amount: Scholarships ranging from \$500.00-\$5000.00
- Payable: Directly to University of Colorado, Boulder, CO
- Selection committee: Scholarship Committee of Elevations Foundation, Inc.
- Form used: Online only: <https://www.elevationscu.com/community/elevations-foundation/scholarships> Click on link for Elevations Credit Union Wm C “Bill” Sterner Memorial Scholarship Application
Mail completed application to:
Elevations Credit Union
Attn: Elevations Foundation
P.O. Box 9004
Boulder, CO 80301-9004
- Deadline: March 15, 2018

ELEVATIONS CREDIT UNION M.R. HELLIE SCHOLARSHIP

- Selection criteria: Selection is based on financial need; personal and career goals and academic performance; student must be a member in good standing of Elevations Credit Union.
1. Essay explaining “Why I Want to go to College and What Influenced my Decision;” essay not to exceed 500 words. Suggestions: Identify your personal interests and career goals and provide information relevant to achieving them—this may include educational accomplishments, volunteerism, extracurricular activities, or work experience. The essay should reflect your personal goals and values
 2. Letters of recommendation from two references other than family members supporting your commitment to your goals
 3. Copy of your high school transcript
 4. Copy of FAFSA Student Aid Report (SAR) Copy only of SAR not entire FAFSA application
 5. List of other scholarships for which you applied, the status of each and amounts of awards
 6. Copy of college or university acceptance letter, preferred. If you have not yet received a letter of acceptance, obtain a letter from your counselor stating the name of the college or university and the date the application for admission was mailed.
 7. Recent photo for use in Elevations Credit union promotional materials. Photos will not be shared with the review committee
- Eligibility: Graduating senior from an accredited Colorado high school who is a member in good standing of Elevations Credit Union
- Restrictions: Must attend an accredited college or university as a full-time student.
- Sponsor: Elevations Credit Union
- Amount: Scholarships ranging from \$500.00-\$5000.00
- Payable: Directly to college or university.
- Selection committee: Scholarship Committee of Elevations Foundation, Inc.
- Form used: <https://www.elevationscu.com/community/elevations-foundation/scholarships>
Click on link for Elevations Credit Union
M.R. Hellie Scholarship Application
Mail completed application to:
Elevations Credit Union Attn: Elevations Foundation
P.O. Box 9004
Boulder, CO 80301-9004
- Deadline: March 15, 2018

Elevations Credit Union Scholarships:

To see other scholarships for which our students are eligible, please go to the following website:

<https://www.elevationscu.com/elevations-community/elevations-foundation/grants--scholarships>

Please note the Ray Johnson Memorial Scholarship and the Brayman-Beach College Scholarship.

HOE AND HOPE GARDEN CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Minimum GPA 3.0; Personal Essay—see application for topics to be covered.
Two letters of recommendation.

Eligibility: Graduating high school senior; Colorado resident;

Sponsor: Hoe and Hope Garden Club—Longmont, Colorado

Amount: \$500

Payable: Payment made directly to college, university, or trade school

Selection committee: Hoe and Hope Garden Club scholarship committee

Form used: Hoe and Hope Garden Club Scholarship Application on Naviance or the Hoe and Hope Garden Club website: www.hoehandhopegardenclub.com/scholarship – INCLUDE **OFFICIAL** TRANSCRIPT

Deadline: Postmarked March 31, 2018. Send directly to address on application

Other information: Mail completed application, transcripts, two letters of recommendation, and personal letter answering the question under criteria to the address at the bottom of the application

LONGMONT CONSERVATION DISTRICT SCHOLARSHIP

Selection criteria: Agriculture related major; essay of 250-500 words on soil and water conservation; two letters of recommendation—one from a teacher; INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT.

Eligibility: High School Senior with a physical home address North of Highway 52, South of the Larimer County line or Weld County Road 38, west of Weld County Road 19 and East of the Continental Divide. Applicant must major in a field benefiting agriculture.

Restrictions: Must attend a Colorado college with a major that will be beneficial to production agriculture. Students attending schools out of state will be considered after in-state applicants.

Sponsor: Longmont Conservation District

Amount: At least two (2) \$2000—\$1000 a year for two years

Payable: Directly to the college, university or trade school

Selection committee: Board of Supervisors of the Longmont Conservation District

Form used: Longmont Conservation District Scholarship Application on Naviance or the application form can be found on our website at www.longmontcd.org INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT; two letters of recommendation; and essay

Deadline: Postmarked March 31, 2018. Sent directly to address on application.

RAY PARNABY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

- Selection criteria: Must be pursuing a degree in music. May be performing or education.
- Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley area high school or qualifying home school or private high school within the St. Vrain Valley School District
- Restrictions: Must attend any accredited college or university in the U.S.A. Must major in music performance or music education
- Sponsor: Nancy L. Nixon Foundation
- Amount: \$1000 scholarship
- Payable: Paid directly to college or university upon enrollment
- Selection committee: Longmont Symphony Orchestra Board and Orchestra members
Applicants may be asked to interview and/or audition for the selection committee.
- Form Used: Ray Parnaby Memorial Scholarship Application on Naviance. Please indicate the name of and information about the high school from which you will graduate.
SEND DIRECTLY TO ADDRESS ON APPLICATION
- Deadline: Postmarked by Friday, March 31, 2017 or delivered in person by 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 4, 2017 to the LSO office at 519 Main Street. Scholarship will be awarded at May 13, 2017 Longmont Symphony Orchestra Concert. Must be present to accept award.
- Other Information: Please enclose information relating to your musical background, as stated on the application. Please include the name of the high school that you are attending or information about your home school

GARY DICKS MEMORIAL PERFORMANCE SCHOLARSHIP

- Eligibility: Graduating senior from St. Vrain Valley School District High School or qualifying home school or private high school within the St. Vrain Valley School District.
- Restrictions: Must attend an accredited college or university within the U.S.
- Selection Basis: Must be pursuing a degree in music education or music performance. Selection based on level of performance demonstrated on submitted CD or tape.
- Sponsor: Nancy L. Nixon Foundation
- Amount: One (1) \$1000.00 Scholarship
- Payable: Paid directly to college or university upon enrollment.
- Selection Committee: Longmont Symphony Orchestra Board committee
- Form Used: Gary Dicks Memorial Performance Scholarship Application
- Deadline: Postmarked by March 31, 2017. Completed applications may also be returned in person to the LSO office, no later than 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 4, 2017. See application for location. Scholarship will be awarded at May 13, 2017 Longmont Symphony Orchestra Concert. Must be present to accept award
- Other information: Please enclose information relating to your musical background, as stated on the application. Please include a CD or tape demonstrating your level of performance. The recording should include parts of two selections of contrasting style or time period and should be no longer than 10 minutes in length. Please state name, instrument; voice, and selections at beginning of recording. Accompaniment is strongly encouraged but not mandatory. Recordings will be listened to by an LSO Review committee.

HELEN NOBLE CLARK SCHOLARSHIP CHAPTER CJ PEO

Selection criteria: Financial need, accomplishment in academics, leadership, community service, and able to exhibit potential for future success

Eligibility: High school diploma (2017 graduates are eligible) or GED. Must reside within the St. Vrain Valley School District attendance area, and have been accepted into an institution of higher education. Must be a young woman.

Sponsor: Chapter CJ PEO

Amount: \$1500. Renewable with new application for up to four years

Restrictions: Female, under age 21, U.S. or Canadian citizen, must be used in accredited postsecondary institution, fall of academic year following receipt of award

Payable: Payable directly to college or university

Form used: Helen Noble Clark Scholarship Application on Naviance. Return to address on application. Must include three letters of reference. **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**

Selection committee: Scholarship committee in Chapter CJ

Deadline: June 1, 2018. Class of 2018 young women are eligible

P.E.O. CHAPTER M SCHOLARSHIP

Selection Criteria: Financial need, goals, commitment, accomplishments in academics, leadership, community service, and apparent potential for future success.

Eligibility: High school diploma or GED. Class of 2018 may apply. Reside in the St. Vrain Valley; minimum 2.5 G.P.A. Must be a young woman.

Sponsor: P.E.O. Longmont Chapter M

Amount: Up to \$1000

Restrictions: Female, under age 21. Award must be used in accredited postsecondary institution in the fall of the academic year following graduation

Payable: Directly to college

Form used: P.E.O. Chapter M Scholarship Application on Naviance or contact Donna Manchester at donnalinnm@msn.com . **INCLUDE TRANSCRIPT**,

Deadline: March 1, 2018. Send application directly to address on the application, two letters of recommendation and ESSAY. See application for details