

## Scholarships for Students with Disabilities

*This listing of external scholarships is made available as a service to our students and includes scholarship information that has been sent to the Financial Aid Office from outside organizations and agencies. This listing is not intended to be an endorsement of any of the scholarship opportunities.*

The list below provides information about scholarship opportunities for students with disabilities. While this list is not all-encompassing, we hope it provides students with a starting point for seeking disability-related scholarships. Students are also encouraged to explore funding options through state-funded vocational rehabilitation offices (in Pennsylvania, students can contact the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation).

Remember ... all students should file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) in order to be considered for need-based grants, loans and student employment. The FAFSA is available online at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov) and can also be obtained from the Financial Aid Office.

### **Scholarships for Students with Cystic Fibrosis**

#### **Creon 25 College Scholarship Program**

Solvay Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

901 Sawyer Road

Marietta, GA 30062

Telephone: 770-578-5898

<http://www.solvaypharmaceuticals-us.com/products/cfscholarships>

#### **Cystic Fibrosis Scholarship Foundation**

2814 Grant Street

Evanston, IL 60201

Telephone: 847-328-0127 Fax: 847-328-0127

E-mail: [MKBCFSF@aol.com](mailto:MKBCFSF@aol.com)

<http://www.cfscholarship.org/>

## Scholarships for Students with Disabilities

### Scholarships for Hearing Impaired

#### **Alexander Graham Bell Scholarships**

3417 Volta Place, NW

Washington, D.C. 20007-2778

Telephone: 202-337-5220

Email: [info@agbell.org](mailto:info@agbell.org)

<http://www.agbell.org/DesktopDefault.aspx?p=Awards>

(limited to individuals who are prelingually deaf or hard of hearing and who use speech or speech reading to communicate)

#### **Sertoma International**

\$1,000 Hearing Impaired Scholarship Program

1912 E. Meyer Blvd.

Kansas City, MO 64132

Telephone: 816-333-8300

<http://www.sertoma.org>

### Scholarships for Visually Impaired Students

#### **American Council of the Blind (ACB) Scholarship Office**

1155 15<sup>th</sup> Street NW, Suite 720

Washington, D.C. 20005

Telephone: 1-800-424-8666

<http://www.acb.org/>

#### **American Foundation for the Blind**

Information Center

11 Penn Plaza, Suite 300

New York, NY 10001

Telephone: 800-232-5463

<http://www.afb.org>

#### **Association for Education and Rehabilitation of the Blind and Visually Impaired (AER)**

AER Ferrell Scholarship Fund

4600 Duke Street, Suite 430

Alexandria, VA 22397

Telephone: 703-823-9690

<http://www.aerbvi.org>

## Scholarships for Students with Disabilities

### **The Blinded Veterans Association (BVA)**

Kathern F. Gruber Scholarship Program

477 H Street NW

Washington, D.C. 20001-2694

Telephone: 202-371-8880

<http://bva.org>

(limited to children and spouses of blinded veterans)

### **The Christian Record Services**

444 South 52<sup>nd</sup> Street

Lincoln, NE 68516

Telephone: 402-488-0981

<http://www.christianrecord.org>

### **The Jewish Braille Institute of America, Inc.**

110 East 30<sup>th</sup> Street

New York, NY 10016

Telephone: 212-889-2525

<http://www.jewishbraille.org>

(offered to students who are legally blind and wish to become rabbis, cantors or Jewish educators)

### **Christine H. Eide Memorial Scholarship Award**

Lighthouse International

111 East 59<sup>th</sup> Street

New York, NY 10022

Telephone: 212-821-9223

[http://www.lighthouse.org/eide\\_scholarship.htm](http://www.lighthouse.org/eide_scholarship.htm)

(limited to students who are legally blind who attend schools and have legal addresses in one of these states: Connecticut, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania or the other new England states)

### **National Federation of the Blind (NFB)**

Anil Lewis, Chairman of NFB Scholarship Committee

Atlanta, Georgia

Office Telephone: 404-371-1000

Email: [scholarships@nfb.org](mailto:scholarships@nfb.org)

[http://www.nfb.org/nfb/scholarship\\_program.asp](http://www.nfb.org/nfb/scholarship_program.asp)

## Scholarships for Students with Disabilities

### **Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic**

Scholarship Office  
20 Roszel Road  
Princeton, NJ 08540  
Telephone: 866-732-3585  
<http://www.rfbd.org/>

### **The Fred Scheigert Scholarship Program**

Imogene Johnson  
Scholarships for Students with Epilepsy  
Pfizer Epilepsy Scholarship Award  
c/o The Eden Communications Group  
515 Valley Street, Suite 200  
Maplewood, NJ 07040  
Telephone: 800-292-7373  
<http://www.epilepsy-scholarship.com>

### **Scholarship for Students with Bleeding Disorders/Hemophilia**

#### **National Hemophilia Foundation**

116 West 32nd Street, 11th Floor  
New York, NY 10001  
Telephone: 800-42-HANDI  
<http://www.hemophilia.org/about/scholarships2.htm>

### **Scholarships for Students with Learning Disabilities**

#### **P. Buckley Moss Society Harbison Award**

601 Shenandoah Village Dr., Box 1c  
Waynesboro, VA 22980  
Telephone: 540-943-5678  
<http://www.mossociety.org/page.php?id=8>

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### **Anne Ford Scholarship**

\$10,000 award given to a high school senior  
National Center for Learning Disabilities  
381 Park Avenue South Suite 1401  
New York, NY 10014  
Telephone: 212-545-7510  
<http://www.nclld.org/content/view/725/508/>

### **Miscellaneous Scholarships**

#### **Yes I Can! Council for Exceptional Children**

1110 N. Glebe Rd, Suite 300  
Arlington, VA 22201  
Telephone: 800-232-7733  
<http://www.cec.sped.org/Content/NavigationMenu/AboutCEC/YesICanFoundation/default.htm>

#### **The New Hampshire Charitable Foundation**

37 Pleasant Street  
Concord, NH 03301-4005  
Telephone: 603-225-6641  
<http://www.nhcf.org/>  
(The New Hampshire Charitable Foundation offers scholarships to disabled students and are awarded to New Hampshire residents only)

#### **Very Special Arts (VSA)**

1300 Connecticut Avenue, NW  
Suite 700  
Washington, D.C. 20036  
Telephone: 1-800-933-8721  
<http://www.vsarts.org/x22.xml>  
(limited to disabled individuals who are 25 years or younger and are instrumentalists or vocalists that perform as soloists)

<http://www.free-4u.com/> - a website that contains scholarships by major, state, students with disabilities, etc

American Association of People with Disabilities

<http://www.aapd-dc.org/index.php> - a website that contains numerous grants, scholarships and internship opportunities for students with disabilities

#### **Oliver H. M. Jordan Memorial Scholarship**

Roger A. Margulies, Assistant Deputy Mayor  
Mayor Commission on People with Disabilities  
1401 J.F.K. Boulevard Room 900 MSB  
Philadelphia, PA 19102  
Fax (215) 686-4555

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