

## Sources of Other College Scholarship and Financial Aid Information

*FIRST* Scholarships are a fantastic opportunity to help pay for your college education. But don't limit yourself to applying only for *FIRST* Scholarships. There are many other additional sources of scholarships and financial aid that you can pursue.

- Check with the financial aid office of any college or university that you are interested in to see what scholarships and financial aid is available.
- Look for scholarships being offered in your local community by organizations such as the Rotary Club, Lions Club, Women's Club, 4-H, scouts, religious groups, etc. Your high school guidance office may help you find these.
- Look for regional, state, and national scholarships on websites such as [www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com), [www.scholarships.com](http://www.scholarships.com), and [www.scholarshipamerica.org](http://www.scholarshipamerica.org)
- Get good financial aid information and advice from websites such as [www.finaid.org](http://www.finaid.org)
- Learn about governmental grants and loans at sites such as [www.students.gov](http://www.students.gov) or <http://studentaid.ed.gov>
- These are just a few of the great websites that have information about college scholarships and financial aid.
- However, beware of scholarship scams! You should never have to pay to get information about available scholarships. See <http://www.finaid.org/scholarships/scams.phtml> for advice on avoiding scholarship scams.