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External	<b>Norwegian National League Scholarships</b>	1/1/2018 - 3/1/2018	Available scholarships are intended for 1st – 4th, 5th & 6th, 7th & 8th, 9th – 11th grades in addition to 12th-grade high school Seniors of <i>Norwegian descent</i> , <b>Minimum GPA of 3.0</b> or higher on a 4.0 scale, Reside in the following counties: Cook, DuPage, Kane, Lake, Kendall, McHenry or Wil	\$25 - \$1,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1950">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1950</a>
External	<b>Ulman Cancer Fund for Young Adults</b>	10/1/2017 - 3/1/2018	Applicants must have been between the ages of 15 and 39 during their own diagnosis/treatment or during the diagnosis/treatment of their parent or sibling	\$2,500	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1986">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1986</a>
External	<b>Ms Black USA - Kennetra Searcy Scholarship for Girls</b>	1/1/2018 - 3/1/2018	HS Senior, <b>Minimum 3.0 GPA, Recommendation from High School Principal</b> , Plan to enroll in college/university during Fall 2018, Demonstrate financial need	\$5,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1992">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1992</a>
External	<b>Mary E. Smith Foundation - Excellence in Academics &amp; Community Service Award</b>	9/1/2017 - 3/1/2018	<b>Must be a brain tumor patient/survivor or closely related to someone diagnosed with a brain tumor (Relationships are limited to spouse, biological children, biological parents, biological siblings), Minimum of 3.0 GPA</b> on 4.0 scale, <b>Rank in top half of graduating class</b> or an <b>ACT of 21 or SAT of 1000</b> , Demonstrate strong leadership ability and community service, Demonstrate financial need, <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	\$1,000 - \$2,500	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1858">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1858</a>
External	<b>Mary E. Smith Foundation - Excellence in Science &amp; Medicine Award</b>	9/1/2017 - 3/1/2018	HS Senior, <b>Minimum 3.0 GPA, Rank in the top half of class</b> and have <b>at least an SAT score of 1000 OR ACT of 21</b> , Must have <b>three (3) years of science courses with a minimum grade letter of B</b> in each course, Entering or currently enrolled in an advanced educational program within the health sciences ( <i>including biology, chemistry, nursing, etc.</i> ) with the <b>intent to enter the field of oncology or neurology (including neuroscience, neurosurgery, and neuropathology)</b> at a college or four-year university, <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	\$1,000 - \$2,500	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2217">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2217</a>
External	<b>Mary E. Smith Foundation - The Karen Lewis CTU Excellence in Science Award</b>	9/1/2017 - 3/1/2018	CPS HS Senior or graduate, <b>Minimum 3.0 GPA, ACT of 21 or SAT of 1000</b> , Entering or currently <b>enrolled in an advanced educational program within the health sciences (including biology, chemistry, nursing, etc.)</b> , Pursuing a technical certification, associate or bachelor level degree; with an emphasis in science and/or screening and research in the areas of oncology or neurology ( <i>including neuroscience, neurosurgery, and neuropathology</i> ) at a college or four year university, <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	\$1,000 - \$2,500	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2360">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2360</a>
External	<b>Illinois AMVETS Scholarship Program</b>	11/1/2017 - 3/1/2018	<b>Student must be the child or grandchild of a veteran or active-duty</b> , Be and Illinois resident, Have taken the ACT or SAT	\$1,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2249">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2249</a>

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External	<b>Blacks at Microsoft Scholarship</b>	11/1/2017 - 3/1/2018	HS Senior, <b>African descent (for example, African American, African, or Ethiopian), Cumulative GPA of 3.3+, Plan to pursue a bachelor's degree in engineering, computer science, computer information systems, or select business programs (such as finance, business administration, or marketing),</b> Demonstrate financial need, Plan to attend a four-year college or university in the fall of the year following high-school graduation	\$5,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2034">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2034</a>
External	<b>National Louis University Pathways Scholarship for Undocumented Students</b>	12/20/2017 - 3/1/2018	HS Senior, <b>Be accepted for the next academic year at Pathways at National Louis University for fall 2018, Be ineligible to apply for or receive federal and state financial aid,</b> Sign-up for and complete scholarship interview, Pay the \$50 enrollment deposit, <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	up to \$20,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2538">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2538</a>
External	<b>National Catholic College Admission Association (CCAA) Scholarship</b>	1/23/2018 - 3/1/2018	Applicants must graduate in the spring (i.e., spring 2018 high school graduation for fall 2018 awards), Recipients must be accepted to one or more National CCAA member institutions (linked on AW), <b>Recipients must enroll at a National CCAA member institution</b> beginning in fall 2018 (list linked on AW)	\$1,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2584">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2584</a>
External	<b>ACS Scholars Program</b>	11/1/2017 - 3/1/2018	Be a graduating HS Senior or college freshman, sophomore or junior intending to, or already <b>majoring in chemistry, biochemistry, chemical engineering, chemical technology, or another chemically-related science, Be African-American/Black, Hispanic/Latino, or Native American,</b> Be a full-time student at a high school or accredited college, university, or community college, Demonstrate high <b>academic achievement with a 3.0 GPA,</b> Demonstrate financial through FAFSA, Be a U.S. citizen or permanent U.S. resident, <b>Be planning a career in the chemical sciences</b>	\$1,000 - \$5,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2560">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2560</a>

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External	<b>Actuarial Diversity Scholarship</b>	1/1/2018 - 3/1/2018	HS Senior, Must have at least one birth parent who is a member of one of the following minority groups: <b>Black/African American, Hispanic, Native North American, Pacific Islander, Minimum GPA of 3.0</b> (on a 4.0 scale) with an <i>emphasis on math or actuarial courses</i> , Must have a <b>minimum ACT math score of 28 or SAT math score of 620</b> , Intent on <b>pursuing a career in the actuarial profession</b> , Enrolling as a full-time undergraduate student at a U.S. accredited educational institution	\$1,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2563">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2563</a>
External	<b>CRCA Scholarship</b>	1/3/2018 - 3/2/2018	HS Senior, <b>ACT composite of 29 or greater or SAT score of 1360 or greater</b> , Accepted as full-time student into undergraduate degree programs by four-year accredited colleges for the following fields of study – <b>liberal arts and sciences, engineering, architecture, or business</b> , United States citizens residing in Cook or other area counties	\$4,000 renewable	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2278">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2278</a>
External	<b>CRC Scholarship</b>	1/1/2018 - 3/2/2018	HS Senior, Demonstrate financial need, <b>Be a dependent of a member of a Chicagoland Roofing Council Contractor firm and the United Union of Roofers, Waterproofers and Allied Workers Local 11, or CRC Contractor office personnel</b>	\$2,000 renewable	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2083">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2083</a>
External	<b>Money Smart Kid Essay Contest</b>	1/23/2018 - 3/2/2018	<b>Be a student in grades 5-8 in their school</b> , Live in the Greater Chicagoland area, <b>Have knowledge of money management skills</b> ( <i>decision-making related to spending and saving, investing, use of credit, etc.</i> ) <b>appropriate for their age and grade level</b> , Demonstrate how they practice good money management skills in their daily lives, Be able to “think on their feet” – responding to questions from business leaders and media, Be articulate – able to speak in front of large groups and cameras, and respond well to questions, <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	\$1,000 - \$3,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2575">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2575</a>
External	<b>Greenwood Project Financial Services Summer Internship</b>	11/27/2018 - 3/5/2018	Must be a <b>current high school Junior or Senior</b> , Have a <b>minimum 3.0 GPA</b> , Demonstrate interest learning about and working in the financial industry, <b>Available to work 12-15 hours per week between June 4, 2018 – August 10, 2018, Must attend mandatory workshops in order to qualify for an internship</b>	Paid Summer Internship	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2581">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2581</a>
External	<b>Kathryn G. Hansen Scholarship - University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign</b>	12/1/2017 - 3/6/2018	HS Senior in Illinois, Commitment to pursue a higher education in an office professional, secretarial, or business-related field within the State of Illinois with preference given to attendance at the University of Illinois ( <b>NOT REQUIRED to attend U of I</b> ), Must be an Illinois and U.S. resident	\$500	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2132">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2132</a>

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External	<b>Dr. Charles Kennedy and Floyd A. Eskridge Jr. Scholarship</b>	1/10/2018 - 3/9/2018	HS Senior with plans to enroll full-time in a degree-seeking program at a four-year accredited college/university, <b>Minimum cumulative unweighted 2.5 GPA</b> , Minimum <b>20 Service Learning Hours</b> required, Must demonstrate Financial Need on FAFSA Student Aid Report, <b>Must permanently reside in Joliet or Chicago metropolitan area</b>	\$700	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2401">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2401</a>
External	<b>American Association of Blacks in Energy (AABE) Scholarship Program</b>	12/15/2017 - 3/15/2018	HS Senior intending to enroll the next semester following high school graduation in an accredited college or university, Must have and <b>maintain an unweighted GPA of 3.0</b> , The student must <b>plan to major in: business, one of the physical sciences, technology, engineering or mathematics field in preparation for a career in the energy sector</b> , Must be one of the historically underrepresented minorities in the sciences, technology, engineering and math-related disciplines ( <b>African American, Hispanic or Native American</b> )	\$1,500	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1892">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1892</a>
Apply-To (Ours)	<b>National African American Insurance Association (NAAIA) Chicago Chapter Scholarship</b>	2/1/2018 - 3/15/2018	<b>African American HS Senior, Minimum 2.5 unweighted GPA</b> , No minimum ACT/SAT score, Record of community involvement, All majors will be considered; however, <i>prospective Insurance, Risk Management, Business, Computer Science, Actuarial Science and Finance majors are preferred</i> <b>CHARTER APPLICATION AVAILABLE VIA ACADEMIC WORKS LINK</b>	\$1,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2439">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2439</a>
External	<b>Eta Xi Sigma Beacon of Light Scholarship</b>	11/17/2017 - 3/16/2018	HS Senior, <b>Identify as African-American/Black</b> , Permanent residents of the Chicago metropolitan area, <b>Cumulative unweighted GPA of 3.0+</b> , Committed to attend the Pre-Mother's Day Luncheon and Fashion Show on May 12, 2018	\$1,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2168">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2168</a>
External	<b>Marcus J. Bradshaw Foundation Scholarship</b>	1/29/2018 - 3/16/2018	HS Senior accepted into an accredited four-year college or university, This year, <b>the scholarship is open to ALL students regardless of race, ethnicity or sexual orientation and the award is no longer restricted to just minority students, as in 2017, A minimum cumulative 3.0 GPA</b> , Score of <b>at least 20 on the ACT and/or 1020 on the SAT</b> , A positive behavioral record, <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	\$2,500	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2441">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2441</a>
External	<b>Genesys Works Internship Program</b>	1/1/2018 - 3/16/2018	<b>High school junior</b> who is on track to graduate, Legally able to work in the U.S. and have valid documentation allowing you to do so, <b>At least 16 years of age by August 1, 2018</b> of your training year, <b>Able to work in the afternoons during your senior year in high school</b> , Recommended by your school counselor, principal or specialty teacher, Willing to invest your entire summer, completing our intensive training program, Aware that Genesys Works is something you do in addition to your schoolwork	Paid Internship	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1898">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1898</a>

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External	<i>Girls Who Code: 2018 Summer Immersion Program</i>	1/15/2018 - 3/16/2018	Be current Sophomores or Juniors in high school, Identify as female, Commit to attending the full 7-week program at their respective location. The program runs June 25 – August 10, 2018, Commute to and from the program every day. Girls Who Code will work with participants to coordinate transportation support as needed. Housing and travel considerations for non-local students are not provided	Free summer program	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2396">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2396</a>
External	<i>Que Llave Café Scholarship for Undocumented Students</i>	1/31/2018 - 3/17/2018	Must be an undocumented student (DACA students are eligible), Must demonstrate financial need, Must demonstrate academic potential and promise, Must be or will be a high school/GED graduate who will enroll for the first time in an accredited college or university in the U.S. or Puerto Rico for the 2018-2019 academic year., Open to DREAMers	\$500	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2123">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2123</a>
External	<i>Live Más Scholarship</i>	1/15/2018 - 3/18/2018	HS Senior OR Current undergraduate student, Open only to legal residents of the 50 United States who are at least 16 years of age and no older than 24 years of age, Must be on-track to apply for an accredited post-high school/post-secondary educational programs (including accredited two- and four-year college, universities, vocational-technical, and trade schools), Must showcase personal passions in a two (2) minute video submission	\$5,000 - \$25,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2587">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2587</a>
External	<i>Jack Kent Cooke Young Scholars Program</i>	1/17/2018 - 3/21/2018	7th-grade students ONLY, High academic ability and achievement, Demonstrated financial need, Open to DREAMers	Special consideration for \$40,000 per year Cooke College Scholarship	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2193">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2193</a>
External	<i>Chicago Urban League Scholarship</i>	12/25/2017 - 3/23/2018	HS Senior, Minimum cumulative 2.5 GPA, Must enroll in a full-time undergraduate degree-granting program or completing a two-year college program and expecting to enroll in a degree-granting program at a four-year institution, Demonstrate financial need, Open to DREAMers	up to \$5,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2048">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2048</a>
External	<i>Princeton University Summer Journalism Program</i>	2/23/2018 - 3/23/2018	Must currently be a junior in high school (class of 2019), Must live in the United States, Must have at least an unweighted GPA of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale, Must have an interest in journalism, The combined income of your custodial parent(s)/guardian(s) plus child support payments, if any, must not exceed \$45,000	Free Summer Journalism Program	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1860">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1860</a>
External	<i>Colonel Henry Crown Scholarship Fund - Junior Achievement</i>	1/23/2018 - 3/23/2018	HS Senior, Average of "B" or better beginning in sophomore year (average of 3.0 on a scale of 4.0 or better), Must have participated in a Junior Achievement high school program such as the JA Company Program, JA Career Success, High School Heroes, etc., Open to DREAMers	\$40,000 (\$10,000/year over 4-year period)	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2327">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2327</a>

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Apply-To (Ours)	<i>Jack and Jill of America, Inc. Windy City Scholars</i>	2/1/2018 - 3/30/2018	Must be an African-American high school senior, Must reside and attend a school in Chicago, <b>Cumulative (unweighted) GPA between 2.5 and 3.49</b> on a 4.0 scale <b>OR Cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher</b> on a 4.0 scale, Must attend an accredited two- or four-year college or university in the U.S. and remain in good standing during all years for which the scholarship is awarded, <b>Open to DREAMers CHARTER APPLICATION AVAILABLE VIA ACADEMIC WORKS LINK</b>	\$2,000 (\$500/year)	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2155">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2155</a>
External	<i>Midwest Great Lakes Regional Scholarship</i>	12/20/2017 - 3/30/2018	HS Senior, Resident of Illinois, <b>Intending to enroll in a field related to educational facility planning and design (including, but not be limited to, architecture, engineering, interior design, facility planning, and construction management), Open to DREAMers</b>	\$1,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2535">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2535</a>
External	<i>1000 Dreams Scholarship</i>	1/1/2018 - 3/30/2018	HS Senior, <b>Female-identifying student</b> , Demonstrate financial need, Must attend a two-year or four-year college/university in the United States	Varies	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2212">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2212</a>
External	<i>Hispanic Scholarship Fund (HSF) General Scholarship</i>	12/31/2017 - 3/30/2018	HS Senior OR Current College Student, <b>Must be of Hispanic Heritage, Minimum of 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent) for High School Students, Minimum of 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent) for College and Graduate Students</b> , Plan to enroll Full-Time in an accredited, not-for-profit, 4-year university, or graduate school, during the FALL of a scholarship cycle (year), U.S. Citizen, Permanent Legal Resident, DACA or Eligible Non-Citizen (as defined by FAFSA), Complete FAFSA or state-based financial aid application (if applicable), <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	\$500 - \$5,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2080">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2080</a>
Apply-To (Ours)	<i>IPLAC Educational Foundation Scholarship</i>	1/1/2018 - 3/30/2018	<b>Chicago public high school seniors</b> (students attending CPS charter schools are eligible), <b>Have a minimum 3.0 weighted GPA, Applicants must plan to major in science, engineering or pre-law</b> , The application MUST include high school transcript and ACT and/or SAT scores, Chosen students must attend the IPLAC dinner in May 2018 in order to receive the award. <b>CHARTER APPLICATION AVAILABLE VIA ACADEMIC WORKS LINK</b>	\$5,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2042">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2042</a>
Apply-To (Ours)	<i>Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Inc. Delta Sigma Chicago Alumnae Chapter Scholarship</i>	1/20/2018 - 3/30/2018	High school senior (class of 2018), Accepted to and enrolled in a 2-year and/or 4-year college or university, <b>All applicants must have a minimum 2.5 weighted GPA</b> , Be a full-time student in good standing at an accredited high school, <b>Open to DREAMers CHARTER APPLICATION AVAILABLE VIA ACADEMIC WORKS LINK</b>	\$1,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2108">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2108</a>

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External	<b>AKA Imani Pearls Community Development Foundation - HBCU Scholarship</b>	2/16/2018 - 3/30/2018	High school senior (class of 2018), <b>2.85 Cumulative Grade Point Average or higher (unweighted)</b> , An acceptance letter from the <b>Historically Black College or University (HBCU)</b> the student will attend on official letterhead, Proof of community service hours performed during your high school career; a minimum of 40 hours is required, <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	\$5,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1971">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1971</a>
External	<b>AKA Imani Pearls Community Development Foundation - General Scholarship</b>	2/16/2018 - 3/30/2018	High school senior (class of 2018), <b>2.85 Cumulative Grade Point Average or higher (unweighted)</b> , An acceptance letter from the four-year institution you will attend on official letterhead, Proof of community service hours performed during your high school career; a minimum of 40 hours is required, <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	\$5,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2219">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2219</a>
External	<b>Ezekiel Taylor Scholarship Foundation</b>	9/15/2017 - 3/31/2018	HS Senior, <b>African American Male, Minimum of 2.5 GPA</b> , Resident of Cook County, Must attend two-year or four-year college/university in Fall 2018	up to \$3,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2274">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2274</a>
Apply-To (Ours)	<b>Gread "Lefty" McKinnis Memorial Foundation Scholarship</b>	9/15/2017 - 3/31/2018	HS Senior, <b>African American Male</b> , U.S. citizen (Chicagoland area), Admitted to a full-time undergraduate program at 2 or 4-year college <b>CHARTER APPLICATION AVAILABLE VIA ACADEMIC WORKS LINK</b>	\$1,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2309">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2309</a>
External	<b>The Car Care Council Women's Board (WB) Scholarships</b>	10/1/2017 - 3/31/2018	<b>Female HS Senior, Minimum 2.5 GPA</b> or higher, Plan to enroll in an ASE-certified, post-secondary automobile technology program	\$1,000 - \$3,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1878">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1878</a>
External	<b>P. Buckley Moss Endowed Scholarship</b>	12/1/2017 - 3/31/2018	HS Senior, A <b>verified language-related learning difference</b> (including but not limited to dyslexia, written expression, reading comprehension, central auditory processing, visual perception, word recognition, and sequencing), <b>Visual arts talent and has the intent to pursue a career in a visual arts field</b> (primarily visual in nature such as ceramics, drawing, painting, sculpture, architecture, printmaking, and photography), Acceptance to an accredited four-year college or university or two-year community college, Demonstrate financial need	Up to \$1,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2258">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2258</a>
External	<b>Monarch Awards Foundation Scholarship</b>	1/31/2018 - 3/31/2018	Must be a 2018 graduating senior attending a Chicago Metropolitan Area High School (Chicago Metropolitan Area is defined by the Chicagoland Chamber of Commerce as Cook, DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry and Will counties), <b>Must have a minimum unweighted, cumulative grade point average of 3.0</b> on a 4.0 scale, Planning to attend an accredited four-year college or university in the summer or fall of 2018, Must show proof of acceptance to and enrollment in an accredited four-year college or university before the scholarship is awarded, <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	\$2,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2452">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2452</a>



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Opportunity Type	Scholarship Name	Timeline (Open - Close)	Target Demographic	Award Amount	Academic Works (AW) Link
External	<b>Chicago Fire Department Gold Badge Society Scholarship</b>	1/1/2018 - 3/31/2018	Open to graduating 8th grade and High School Seniors, <b>Must be qualifying children of active, disabled, retired or deceased firefighters or paramedics of the Chicago Fire Department</b> , GPA requirements vary depending on the scholarship ("B" or "C" GPA), <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	\$2,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2590">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2590</a>
External	<b>Foster Care to Success Scholarship</b>	1/1/2018 - 3/31/2018	Must have <b>been in public or private foster care for the 12 consecutive months leading up to and including their 18th birthday</b> ; OR have been <b>adopted or placed into legal guardianship from foster care after their 16th birthday</b> ; OR they must <b>have been orphaned for at least one year at the time of their 18th birthday</b> , Accepted into an accredited, Pell-eligible college or other postsecondary school, Have been in foster care or orphaned while living in the United States, <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	\$2,500 - \$5,000	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1924">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/1924</a>
External	<b>DePaul College Connect Summer Enrichment Program</b>	2/1/2018 - 3/31/2018	Must attend high school in Chicago, <b>Be in grade 10 or 11 (rising junior or senior)</b> , <b>Have a minimum 2.5 GPA</b> , A good attendance record and plans for college, <b>Open to DREAMers</b>	Free Summer Enrichment Program	<a href="https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2578">https://cps.academicworks.com/opportunities/2578</a>

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