



Elks
National
Foundation, Inc.



2019 MOST VALUABLE STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

The Elks National Foundation Awards **\$2.44 million** in college scholarships to a total of 500 high school seniors nationwide through its Most Valuable Student contest.

ELIGIBILITY

High School Senior and U.S. Citizen

JUDGING CRITERIA

Scholarship

Leadership

Financial Need

500 FOUR-YEAR AWARDS

Two **\$50,000** Scholarships

Two **\$40,000** Scholarships

Two **\$30,000** Scholarships

14 **\$20,000** Scholarships

480 **\$4,000** Scholarships

APPLICATIONS

Available online starting **August 15, 2018**
at enf.elks.org/mvs

DEADLINE

Due online on or before **November 15, 2018**

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2019 CONTEST TIMELINE

AUGUST 15, 2018

Applications available online at enf.elks.org/mvs

NOVEMBER 15, 2018

Application deadline

DECEMBER 2018

Local Lodge Judging

JANUARY 2019

District Judging

State Finalists Notified

Supplemental Materials Required

(i.e. Transcript, Standardized Test Scores and the FAFSA Student Aid Report.)

FEBRUARY 2019

State Judging

MARCH 2019

500 National Semi-Finalists Notified

Semi-Finalist Application Required

National Judging

Top 20 Finalists Selected to

Attend Leadership Weekend

APRIL 11-14, 2019

Leadership Weekend in Chicago

Interviews for Top Awards

Applicants will be notified via email at each stage of the competition by the Elks National Foundation's contest partner International Scholarship and Tuition Services, Inc. (ISTS). It is the responsibility of the applicant to make sure all eligibility and application requirements are met.

There is no guarantee of a financial award until applicants reach the national level.

Many Lodges, Districts and State Elks Associations also award scholarships through the MVS Contest. The ENF and ISTS are only responsible for administering the national competition.