

2020 MOST VALUABLE STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP



The Elks National Foundation Awards \$2.9 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 5, 2019 at enf.elks.org/mvs

DEADLINE

Due online on or before November 5, 2019

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2020 CONTEST TIMELINE

AUGUST 5, 2019

Applications available online at enf.elks.org/mvs

NOVEMBER 5, 2019

Application deadline

DECEMBER 2019—JANUARY 2020

- Local Lodge and District Judging
- State Finalists Notified
- Supplemental Materials Required (i.e. Transcript, Standardized Test Scores and the FAFSA Student Aid Report.)

FEBRUARY 2020

State Judging

MARCH 2020

- 500 National Semi-Finalists Notified
- Semi-Finalist Application Required

National Judging

Top 20 Finalists Selected to Attend Leadership Weekend

APRIL 23-26, 2020

Leadership Weekend in Chicago
Interviews for Top Awards



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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.