Scholarship Essay Tips

• Remember to focus on originality. For example, don‘t use common topics such as "sports taught me the value of teamwork."
• When choosing a topic be sure it is something you truly care about & are interested in.
• Avoid clichés. If you find yourself writing a cliche, stop, and rewrite the idea in your own words.
• Have a thesis. Ask yourself, "what is the point of my essay in a single sentence?"
• When you‘re done writing, re-read the prompt. Have you answered the question?
• Have someone proofread your essay & give you feedback
Helpful Links

Scholarship Essays

- Sample Scholarship essays:
  http://bit.ly/1MKifPn
- 8 Steps towards a better scholarship essay:
  http://bit.ly/1hJA6ND
- Sample essays:
  http://bit.ly/2ag82C4
- Tips for writing a scholarship essay:
  http://bit.ly/2aBsMCa

Personal Statements

- Sample essays:
- Examples of personal statements:
- Tips for writing a personal statement:
  http://bit.ly/1ehvBVF