Who Do You Know?

Your job	Your College(s)	Friends
Your groups & clubs		
		Neighbors
Your Family	You	Places You Volunteer
	Other	Teachers/Career Counselor
House of Worship		

Play the Scholarship Odds

The College(s) you're going to attend. Don't forget to also apply separately to the department you will be in at the college (e.g., Music, Education, IT, Nursing, etc.)

The best odds at 1 to approx. a couple of hundred.

Local & Regional sources. A Gallup Organization study found that 85% of scholarships received by college students are from the local community. The second best odds at 1 to between approx. 500 - a thousand or so.

Mational Scholarships. Very competitive. You'll have to really knock their socks off to be a contender.

The worst odds at 1 to approx. tens of thousands.