Scholarship 101:
Essay Tips
To Win
A Scholarship



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## Tip #1

- Read the question and research.
   What exactly are they asking you to answer?
- Begin writing your intro paragraph.
   Start with an attention grabber for the first sentence.

# Tip#2

- Be authentic when writing your story. Talk about your life experiences.
- Did you overcome a challenge?Empower your community?

# Tip #3

 Write your draft and then come back to it the next day for revisions.

## Tip #4

• Check for grammar errors and spelling mistakes. Grammarly will catch these for you.

# Bonus Tip!

- Have someone else look at it, to get feedback on it to see where you can make any improvements.
- How can you make your essay even better?
- Did you stay on topic and answer the question?

#### Grammarly

• Grammarly is a great software tool to use to help you catch grammar and spelling error mistakes.

Checkout out Grammarly <u>here</u>

Try the free version for assistance, or the premium version for more hands-on help.