

# Resume 101—Applications

## Activity #23

When you are applying for a job, scholarship, or admittance to a college you need to have an outstanding resume. The following activities and sources will be helpful as you write resumes now and in the future.

I. Go to [www.nextsteps.org/resume/resquiz.html](http://www.nextsteps.org/resume/resquiz.html)

This quiz is a great introduction. It is written with a job as the goal for the resume. The information will help you with a resume for a scholarship. Just insert the word “scholarship” for “job”. Record the correct answers below.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_  
6. \_\_\_\_\_ 7. \_\_\_\_\_ 8. \_\_\_\_\_ 9. \_\_\_\_\_ 10. \_\_\_\_\_

II. Importance of scholarship resumes

Go to [www.gocollege.com/financial-aid/scholarships/apply/resume.html](http://www.gocollege.com/financial-aid/scholarships/apply/resume.html)

1. A scholarship resume is
  - a. a listing of all the scholarships you’ve won
  - b. a document that outlines your greatest accomplishments so far
  - c. accomplishments listed might be personal, academic or extracurricular
  - d. all of the above
  - e. a and c
  - f. b and c
2. What are two reasons you need to make a scholarship resume?
3. What are three important steps to making a great scholarship resume?
4. T F It is best to start listing your accomplishments with your freshmen year.  
Explain your answer.

### III. Help Making a Strong Resume

Go to [www.youngmoney.com/credit\\_debt\\_faq/040101\\_01/](http://www.youngmoney.com/credit_debt_faq/040101_01/)

1. How can a job as a fast food restaurant be valuable on a resume?
2. Action words or phrases are very helpful when you are creating your resume. Go to [www1.umn.edu/ohr/prod/groups/ohr/@pub/@ohr/documents/asset/ohr\\_43198.pdf](http://www1.umn.edu/ohr/prod/groups/ohr/@pub/@ohr/documents/asset/ohr_43198.pdf)

Write down two words found there you could use to describe these tasks:

Helped hand out Pep Club posters; \_\_\_\_\_

A in Computer Applications & Web Page Design; \_\_\_\_\_

Started PHS Hat Parade; \_\_\_\_\_

3. Match the following items found on a resume to the correct employer. Write the correct letters on the line below each firm. Some of the answers could be used twice.

United Way

IBM

\_\_\_\_\_

- A. Future Business Leaders—Secretary
- B. Chairman of P.H.S. Red Cross Blood drive
- C. Botball Regional Competition Award
- D. KAY Club president
- E. Relay for Life volunteer
- F. Computer Technology Aide
- G. National Honor Society
- H. 4.0 GPA
- I. Volunteen program for Pratt Regional Medical Center