

K-State Financial Aid

<http://www.k-state.edu/admissions/#p=finaid%2Fscholarships.html>

To apply for the scholarships below, complete the K-State scholarship application by the priority deadlines and submit any additional applications requested.

November 1st is the priority date for incoming freshmen to submit the K-State scholarship application.

Purple and White Scholarship for non-Kansas residents

Qualifications: ACT score: 24+ and GPA: 3.5 or above

Amount: \$8,000

Application: Complete the K-State scholarship application.

Honors Scholarship for non-Kansas residents

Qualifications: ACT score: 24 or higher and GPA: 3.5 or above

Amount: \$8,000

Application: Complete the K-State scholarship application.

Denison Award for non-Kansas residents

Qualifications: ACT score: 20-23 and GPA: 3.5 or above

Amount: \$5,000

Application: Complete the K-State scholarship application.

Edgerly-Franklin Urban Leadership Scholarship and Developing Scholars Program

Qualifications: GPA: 3.5 or above, strong record of community service, and preference will be given to students of color and first-generation college students.

Amount: \$3,000 and also are paid to do 10 hours of research per week

Application: Apply for acceptance to the Developing Scholars Program. Complete the K-State scholarship application and check back in September to complete the online combined Edgerley-Franklin Urban Leadership and Developing Scholars application. Applications due by January 14, 2012.

Nancy Landon Kassebaum Scholarship

Qualifications: ACT score: 26 or above, demonstrate commitment to public service, have a strong desire to continue work in the public service realm, and participate in an on-campus interview and recognition event on Monday, January 24, 2011.

Amount: \$5,000 (nonrenewable)

Application: Complete the K-State scholarship application and check back in September to complete the online Kassebaum supplemental application. Applications due by December 12, 2011.

Civic Leadership Scholarship

Qualifications: Have an exemplary record of community service and participate in an on-campus interview and recognition event on Monday, January 20, 2012.

Amount: 1st place- \$4,000, 2nd place- \$2,500, and 3rd place- \$2,000

Application: Complete the K-State scholarship application and check back in September to complete the online K-State Civic Leadership Scholarship supplemental application. Applications due by December 12, 2011.

College and Departmental

In February the General Scholarship Committee forwards all names to colleges and departments for additional scholarship consideration. If you did not meet the November 1 scholarship deadline, be sure to apply before February 1 to make this list.

KU Financial Aid

2012-13 Nonresident Renewable Scholarships

<http://admissions.ku.edu/affordability/>

* You'll be considered for these renewable scholarships if you submit a complete admission application by Nov. 1.

National Merit Finalist

Qualifications: Must select KU as No. 1 college choice with National Merit Scholarship Corp.

Amount: \$40,000 (\$10,000/year)*

Renewal: 4 years

Midwest Student Exchange Program

Qualifications: 24 ACT/1090 SAT and 3.25 GPA

Amount: \$37,200 (\$9,300/year)*

Renewal: 4 years

KU Excellence

Qualifications: 28 ACT/1250 SAT and 3.5 GPA

Amount: \$37,200 (\$9,300/year)*

Renewal: 4 years

KU Distinction

Qualifications: 25 ACT/1130 SAT and 3.5 GPA

Amount: \$12,000 (\$3,000/year)

Renewal: 4 years

KU Achievement

Qualifications: 24 ACT/1090 SAT and 3.75 GPA

Amount: \$8,000 (\$2,000/year)

Renewal: 4 years

JAYHAWK GENERATIONS

Must have a parent, stepparent, grandparent, step-grandparent, or legal guardian who graduated from KU. Recipients with 24-27 ACT scores and 3.5 GPAs also may be eligible for KU Distinction or KU Achievement scholarships.

Qualifications: 28 ACT/1250 SAT and 3.5 GPA

Amount: \$37,200 (\$9,300/year)*

Renewal: 4 years

Qualifications: 26-27 ACT/1170-1240 SAT and 3.5 GPA

Amount: \$17,200 (\$4,300/year)*

Renewal: 4 years

Qualifications: 24-25 ACT/1090-1160 SAT and 3.5 GPA

Amount: \$10,320 (\$2,580/year)*

Renewal: 4 years

Metropolitan Community College Financial Aid

You must enroll to be considered for any scholarships and fill out FASFA. Amounts of scholarships are unknown.

<http://mcckc.edu/main.asp?P=GSNonfoundation>

Board of Trustees and President's Scholarships

Qualifications: Rank in the top 20% of their high school graduating class

Board of Trustee's Scholarship

Qualifications: 2.75 GPA and enrolled full time

President's Scholarship

Qualifications: Enrolled half time and 2.75 GPA

Honors Scholarships

Qualifications: 3.5 GPA

Grants Available

Partners in Excellence Grants

Leadership Grants

Program Enhancement Grant

Student Development Grants

Athletic Grant

Student Activities Grant

Academic Development Grant (Grant-in-Aid)

Missouri State University Financial Aid

<http://www.missouristate.edu/FinancialAid/scholarships/freshmanscholarshipprograms.html>

To qualify for scholarships, you must first apply and be admitted.. Your application must be received by the deadline specified for each scholarship for consideration.

Presidential Scholarship

Qualifications: Rank in the top 10% of class or have a 3.90 GPA and have an ACT of 30

Amount: \$12,500 per year

Application: Complete the Missouri State Presidential Scholarship Application and apply for admission by December 1.

Board of Governors Scholarship

Qualifications: Top 10% of class or 3.90 GPA combined with a minimum ACT of 28

Amount: \$5,000 per year

Application: Apply for admission by January 15. Eligible students will be identified based on their admission application credentials.

Provost Scholarship

Qualifications: Top 20% of class or 3.70 GPA combined with a minimum ACT of 26 (or rank 1st or 2nd in graduating class)

Amount: \$2,500 per year

Application: Apply for admission by January 15. Eligible students will be identified based on their admission application credentials.

Deans' Scholarship

Qualifications: Top 10% of class or 3.90 GPA combined with a minimum ACT score of 24

Amount: \$1,500 per year

Application: Apply for admission by January 15. Eligible students will be identified based on their admission application credentials.

Multicultural Leadership Scholarship

Qualifications: Rank in the upper 1/2 of their class or 3.00 GPA and have demonstrated leadership in multicultural school or community activities or organizations

Amount: \$6,250 per year

Application: Complete the Missouri State Multicultural Leadership Scholarship Application and apply for admission by December 1.

Missouri State Advantage Scholarship

Qualifications: Awarded to entering freshmen who completed six or more credit hours through the Missouri State University dual credit program with a cumulative MSU grade point average of 3.00 or higher

Amount: \$1,000

Application: Apply for admission by June 1 for the fall semester.

Hutchens/SGA Centennial Leaders Scholarship

Qualifications: Rank in the upper 1/2 of class or have a 3.0 GPA and have ACT score of 20

Amount: \$1,250 per year or \$2,500 for students with documented financial need

Application: Complete the Missouri State Centennial Leaders Scholarship Application and apply for admission by December 1. Complete FAFSA as soon after January 1 as possible.

Missouri State Promise Scholarship

Qualifications: Awarded to Missouri residents who are entering freshmen and who have a total household income at or below 150% of the federal poverty level as determined by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Amount: Equal to the cost of full-time tuition and fees and a standard book allowance of \$900 per year

Application: Apply for admission by June 1 (for students entering in summer or fall) or by October 1 (for students entering in the spring). Submit the FAFSA by June 30 if entering in summer or fall or by October 31 if entering in the spring. No special application is required.

Mizzou Financial Aid

MU Annual Scholarship Application

<http://financialaid.missouri.edu/types-of-aid/scholarships/mu-scholarship-application/index.php>

The University of Missouri offers several scholarships for which students are considered automatically when they are admitted to MU. Other MU scholarships require the students to apply using the MU Annual Scholarship Application.

Excellence Award

Qualifications: Top 50% of class and ACT score of 27 or higher

Amount: \$1000 for top 50% and \$2000 for top 25% per year

Renewal: 8 regular semesters or until bachelor's is reached

Application: No application required. Students are automatically considered once admitted to MU.

Curators Scholars Award

Qualifications: Top 5% of class and ACT score of 28 or higher

Amount: \$3,500 per year

Renewal: 8 regular semesters or until bachelor's is reached

Application: No application required. Students are automatically considered once admitted to MU.

Mizzou Scholars Award

Qualifications: ACT score of 33 or higher sent from the ACT by December 1st of senior year. ACT scores sent by high school transcript will not be considered.

Amount: \$10,000 per year

Renewal: 8 regular semesters or until bachelor's is reached

Application: Send application to MU and transcripts by **December 1st**. Candidates will be contacted and asked to submit a resume and two essays. 50 finalists will be requested for an interview. Ten recipients will be chosen.

Chancellor's Scholarship

Qualifications: ACT score of 33 or higher sent from the ACT by **December 1st** of senior year. ACT scores sent by high school transcript will not be considered.

Amount: Full fees, room, board and books for the year.

Renewal: 8 regular semesters or until bachelor's is reached

Application: Send application to MU and transcripts by **December 1st**. Candidates will be contacted and asked to submit a resume and two essays. 50 finalists will be requested for an interview. One will be chosen for the award.

Diversity Award

Qualifications: Competitive high school academic record, including grades, class rank and ACT or SAT scores. Member of an ethnic group that is under-represented in Missouri higher education.

Amount: \$2,500 per year

Renewal: 8 regular semesters or until bachelor's is reached

Application: No separate application is required. Only need to apply for admission.

George C. Brooks Scholarship

Qualifications: Member of an ethnic group that is under-represented in Missouri higher education. ACT score of 25 or higher.

Amount: \$7,500 per year

Renewal: 8 regular semesters or until bachelor's is reached

Application: Apply for admission to MU and submit official transcripts and test scores no later than **January 1st**. Qualified applicants will then be asked to submit an essay which is due **January 14th**. Applicants will be chosen for an interview in February to select recipients.

Transition Grant

Qualifications: Based on high school class rank and ACT or SAT scores. Member of an ethnic group that is under-represented in Missouri higher education. Completion of Summer Transition Program required.

Amount: \$2,500 per year

Renewal: 8 regular semesters or until bachelor's is reached

Application: No application required. Students are automatically considered once admitted to MU.

Mizzou Alumni Scholars Program

Qualifications: Top 20% of your high school graduation class OR achieve a minimum of 26 on the ACT.

Amount: \$500-\$5,000

Renewal: Varies with awards received and will be indicated in a letter that each scholar will receive.

Application: Application online at

<http://www.mizzou.com/s/1002/index.aspx?sid=1002&gid=1&pgid=447>

A maximum of 4,000 words essay, transcript, and list of activities are all due by **February 1st**.

Northwest Missouri State Financial Aid

<http://www.nwmissouri.edu/finaid/Freshman.htm>

Admission-based scholarships have admission application deadline of May 1 to guarantee scholarship awards.

Automatic Freshman Scholarships

No separate scholarship application is required. Scholarship level is determined by the Admissions Index (combined percentile of class rank and ACT/SAT score provided on high school transcript with Admission Application).

President's Scholarship- Award of \$5,000 and ACT requirements of 28-36

* Must apply by February 1st

Distinguished Scholar- Award of \$2,500 and ACT requirements of 28-36

Academic Excellence Scholar- Award of \$2,000 and ACT requirements of 27

Tower Scholar- Award of \$1,500 and ACT requirements of 23-26

Freshman Merit Award- Award of \$500 and ACT requirements of 21-22

Cultural Enrichment Scholarship- Award of \$500-\$1200

Alumni Scholarship- \$500 and son, daughter or spouse of Northwest alumnus

University and State Sponsored Scholarships

These scholarships are awarded through University and state programs. Such scholarships include Bright Flight, the Missouri Teacher Education Scholarship and National Guard/ROTC Scholarship among others.

Private Scholarships

These scholarships are funded by our Northwest Foundation or private donors. They are not specific to any major, but may be limited by academic, geographic, or grade level criteria.

Major-specific Scholarships

These scholarships are funded by contributions to our Northwest Foundation or by private donors and are specified to designated majors.

Directly Awarded Freshman Scholarships

The following scholarships are made available by funds from the Northwest Foundation and are awarded based upon a variety of criteria as designated by the donors. No separate application is required. However, students must complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) to be considered.

SE Missouri State Financial Aid

<http://www.semo.edu/sfs/financialaid/scholarships/freshmen.htm>

Freshmen scholarships are awarded based on a combination of ACT or SAT scores and cumulative high school grade point average or class rank. All applicants for admission are automatically considered for merit scholarships

Governor's Scholarship

Qualifications: 31+ ACT and rank in the upper 3% of class

Amount: Incidental fees and general fees for 30 credit hours per academic year, room & board, textbook rental.

Application: Complete the "Application for Undergraduate Admission and Merit Scholarships." Apply by December 15.

Regents' Scholarship

Qualifications: 27+ ACT and GPA of 3.5, or rank in the upper 10% of class

Amount: Incidental fees for 30 credit hours per academic year.

Application: Complete the "Application for Undergraduate Admission and Merit Scholarships." Apply by December 15.

President's Plus Scholarship

Qualifications: 26+ ACT and GPA of 3.5 or rank in the upper 20% of their class

Amount: \$2,500 per year

Application: Complete the "Application for Undergraduate Admission and Merit Scholarships." Apply by December 15.

President's Scholarship

Qualifications: 27+ ACT and GPA of 3.3 or 24+ ACT and GPA of 3.5 or 23+ ACT and rank in the upper 10% of class

Amount: \$2,000 per year

Application: Complete the "Application for Undergraduate Admission and Merit Scholarships." Apply by December 15.

Missouri Leadership Award

Qualifications: Record of student involvement and a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative GPA in high school. School and community-based activities should be included.

Amount: \$500 to be applied to residence hall fees

Application: Complete the online "Application for Admission" and answer the optional essay questions. Apply by December 15.

Renaissance Scholarship

Qualifications: Record of student involvement and a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative GPA in high school. School and community-based activities should be included.

Amount: \$1000 to be applied to residence hall fees

Application: Complete the online "Application for Admission" and answer the optional essay questions. Apply by December 15.

Apply for Endowed and Sponsored Scholarships online!

Qualifications: might be based on your residency, high school GPA, major or financial need as determined by the results of FAFSA

Amount: varies

Application: must be admitted

Steps to Apply for an Endowed Scholarship:

- Login to your Student Portal (<http://portal.semo.edu>)
- Select Students Tab
- Select "Click Here to open My Southeast Self-Service"
- Click on the link to access your Self-Service page
- Select "Southeast Student Processes"
- Select "Apply for an Endowed Scholarship"

UMKC Financial Aid

<http://www.sfa.umkc.edu/site2/scholarships.cfm>

There are three major categories of scholarships at UMKC - Automatic, Competitive and Academic Unit (program of study).

Automatic Scholarships

These are awarded to students based on information provided on the Admissions application and do not require an additional application. Freshman who are admitted to UMKC by **February 1st** are considered.

Curators' Scholar Award

Qualifications: Top 5% high school class ranking AND ACT score of 28 or above

Amount: \$3,500

Chancellor's Scholar Award

Qualifications: Top 10% of high school class OR ACT composite score of 23 or above

Amount: \$2,500

UMKC Undergraduate Award

Qualifications: Top 25 percent of high school class

Amount: \$1,500

Bright Flight

Qualifications: Composite score in Top 3% of Missouri students taking ACT or SAT

Amount: \$2,000

Competitive Scholarships

These are awarded to current students based on completion of an annual scholarship application available online through the Financial Aid and Scholarships Office. Incoming freshmen admitted by **February 1st**.

Trustees Scholars Program

Qualifications: Must meet two of the following three academic qualifications: Top 5% high school class ranking, ACT score of 30 or above, or 3.5 GPA

Amount: Full tuition & fees, room & board and book allowance

Application: Trustees Scholars Program Application (found on website)

Mbembe Milton Smith Scholarship

Qualifications: non-weighted 3.0 cumulative GPA

Amount: \$750

Application: Mbembe Milton Smith Scholarship Application (found on website)

UMKC Herman Johnson African-American Scholarship

Qualifications: non-weighted 3.0 cumulative GPA

Amount: varies

Application: UMKC Herman Johnson African-American Scholarship Application (found on website)

Victor Wilson Scholarship

Qualifications: Male students who are current and long-time residents within the official city limits of KCMO and completion of the FAFSA by March 1, demonstrating financial need.

Amount: \$8,000

Application: none

University of Central Missouri Financial Aid

<http://www.ucmo.edu/sfs/explore/scholarships/ucmfreshscholarships.cfm>

Apply and be fully accepted for admission to a degree program offered by the University of Central Missouri. You're welcome to apply for federal financial aid while waiting to be fully admitted to UCM. Complete and submit a FAFSA.

RED & BLACK SCHOLARSHIP

Qualifications: Admitted to UCM by the December 1, 2011.

Amount: Varies with GPA and ACT score

Application: Apply to UCM and have all materials submitted before December 1st.

UCM FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications for scholarships established by generous friends of the university are available online. Most are due March 1, 2012. There are 64 available! Listed below are a few.

Alumni Legacy Scholarship

Qualifications: be the child or grandchild of a UCM alumnus, GPA of 3.0, demonstrate leadership abilities in high school and community activities, and possess high standards of character as evidenced by letters of recommendation.

Amount: \$500

Application: <http://www.ucmo.edu/foundation/scholarships/documents/fresh/alumnihs.pdf>

Clay J. and Oma C. Anderson Scholarship

Qualifications: Demonstrate financial need and preference shall be given to a student, who, because of parents' income, does not qualify for federal financial assistance.

Amount: varies

Application: <http://www.ucmo.edu/foundation/scholarships/documents/fresh/andersonhs.pdf>

Helen Monroe Bell Scholarship

Qualifications: Plan to pursue a degree in elementary education, GPA of 3.0, demonstrate financial need, and demonstrate good character and high ethical standards.

Amount: varies

Application: <http://www.ucmo.edu/foundation/scholarships/documents/fresh/hmbellhs.pdf>

Lucy Bergman Memorial Scholarship in Theatre

Qualifications: Be or have been an active participant in theatre and •demonstrate leadership and service.

Amount: varies

Application: <http://www.ucmo.edu/foundation/scholarships/documents/fresh/bergmanhs.pdf>