



**2024-2025  
ACADEMIC YEAR**

# FRESHMAN

## SCHOLARSHIPS & FINANCIAL AID

The Scholarship Office at the University of Memphis evaluates first-time freshmen applying to the University immediately after graduating high school for our competitive academic scholarships. Students should apply for admission before the December 1 priority date to receive maximum consideration for available academic scholarships. First-time freshmen have two pathways for academic scholarship consideration. Students can be evaluated using a combination of both cumulative high school GPA and ACT/SAT scores. Students can also be evaluated for test-optional scholarship opportunities based on cumulative high school GPA only. We do consider standardized test superscores and encourage students to provide ACT/SAT scores should they decide to take the ACT/SAT to maximize potential scholarship eligibility.

An eligible Tennessee resident may accept only one first-time freshman scholarship in addition to offers from the Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation with the exception of the Valedictorian Scholarship and the Memphis Promise, which are stackable. Non-resident students may accept only one first-time freshman scholarship in addition to the Valedictorian Scholarship, which is stackable. We encourage students to submit updated test scores and GPA information until March 1. UofM Global degree programs are ineligible for these scholarship programs.

Academic scholarships are renewable for three years and disbursed during the fall and spring semesters only. Scholarship recipients must take a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester and maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 at the end of their first year and 3.0 thereafter for renewal. Students are encouraged to complete at least 15 credit hours per semester to graduate in four years. Students must complete required service hours for renewal.

For more comprehensive information on these and other scholarships, including privately funded opportunities, visit the Scholarship Office website at [memphis.edu/scholarships](https://memphis.edu/scholarships).





# SCHOLARSHIP

## OPPORTUNITIES

SCHOLARSHIP	GPA	ACT	SAT	CLASS RANK	HOPE SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY	FEDERAL PELL GRANT ELIGIBILITY	RESIDENCY	DURATION	ANNUAL AMOUNT	HOW TO APPLY
Cecil C. Humphreys Presidential Scholarship	3.50	31	1390				Tennessee Resident	8 Semesters	\$6,000	Admissions Application
Cecil C. Humphreys Presidential Scholarship Non-Resident	3.50	31	1390				Non-resident - US Citizen	8 Semesters	\$7,000	Admissions Application
Provost	3.25	29	1330				Tennessee Resident	8 Semesters	\$5,000	Admissions Application
Provost Non-Resident	3.25	29	1330				Non-resident - US Citizen	8 Semesters	\$6,000	Admissions Application
Deans	3.25	25	1200				Tennessee Resident or Non-resident - US Citizen	8 Semesters	\$4,000	Admissions Application
Academic Excellence Award	3.50	23	1130				Tennessee Resident or Non-resident - US Citizen	8 Semesters	\$3,000	Admissions Application
Academic Achievement Award	3.25	23	1130				Tennessee Resident or Non-resident - US Citizen	8 Semesters	\$2,000	Admissions Application
Trustee Award 1	3.80						Tennessee Resident or Non-resident - US Citizen	8 Semesters	\$1,000	Admissions Application
Trustee Award 2	3.90						Tennessee Resident or Non-resident - US Citizen	8 Semesters	\$1,500	Admissions Application
Trustee Award 3	4.00						Tennessee Resident or Non-resident - US Citizen	8 Semesters	\$2,000	Admissions Application
Trustee Award 4	4.10						Tennessee Resident or Non-resident - US Citizen	8 Semesters	\$3,000	Admissions Application
Memphis Promise					Hope Eligible	Federal Pell Grant Eligible	Tennessee Resident	8 Semesters	Varies	Admissions Application
Valedictorian Scholarship				1			Tennessee Resident or Non-resident - US Citizen	8 Semesters	\$1,000	Admissions Application
First Scholars Program							Tennessee Resident or Non-resident - US Citizen	8 Semesters	\$5,000	First Scholars Application
Emerging Leaders Scholarship	3.00	21	1060				Tennessee Resident or Non-resident - US Citizen	8 Semesters	\$5,500	Tiger Scholarship Manager
Memphis Advantage	3.00	20	1030				Tennessee Resident	8 Semesters	\$4,000	Tiger Scholarship Manager



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