

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARLY NEED AWARD

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

Available to new incoming freshmen students. Award amount is based upon high school GPA and FAFSA Estimated Family Contribution (EFC) according to University Scholarly Need Table shown below.

Priority awarding is given to students admitted by February 1st, who will be attending the following fall term. There is no application needed for this award. Students will be automatically offered this award based on their high school GPA and FAFSA EFC at the time of admission to EOU.

University Scholarly Need Award Beginning the 2021-22 Academic Year

EFC Groups	GPA 3.85+	GPA 3.70 – 3.84	GPA 3.00 - 3.69
< 1,000	\$1,500	\$1,250	\$1,250
1,000 – 5,000	\$1,250	\$1,250	\$1,000
5,000 – 10,000	\$1,250	\$1,000	\$ 750
10,000 – 20,000	\$1,000	\$ 750	\$ 750

RENEWAL CRITERIA:

University Scholarly Need Awards are renewable up to 12-terms (4-year equivalency). To maintain eligibility for this award, students must maintain a cumulative 3.0 GPA and complete 45-credit hours at EOU, per regular academic year (fall, winter, and spring terms). The Financial Aid Office will monitor your academic progress and determine your eligibility to renew, after spring term of each year.

The University Scholarly Need Award cannot be awarded simultaneously with the Transfer & Continuing Student Success Award, or the University Achievement award, as these are partner programs. If a student is receiving other Institutional Awards, their total institutional aid cannot exceed the cost of their total tuition. **Consortium or dual-enrolled students will only receive credit toward their award for the credits they are taking at Eastern Oregon University.*

REQUIREMENTS TO RECEIVE FUNDS:

To guarantee receipt of these funds, the student must accept the award offer no later than 30 days after the postmark. All awards not accepted within this timeframe, will be forfeit and the funds will be reallocated to other eligible candidates.

Awards are based on full-time enrollment and will not be paid if students are registered for less than full-time (12 credit hours per term). Study abroad programs do not count as credits registered with EOU.

One-third of these award funds will be released directly into the student account each term and will apply to tuition.