

ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP FAQs

What types of Academic scholarships do we offer and what are the requirements for each:

We currently offer 3 levels of Academic scholarships. They are the AAMU Merit scholarship, AAMU presidential scholarship and the Transfer Merit scholarship.

AAMU Merit Scholarship:

Covers the cost of tuition for up to 8 Semesters

CRITERIA:

- *Applicant must have a High School GPA of 3.25 or above.*
- *Applicant must have an ACT Score of 23 or above/SAT Score of 1590 or above.*
- *Applicant must be a United States Citizen or Legal Resident of the United States.*
- *Applicant must be a graduating high school senior planning to attend Alabama A&M University and seeking an undergraduate degree.*
- *Must be fully admitted/ accepted through the AAMU Admissions Office*

AAMU Transfer Merit Scholarship:

Covers the cost of tuition for up to 4 Semesters

CRITERIA:

- *Applicant must have a Transfer GPA of 3.25 or above.*
- **Applicant must have met all transfer admissions criteria.*
*(*Contact P. Broaden in the Admissions Office for further details)*

AAMU Presidential Scholarship:

Covers the cost of tuition, room, board and fees for up to 8 Semesters.

(Also includes a \$500 per semester book allowance)

CRITERIA:

- *Applicant must have a High School GPA of 3.75 or above.*
- *Applicant must have an ACT Score of 28 or above/SAT Score of 1860 or above.*
- *Applicant must be a United States Citizen or Legal Resident of the United States.*
- *Applicant must be a graduating high school senior planning to attend Alabama A&M University and seeking an undergraduate degree.*
- *Must be fully admitted/ accepted through the AAMU Admissions Office*
- *Currently only 1 Presidential Scholarship is offered annually for each academic college (4)*

We also offer Grant in Aid packages for qualified students. These range in value from \$1500 to \$3500 per year and are awarded based on High School GPA and ACT/SAT scores. Students are automatically considered for the GIA packages upon submission of the FAFSA and any supporting financial aid documentation that might be needed.

How do I apply for these scholarships?

You may access the scholarship application via the AAMU website. Under the Admissions tab click financial aid, then 2014 academic scholarship application. *There is no application necessary for the Grant-in –Aid awards.

How will I know whether I received the scholarship?

If chosen to receive the scholarship, You will receive a scholarship offer/ acknowledgement packet in the mail.

Who do I contact should I have questions regarding academic scholarships at AAMU?

The best way to reach us for scholarship information is via email at scholarships@aamu.edu. We will respond to most inquiries within 48 hours.