



# Allen University

## 2018-2019 Scholarships

Allen University is committed to the highest standards of academic excellence and recognizes outstanding freshmen students through its scholarship programs. Allen University scholarships are awarded based on a student's academic performance in high school and availability of funds. There is one additional scholarship application required to be considered for Allen University's Presidential scholarship. The application is available online at [www.allenuniversity.edu](http://www.allenuniversity.edu).

### ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

| Scholarship                      | Qualifications  | Renewal Requirements   | Award Amount  |
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| <b>Presidential Scholarship</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minimum GPA of 3.5 &amp; Above</li> <li>Minimum 1100 SAT or 24 ACT score</li> <li>Scholarship Application deadline June 15th</li> <li>FAFSA must be submitted by June 15<sup>th</sup></li> <li>Recommendation letter from teacher</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cumulative GPA of 3.5</li> <li>Minimum of 15 credit hours per semester</li> <li>FAFSA must be submitted by June 15th</li> </ul> | <b>Up to Full Tuition, Room &amp; Board, &amp; Fees</b> |
| <b>AU Honors Scholarship</b>     | 3.50 & above  | 3.5  | \$5,000.00 annually<br>\$20,000.00 Eight Semesters      |
| <b>AU Scholars Scholarship</b>   | 3.00-3.49   | 3  | \$3,500.00 annually<br>\$14,000.00 Eight Semesters      |
| <b>AU Merit Scholarship</b>      | 2.5-2.99  | 2.5  | \$2,000.00 annually<br>\$8,000.00 Eight Semesters       |
| <b>AU Admissions Scholarship</b> | 2.0 - 2.49  | 2  | \$1,000.00 annually<br>\$4,000.00 Eight Semesters       |
| <b>AU Minority Scholarship</b>   | 2.5   | 2.5  | \$2,500.00 annually<br>\$10,000.00 Eight Semesters      |
| <b>AU Assist Scholarship</b>     | 2   | 2  | \$2,000.00 for Spring Only                              |

### OTHER SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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| <b>Music Scholarship</b>            | Music scholarships are awarded by the music faculty and ones for choir are awarded by Choir Director. Music Scholarship Awards vary.  |
| <b>Performing Arts Scholarships</b> | Performing Arts scholarships are awarded to band and ensemble participants that are selected by the Director of Bands. Performing Arts Scholarship Awards vary.   |
| <b>UNCF Scholarship</b>             | The United Negro College Fund is the nation's largest minority education organization. Allen University is one of the 37 UNCF member institutions. UNCF recommends that students applying for any of its scholarships apply also for the UNCF General Scholarship, which requires undergraduate and graduate college students to have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5. The submission of the student profile automatically submits the student for the scholarship. Please visit <a href="http://www.uncf.org">www.uncf.org</a> to day to complete your profile and apply for scholarships. |
| <b>Athletic Scholarship</b>         | At the discretion of the Athletic Director, head male/female coaches, Allen University awards Athletic Scholarships to impact players on the university's NAIA sports teams. Athletic Scholarship award amounts vary.   |

### State Scholarships & Grants

#### Palmetto Fellows Scholarship

*Annual value: up to \$6,700 for the first year*

You are eligible to apply for this state-awarded scholarship, worth up to \$6,700 for the first year and up to \$7,500 for the next three years, if you are an S.C. high school student with exemplary academic credentials. For more information, contact your high school guidance counselor or the S.C. Commission on Higher Education.

*All scholarships are subject to the availability of funds.*



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## LIFE Scholarship

*Annual value: up to \$7,500*

The Legislative Incentives for Future Excellence (LIFE) Scholarship is a state-awarded scholarship valued at \$5,000 to \$7,500 per year. If you meet two of the following three requirements, you are eligible for this scholarship:

1) your final, cumulative grade point average is at least a "B" (3.00); 2) your SAT score is at least 1100 on critical reading and math sections combined (ACT composite score of at least 24); or 3) you graduate in the top 30 percent of your class

## HOPE Scholarship

*Annual value: \$2,800*

The S.C. HOPE scholarship is state-awarded and valued at \$2,800 for the freshman year only. If your final, cumulative GPA is at least a "B" (3.00) and you do not qualify for a Palmetto Fellows or LIFE scholarship, you are eligible to receive this scholarship.

## South Carolina Tuition Grant

*Up to \$3,200 per academic year (\$1,600 per semester for 8 semesters only)*

*Student must meet one of the three requirements:*

- Graduate in the top 75% of high school class or
- SAT score of at least 900 (Math and Critical Reading sections only) or ACT score of at least 19 Composite or
- Final high school GPA of 2.0 or higher on the SC UGP

\*The amount of the Grant is determined yearly by the SC State Legislators.

## RECOMMENDED SCHOLARSHIP WEBSITES

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• fastweb.com</li><li>• Scholarships4students.com</li><li>• College-Scholarships.com</li><li>• Scholarshipamerica.org</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Collegenet.com</li><li>• ScholarshipExperts.com</li><li>• Petersons.com</li><li>• Studentscholarshipsearch.com</li></ul> |
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[All Allen University scholarship recipients are required to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\) in order for the Office of Financial Aid to award scholarships.](#)

Allen University's School code is 003417

## FEDERAL GRANTS

### Federal Pell Grant

- Eligibility based on your financial need as determined from information provided on the FAFSA
- Amount varies (maximum award \$5920)

### Federal Supplement Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)

- Must be eligible for the Pell Grant
- Undergraduate with exceptional financial need
- Amount varies

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