

Fall 2022 Freshman Merit-Based Tuition Scholarship Criteria

The following scholarships are for Arizona residents only and can only be used at the Flagstaff Mountain Campus. Incoming freshman are automatically considered for scholarships once admitted. Students who qualify must accept their offer of admission at www.nau.edu/acceptmyoffer by May 1, 2022 in order to receive any merit scholarships.

Core Competency Requirements: Competency requirement of 4 years English, 4 years Math (Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra II and one course requiring Algebra II as a prerequisite), 3 years Laboratory Science, 2 years Social Science (1 year which must be US/American History), 2 years of the same Second Language, and 1 year Fine Arts or CTE. Students must earn a minimum of a 2.0 unweighted GPA in each competency subject area.

All merit-based scholarships are based off a student's unweighted core high school GPA in the core 16 college preparatory courses listed above. The unweighted core high school GPA a student is required to have in the core 16 college preparatory courses are listed below for each respective scholarship.

Lumberjack Scholars Award

Award Amount: Covers up to 100 percent of tuition (fall and spring); does not cover fees or other expenses

Award Criteria

- Minimum 3.50 unweighted core high school GPA
- No letter grade lower than a "B" earned in any of the required core 16 college preparatory courses
- No deficiencies in any of the required core 16 college preparatory courses
- Test scores (ACT/SAT) cannot be used for eligibility
- Retake Policy - No course retakes are permitted
- Renewal Criteria - Maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA in university course work

President's Resident Tuition Scholarship

Award Amount: \$8,000 per academic year (fall and spring)

Award Criteria

- 3.50-4.0 unweighted core high school GPA
- Renewal Criteria - Maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA in university course work

Dean's with Distinction Scholarship

Award Amount: \$6,500 per academic year (fall and spring)

Award Criteria

- 3.4-3.49 unweighted core high school GPA
- Renewal Criteria - Maintain a 2.75 cumulative GPA in university course work

Dean's Tuition Scholarship

Award Amount: \$5,000 per academic year (fall and spring)

Award Criteria

- 3.0-3.39 unweighted core high school GPA
- Renewal Criteria - Maintain a 2.75 cumulative GPA in university course work

Opportunity Scholarship

Award Amount: \$2,500 per academic year (fall and spring)

Award Criteria

- 2.90-2.99 unweighted core high school GPA
- Renewal Criteria - Maintain a 2.5 cumulative GPA in university course work

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ACT/SAT scores are not required for merit scholarship considerations but may assist with additional scholarship monies.

Additional Renewal Criteria: Students must be enrolled full time and complete 30 credit hours each academic year for renewal on all merit scholarships. The merit scholarships are all renewable for up to 4 years if renewal criteria are met. If the renewal criteria are not met, the amount and the award are subject to change. Please see: <https://nau.edu/scholarships>