

# SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE AT COTO

NAME OF SCHOLARSHIP	AMOUNT/DEADLINE	ELIGIBILITY	HOW TO APPLY
COTO Honors College Scholarship	Tuition (up to 18 credit hours per semester) <b>Deadline: Prior to Enrollment</b>	Be a graduating high school senior with an ACT composite of 23 or higher	Complete COTO Honors College Application (available in Student Affairs)
COTO Merit Scholarship	One Half Tuition (up to 15 credit hours per semester) <b>Deadline: August 5</b>	Be a graduating high school senior with an ACT score of 19 in all areas and rank in the top 20% of graduating class	Complete COTO Scholarship Application (available in Student Affairs)
Adult Education Scholarship (GED)	Half Tuition (up to 15 hours per semester) May be awarded up to two consecutive semesters.	Be a <u>recent</u> graduate (within one academic calendar year) of Ouachita Area Adult Education Center	Complete COTO Scholarship Application (available in Student Affairs)
COTO Foundation Scholarship	\$500 per semester <b>Deadline: Fall- May 2 Spring- November 25</b>	Demonstrate financial need by completing a FAFSA and submitting an essay explaining your educational & economic needs	Complete COTO Scholarship Application (available in Student Affairs)
Student Government Association (COTO)	\$500 per semester <b>Deadline: Fall- May 2 Spring- November 25 Summer- April 15</b>	Cumulative GPA of 2.50 minimum on college transcript	Complete SGA Scholarship Application (available in Student Affairs)
Edwina Crippen Memorial Scholarship (Nursing Students)	\$300 per semester <b>Deadline: May 2</b>	Students 25 or older with a 2.5 GPA or better. Submit an essay explaining your educational & economic needs	Complete Scholarship Application (available in Student Affairs)
Debbie Siratt Memorial Award for Determined Scholarship	Up to 300.00 Deadline: June 30	Be enrolled at COTO Demonstrate Need Demonstrate Determination	Complete Scholarship Application (available in Student Affairs) Mail application to John Siratt PO Box 1621 Malvern, AR 72104
Magnet Cove Lions Club	\$250 per semester	Graduate or resident of Magnet Cove	Complete MC Lions Scholarship Application (available in the Student Affairs)
Career Pathways Program	Assistance with tuition, books, childcare & gasoline.	Parent with children under 21 living in home. Meet income guidelines.	Complete Application in Career Pathways (available in COTO Career Pathways Office)
Arkansas Academic Challenge(Lottery) Scholarship	Varies <b>Deadline: June 1<sup>st</sup></b>	Open to high school seniors and non-traditional students	Complete Arkansas Dept. of Higher Education YOUniversal Application <a href="https://www.ark.org/adhe/financialaid/Login.aspx">https://www.ark.org/adhe/financialaid/Login.aspx</a> 1-501-371-2000

Law Enforcement Officers' Dependents Scholarship (LEO)	Waiver of in-state tuition, fees and room at approved institution <b>Deadline: June 1<sup>st</sup></b>	Children/spouse of Arkansas law officer permanently disabled or killed in line of duty.	Complete Arkansas Dept. of Higher Education YOUiversal Application <a href="https://www.ark.org/adhe_financialaid/Login.aspx">https://www.ark.org/adhe_financialaid/Login.aspx</a> 1-501-371-2000
Military Dependents Scholarship (MDS) Program	Waiver of in-state tuition, fees and room at approved institution <b>Deadline: June 1<sup>st</sup></b>	Full-time undergraduate students who are dependents/spouse of KIA's, MIA's, or service-connected 100% disabled	Complete Arkansas Dept. of Higher Education YOUiversal Application <a href="https://www.ark.org/adhe_financialaid/Login.aspx">https://www.ark.org/adhe_financialaid/Login.aspx</a> 1-501-371-2000
AASFAA Scholarship	\$500 <b>Deadline: April 1<sup>st</sup></b>	Arkansas resident planning to attend a member institution.	<a href="http://www.aasfaa.net">www.aasfaa.net</a>
Arkansas Future			For information you may contact ADHE by calling 501-320-3095
AmeriCorps National Service	Can earn up to \$4725 toward tuition	Student who work for Americorp	<a href="http://www.americorps.org">www.americorps.org</a> 501-324-5234
American Indian Scholarship	Amount varies	Indian descent	American Indian Center 1100 N. University, Suite 143 Little Rock, AR 72207 800-441-4513
Arkansas Rehabilitation Services	Tuition, books and supplies	Diagnosed physical or mental abilities. Must show financial need.	Rehabilitation Services 501-623-4479
Arkansas National Guard	\$500	Member and/or dependent of the Arkansas National Guard (NGAA/EAANG)	Scholarship Program PO Box 663 N. Little Rock, AR 72115 800-522-1617
Arkansas National Guard Tuition Assistance Program	Up to \$5000 per year	Open to active members of the AR Army/Air National Guard.	Contact unit commander or online @ <a href="http://www.arguard.org/education/GTIP.htm">http://www.arguard.org/education/GTIP.htm</a>
Business Professional Women's Foundation	Variety of Scholarships	Women age 30 or older	<a href="http://www.bpwusa.org">www.bpwusa.org</a> 202-293-1100
Single Parent Scholarship Fund	Up to \$250 per semester	Single Parents	Hot Spring Co. Contact CADC Office @ 501-332-5426 <a href="http://www.cadc.com">www.cadc.com</a> and <a href="http://www.aspsf.org">www.aspsf.org</a>
Faith A. Fields Nursing Scholarship Loan	Various amounts <b>Deadline: June 1<sup>st</sup></b>	Arkansas Resident Citizen of US or permanent resident alien accepted in Nursing. Demonstrate financial need	<a href="http://www.arsbn.arkansas.gov/education/Pages/loansScholarships.aspx">http://www.arsbn.arkansas.gov/education/Pages/loansScholarships.aspx</a>
State Teacher Education Program (STEP)	Up to \$7000 grant paid to student loan lender <b>Deadline- June 1<sup>st</sup></b>	Students seeking teaching license in designated subject and/or geographic area who have outstanding federal student loans	Complete Arkansas Dept. of Higher Education YOUiversal Application <a href="http://www.adhe.edu">www.adhe.edu</a> 1-800-54-Study

R. Preston Woodruff, JR. Scholarship Drawing	\$1000 <b>Deadline: April 1<sup>st</sup></b>	Arkansas resident who will be attending a postsecondary education institution in Arkansas.	<a href="http://www.asla.info">www.asla.info</a>
W.P. Sturgis Foundation	Various amounts	Financial Need	Contact June Anthony @ 870-246-6514
Wal-Mart Scholarship	Various amounts <b>Deadline: January</b>	Recent high school graduates. Demonstrate financial need.	Apply at Wal-Mart or @ <a href="http://walmartstores.com">http://walmartstores.com</a>
Workforce Innovation and Opportunities Act (WIOA)	Varies	Dislocated workers and/or economically disadvantaged	Hot Spring County, contact Helen Young @ 501-332-5002 Saline Co. @ 501-315-7702

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[www.finaid.org](http://www.finaid.org)  
[www.nasfaa.org](http://www.nasfaa.org)  
[www.fundmyfuture.info](http://www.fundmyfuture.info)  
[www.arkansasasscholarshipconnection.org](http://www.arkansasasscholarshipconnection.org)

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