

# OUT-OF-STATE RESIDENT SCHOLARSHIPS



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## ANNUAL FRESHMAN ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS FOR OUT-OF-STATE STUDENTS

Automatically awarded upon MSU admission based on 9th-11th grade high school GPA and test scores. Mississippi State accepts the SAT/ACT through the February test date of a student's senior year of high school.

FRESHMAN ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS FOR NON-RESIDENTS		
High School GPA	30 ACT Superscore/ 1360 SAT & Below*	31 ACT Superscore/ 1390 SAT & Above
3.30-3.59	\$12,000	\$17,000
3.60-4.09	\$16,000	\$21,000
4.10 & ABOVE	\$19,000	\$24,000

GPA is based upon a 4.0 scale.  
Students with a 34+ ACT/SAT equivalent score will receive a one-year, on-campus housing scholarship valued at the cost of their portion of a double occupancy room.  
\*These amounts are reflective of the Non-Resident Tuition Scholarship and will apply for students who do not submit a test score.

Please note the scholarship amounts listed could be a combination of institutional and/or private scholarships/aid.  
  
2026-2027 Freshman Academic Scholarships are renewed annually (fall semester and spring semester) up to 8 semesters based on overall MSU GPA. Superscoring accepted.  
  
Tuition & scholarship amounts subject to change. Additional fees may apply.

## AFFORDABLE TUITION

YEARLY TUITION FOR FALL & SPRING SEMESTERS

Out-of-State Tuition & Fees	\$28,736
Housing & Meal Plan*	\$13,514
<b>Total for Out-of-State</b>	<b>\$42,250</b>

\*The on-campus housing cost is \$8,456, which represents the median value. The meal cost is \$5,058, which represents the Weekly 21 meal plan offered by MSU.  
  
Tuition and Fees listed are for the 2025-2026 academic year and are subject to change without notice by the Board of Trustees-Mississippi Institutions of Higher Learning. Amounts listed are the direct costs for MSU and are required for each entering freshman.

## ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Other academic, performance, leadership & service, departmental, private, and highly competitive scholarships are available. Some may be stacked with academic scholarships. To be considered for additional scholarships, submit the General Scholarship Application beginning October 1, 2025, at [my.msstate.edu](https://my.msstate.edu). The priority date for maximum consideration is December 1, 2025.  
  
Students who qualify for and are approved for the Non-Resident Military Tuition Waiver (NRMTW) will receive a scholarship waiver for the non-resident portion of their tuition (currently valued at \$18,132) in place of the Non-Resident Scholarship, if the Non-Resident Scholarship is less than the value of the NRMTW.  
  
For a full listing of available scholarships and details, visit [scholarships.msstate.edu](https://scholarships.msstate.edu).