

JOHANNESBURG-LEWISTON HIGH SCHOOL

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Local Scholarships...

JL to MSU Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 2003-04 by Mr. Alfred C. West Jr. and Mr. Stephen R. Poland. It is awarded to a student who graduates from JLHS and continues their education at Michigan State University. There is no application for the scholarship. Students who apply to MSU are automatically considered for the award. The amount of the award varies from year to year.

LSSU - Bruce and Marian Huston Family Scholarship

This scholarship is available to a JLHS senior who plans to attend Lake Superior State University. To be considered, a student must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher. The amount the recipient receives varies year to year. Last year was \$5000. That same amount is renewable 3 or more times as long as the GPA requirements set by LSSU are met. Applications will be available in the guidance office in January. **Deadline: March 2022.**

MENSA of Northern Michigan

The MENSA Foundation works to identify and foster human intelligence for the benefit of humanity and to encourage research into the nature, characteristics, and uses of intelligence. MENSA gives over 100 scholarships annually, based on the merit of a short, 550-word essay submission. Essays are submitted online at <https://www.mensafoundation.org/what-we-do/scholarships/>. **Deadline: January 15, 2022.**

St Francis of Assisi

This scholarship is for graduating seniors who are active members of the St. Francis of Assisi Parish. Upon graduation, applicants must be working toward an accredited degree and enrolled in a two- or four-year undergraduate program or enrolled in post-secondary trade school. Applications are available in the guidance office. **Deadline: March 1, 2022.**

State Scholarships...

Ave Maria University Michigan Scholarship

Ave Maria University is a Catholic, liberal arts institution located in Ave Maria, Florida. This \$7000 yearly scholarship is available, in addition to any merit-based and/or athletic scholarships for which the applicant may qualify and is renewable for four years if the recipient maintains a university GPA of 2.5 or higher. Applicants must have a 2.8 GPA or above and an ACT score of 23+ or a SAT score of 1140+. Applicants must also be a practicing Catholic (endorsement letter from parish). Interested students must be accepted to Ave Maria University and complete the online scholarship application at <https://www.avemaria.edu/future-students/scholarships/#michigan>.

Eastern Michigan University

Scholarship	Type	Amount	GPA	ACT	SAT
Presidential	Competitive (Essay) Only 21 given.	Full Tuition, Full Room and Board (To keep this scholarship, you must enroll in 15 credits each semester, maintain a 3.5 GPA, meet SAP,* and live in EMU's residence halls all four years)	3.5+ GPA	25+ ACT	1200+ SAT
4WARD Graduation		2 years paid tuition after 2 successful years	At least a 3.0 GPA and a 1030 SAT or a 20 ACT		
Emerald	Automatic consideration	Variable \$1,000-7,500/year	Based on GPA and SAT/ACT scores		
Education First Opportunity Scholarship	Automatic consideration	Up to \$14,060	3.0 GPA & Pell grant eligible		

For more info about EMU scholarships, visit <http://www.emich.edu/finaid/types/scholarships/freshman.php>. Priority deadline for some of the above scholarships is **December 2021.**

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Ferris State University

Ferris State University offers several scholarship opportunities to first-time attending freshmen based on their high school GPA and test scores. For information about their test-optional merit awards as well as the other scholarships Ferris offers, visit <https://ferris.edu/admissions/financialaid/scholarship/Incoming/incoming-freshmen.htm>.

FSU's WOODBRIDGE N. FERRIS (WNF) SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

SCHOLARSHIP	ACT/SAT	GPA	ANNUAL VALUE
Founder's	31/1350	3.90	\$10,000
President's	29/1300	3.70	\$6,000
Provost's	26/1210	3.50	\$4,500
Dean's	24/1140	3.40	\$3,500
Ferris Gold	22/1080	3.25	\$2,000
Ferris Crimson	21/1040	3.00	\$1,500

Grand Valley State University

For information about GVSU scholarships, visit <http://www.gvsu.edu/financialaid/incoming-freshman-and-transfer-merit-scholarships-160.htm>.

Students admitted by December 31, 2021 are considered for the following GVSU merit scholarships:

Presidential Scholarships

Annual awards of \$11,000, for up to four consecutive years are available to high school graduates that have a 3.8 or higher high school cumulative grade point average and composite ACT score of 32 or higher or score of 1430 or higher on the new SAT. Applicants must complete the admissions application by the December 31st scholarship deadline.

Faculty Scholarships

Annual awards of \$8,000, for up to four consecutive years are available to high school graduates that have a 3.6 or higher high school cumulative grade point average and composite ACT score of 30 or higher or score of 1370 or higher on the new SAT. Applicants must complete the admissions application by the December 31st scholarship deadline.

Award of Excellence

Annual awards of \$5000, for up to four consecutive years are available to high school graduates that have a 3.5 or higher high school cumulative grade point average and composite ACT score of 26 or higher or score of 1240 or higher on the new SAT. Applicants must complete the admissions application by the December 31st scholarship deadline. Students must be graduates of Michigan high schools and Grand Valley must be the first institution they attend following high school graduation.

Laker Scholarship

Annual awards of \$2000, for up to four consecutive years are available to high school graduates that have a 3.3 or higher high school cumulative grade point average. Applicants must complete the admissions application by the December 31st scholarship deadline.

Lake Superior State University

Eligibility is automatically evaluated by the Financial Aid Office for all students admitted by May 1st for the following academic year. Renewable scholarships are based on the recipient meeting the renewal criteria. Visit <https://www.lssu.edu/financial-aid/types-of-aid/scholarships/scholarships-2/> for non-test options.

	GPA	SAT	ACT	ANNUAL AMOUNT
Distinguished	3.75+ 3.0-3.74	1360-1600 1450-1600	30-36 33-36	\$5,000
Excellence	3.75+ 3.0-3.74	1160-1350 1300-1440	24-29 28-32	\$4,000
Honors	3.0-3.74	1160-1290	24-27	\$3,000
Recognition	3.0	1030-1150	20-23	\$2,000
Achievement	2.8-2.99	990-1020	19	\$1,000

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LSSU Scholarships continued:

Laker Gold Scholarship

Full Tuition up to 16 credits per semester, inclusive of other LSSU awards, renewable. Up to three scholarships will be awarded each year through the Lake Gold Competition.

Criteria: must meet Board of Trustees Distinguished Scholarship criteria, must have applied for admission no later than December 1st of senior year of high school, must be invited to attend annual competition and respond by invitation due date.

Philip Hart Scholarship

Full tuition up to 16 credits per semester.

Criteria: Must be a Michigan resident with a minimum 3.0 GPA Student will be invited to apply by December 20

Michigan Education Association

This scholarship is available to dependents of MEA members or MEA-Retired members in good standing or to students graduating from a Michigan high school that has a MEA bargaining unit. Applicants must attend a Michigan public community or 4-year degree-granting institution or vocational training institution that grants a degree, certification, or license. Those attending the following private institutions ONLY are also eligible: Baker College-Flint/Owosso; University of Detroit-Mercy; Adrian College; Finlandia University; and Albion College. Priority is given based on 1- academic achievement, 2- extra-curricular activities and 3- school and community service. Applications can be accessed online at <https://mea.org/mea-scholarship/>. **Deadline: February 17 2022.**

MHSAA-Farm Bureau Insurance Scholar-Athlete Award

Students must be a senior and participating in interscholastic athletics at an MHSAA member school. The student must have, prior to senior year, won a varsity letter in a sport in which the MHSAA sponsors a post-season tournament. The student must also have a minimum GPA of at least a 3.5 without rounding. Information is available online at mhsaa.com/scholarship. **The deadline is Friday, Dec. 3, at 4:00 p.m.**

Oakland University

To be considered for merit scholarships, Oakland University must receive your admission application, transcript and SAT or ACT score (if applicable) by the priority deadline of **March 1, 2022**. If you meet this deadline, you will automatically be considered for OU scholarships. Scholarship awards are based on your academic record, including GPA and SAT or ACT (if applicable) score, at the time of admission. You may submit updated transcripts and/or test scores for scholarship reconsideration until the scholarship deadline. International students are not eligible for OU scholarships, except where reflected. The total amount of Oakland University institutional awards and benefits cannot exceed the cost of tuition (the Geographic Region Award is not included in this limitation of OU awards and benefits). Visit <https://www.oakland.edu/financialservices/available-financial-assistance/undergrad/> for a list of freshmen awards and criterion. Awards may not be "stacked," except where noted.

University of Michigan - Go Blue Guarantee

If your family income is \$65,000 or under and you apply and are admitted to U-M, your FULL in-state tuition will be paid for! That is a \$60,000 value. Visit <https://goblueguarantee.umich.edu/> to learn if you qualify.

Western Michigan University

For a complete list of scholarships, visit <https://wmich.edu/admissions/scholarships/firstyearscholarships>. You must have a completed application on file at WMU before December 15, 2021 to qualify for these awards.

Medallion Scholarship (Qualified students are invited to register to compete – up to 20 awards given annually)

Value: \$16,000 annually (\$64,000 total award)

Criteria: 3.7+ cumulative GPA **AND** 26+ ACT composite or SAT of 1230

Foundation Scholars

Value: \$16,000 annually (\$64,000 total award) Criteria: 3.7+ cumulative GPA **AND** verified, significant financial need

Bronco Merit

Value: \$4,000 annually (\$16,000 total award) Criteria: 3.85 GPA at time of admission

Bronco Honors

Value: \$3,000 annually (\$12,000 total award) Criteria: 3.6 GPA at time of admission

Brown and Gold

Value: \$2,000 (\$8,000 for four years) Criteria: 3.3 GPA at time of admission

Bronco Recognition

Value: \$1,500 (\$6,000 for four years) Criteria: 3.0 GPA at time of admission

National Scholarships...

Elks National Foundation Most Valuable Student Scholarship

Applicants for this scholarship must complete an application and provide the other requested documents. There are 500 awards available, all renewable for 4 years. Ranging from \$1,000 per year to \$12,500 per year, Most Valuable Student scholarships are for students pursuing a four-year degree, on a full-time basis (minimum of 12 semester hours), in a U.S. college or university.). Many local Lodges, districts and state Elks associations award their own scholarships through this program. These scholarships are not to be confused with the 500 Elks National Foundation Most Valuable Student Scholarships. For an application and list of requested documents, please visit:

<https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/MVS.cfm>

Completed applications must be submitted to the local Elk's Lodge by the **Deadline: November 15, 2021**.

Hagan Scholarship

The purpose of this scholarship is to provide each recipient with opportunity to obtain a four-year college education and graduate debt free. To be eligible, students must have a 3.75+ GPA, an ACT score of 24 or higher or a 1150+ on the SAT, must work 240+ hours in the 12 months prior to the start of college and must complete the FAFSA using 2018 tax information. The FAFSA EFC must be less than \$6500. Apply online at <https://haganscholarships.org/application/>

Deadline: December 1, 2021