

## Online Tools

### > Start to Finish

[louisville.edu/financialaid](http://louisville.edu/financialaid)

Stay ahead of the curve by learning the UofL financial aid process. Visit the UofL Financial Aid website under > Start to Finish. We'll guide you through it in eight easy steps.

### > FAFSA4caster

[fafsa4caster.ed.gov](http://fafsa4caster.ed.gov)

Get an early estimate of your financial aid even before you file the FAFSA. You can receive a quick aid estimate or a more detailed college aid eligibility report.

### >Funding Education Beyond High School

[studentaid.ed.gov/students/publications/student\\_guide/index.html](http://studentaid.ed.gov/students/publications/student_guide/index.html)

Learn more about grants, loans, and work-study offered through the Department of Education. This site explains each program in detail and how to apply for them.

## Job Opportunities

[louisville.edu/career](http://louisville.edu/career)  
[metro-college.com](http://metro-college.com)

There are many opportunities for part-time work at UofL. If you receive Federal Work-Study (FWS) as part of your award package, you will receive information about finding a FWS job and getting set up on payroll from the Student Financial Aid Office at the beginning of the school year. If you

are not eligible for FWS, you can contact the Career Development Center for additional student employment opportunities. Additionally, there are tuition benefits offered through our Metropolitan College partnership with UPS. Participants can work part-time at UPS in the next day air operation, receive wages and full benefits. Please visit [metro-college.com](http://metro-college.com) for more information.

## Cardinal Covenant

[louisville.edu/cardinalcovenant](http://louisville.edu/cardinalcovenant)

UofL's Cardinal Covenant program helps students from low-income families fund their education.

Incoming freshmen meeting program criteria and deadlines receive assistance from federal, state, private and institution sources to cover tuition, room, board and books. Students who graduate within five years and remain Pell Grant-eligible during this time should graduate debt free. To apply, submit an application for admission by Feb. 15 and a FAFSA by March 15.

## Paying Your Bill

[louisville.edu/bursar](http://louisville.edu/bursar)

UofL offers installment payment plans to make paying for your education more convenient. Visit [louisville.edu/finance/bursar/studentinfo/paymentoptions](http://louisville.edu/finance/bursar/studentinfo/paymentoptions) to learn more.

# Financial Aid at UofL

We want to help you invest in your future.

A college education isn't cheap, but when you consider that statistics show college graduates on average earn roughly \$1 million more over their lifetimes than those without degrees, you can see it's worth it. At UofL we offer a wide range of scholarships, grants, loans and work-study opportunities to help you pay for your education.

This brochure offers you a quick overview to UofL's programs, eligibility and application procedures that can help you make the best choices for paying for your education and realizing your life's dreams.

## Admissions and Financial Aid Timeline:

Jan. 1	FAFSA available to file
Jan. 15	Freshman scholarship application deadline
Feb. 15	Freshman application for admission deadline
Early Feb.	Begin monitoring mail and e-mail account for communications from the Student Financial Aid Office
March 1	Freshman scholarship notifications mailed
March 15	FAFSA priority date
March 15	KCTCS Transfer Scholarship deadline
April	Financial aid award notifications mailed
Early July	Fall bill statements mailed
Late July	Fall bill payment due
Early Oct.	Priority deadline for new/transfer students to submit FAFSA and all requested documentation.

\*Students wishing to apply for the Cardinal Covenant program must submit an application for admission by February 15 and a FAFSA by March 15.

## Tuition 2009–2010 (Estimate of Direct Costs)

	Resident	Non-Resident
Tuition	\$7,944	\$19,272
Room Rates*	\$4,272	\$4,272
Meal Plans**	\$350-\$2,330	\$350-2,330
Books and Supplies (estimated)	\$1,000	\$1,000
Total	\$15,546	\$26,874
University fees are subject to the approval of the Board of Trustees and the Council on Post Secondary Education and may be changed without prior notice.		
Undergraduate residents taking less than 12 hours will be charged \$331 per credit hour.		
A reciprocal agreement between Kentucky and Indiana allows residents of Clark, Crawford, Floyd, Harrison, Scott and Washington counties to pay in-state tuition rates.		
For a complete list of residence hall rates, please visit <a href="http://louisville.edu/housing/housingoptions/oncampus/rates">louisville.edu/housing/housingoptions/oncampus/rates</a> .		
<small>*The above figures are based on cost for double room in Miller, Stevenson, Threlkeld, Unitas, or Center Hall. **All students living in on-campus residence halls without kitchens will have a \$2,330 meal plan. All students living in on-campus residence halls with kitchens will have a \$1,490 meal plan. All full-time undergraduate students on the Belknap Campus will have a \$350 meal plan.</small>		

## Questions about financial aid?

Online: [louisville.edu/financialaid](http://louisville.edu/financialaid)

e-mail: [finaid@louisville.edu](mailto:finaid@louisville.edu)

Call: 502.852.5511

Walk-in financial aid counseling available

UofL's FAFSA school code: 001999

## Questions about paying your bill?

Online: [louisville.edu/bursar](http://louisville.edu/bursar)

e-mail: [bursar@louisville.edu](mailto:bursar@louisville.edu)

Call: 502.852.6503

## Questions about scholarships?

Online: [louisville.edu/admissions/aid](http://louisville.edu/admissions/aid)

e-mail: [mailto:admitme@louisville.edu](mailto:mailto:admitme@louisville.edu)

Call: 502.852.6531

# Financial Aid at UofL



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# Scholarships for High School Seniors

**Application deadline: Jan. 15**  
[louisville.edu/admissions/aid](http://louisville.edu/admissions/aid)

UofL's scholarship program provides scholarships to new freshmen based upon academic

merit. All scholarship applications must be submitted online by January 15, 2010. Last

year, more than 700 freshmen received in excess of \$5 million in scholarships. All awards are for Kentucky

residents, unless noted otherwise. Applicants are notified by March 1 of their award status.

UofL Competitive Scholarships		
<p><b>Application deadline: Jan. 15.</b> <a href="http://louisville.edu/admissions/aid">louisville.edu/admissions/aid</a>. Students must have all admissions documents and scholarship credentials on file by the January 15 deadline. Students may earn only one competitive scholarship, and only one scholarship application is necessary to apply for all awards. Visit <a href="http://louisville.edu/admissions/aid">louisville.edu/admissions/aid</a> to submit your application.</p>		
Name	Amount / #Awarded	Criteria
Grawemeyer Scholarships*	Full in-state tuition, plus a stipend for room, board and books / 10 awarded	32 ACT or 1400 SAT (CR + M) and 3.75 GPA
Hallmark Scholarships	Full in-state tuition, plus a stipend toward room and board / 130 awarded	30 ACT or 1330 SAT (CR + M) and 3.75 GPA
Trustee's Scholarships	\$2,500 – full in-state tuition / Over 600 awarded	25 ACT or 1130 SAT (CR + M) and 3.35 GPA
Eagle/Gold Scout Scholarships	Various amounts/ minimum of 10 awarded	25 ACT or 1130 SAT (CR + M) and a 3.35 GPA
Woodford R. Porter Scholarships	Various amounts/Over 200 awarded	African American students are selected based on academic merit, leadership and service. For more information, contact the Diversity Recruitment Office at 502.852.7538 or <a href="mailto:admitme@louisville.edu">admitme@louisville.edu</a> .
*Out-of-state residents are eligible to apply.		

UofL Guaranteed Scholarships			
Students must have all admissions documents on file by Jan. 15. No scholarship application is required.			
Name	Amount	Description	Criteria
Governor's Scholars Award	Full in-state tuition	2009 Governor's Scholars Program or Governor's School for the Arts	28 ACT or 1250 SAT (CR + M) and 3.35 GPA
Governor's Scholars Award	\$2,500	2009 Governor's Scholars Program or Governor's School for the Arts	25 ACT or 1130 SAT (CR + M) and 3.35 GPA
National Merit Finalist	Full in-state tuition, plus a stipend for room, board and books	Qualification as National Merit Finalist	Must list UofL as first choice with National Merit Corporation
National Merit Semifinalist	Full in-state tuition	Qualification as National Merit Semifinalist	Must graduate from Kentucky or southern Indiana high school with 3.35 GPA on 4.0 scale
James Graham Brown Fellows	Full in-state tuition, plus a stipend for room, board and books	Individualized study, field-based experiential learning and community service	All students who are eligible for scholarships
Note: Students eligible for guaranteed scholarships must submit a separate application if they wish to apply for the Hallmark or Grawemeyer Scholarships.			

# Additional Scholarships

## Freshman Awards McConnell Scholars

**Application deadline: Jan. 15**  
[louisville.edu/mcconnellcenter](http://louisville.edu/mcconnellcenter)  
 Ten scholarships are awarded each year to Kentucky residents who plan to major or minor in political science. To be eligible students must have a 24 ACT or 1090 SAT (CR + M), a 3.35 GPA on a 4.0 scale and have demonstrated leadership potential. Recipients participate in programming designed to develop leaders. Amount of award, determined by committee, may include tuition and books. Interviews are usually scheduled for the first weekend in March.

## Indiana Scholarship Program

**Application deadline: Jan. 15**  
[louisville.edu/admissions/aid/Indiana](http://louisville.edu/admissions/aid/Indiana)  
 Scholarships, from \$2,500 to full-tuition renewable awards, are for Indiana students based on academic achievement. Preference is given to residents of Clark, Crawford, Floyd, Harrison, Scott and Washington counties.

## Alumni Scholarships

[louisville.edu/alumni/scholarships](http://louisville.edu/alumni/scholarships)  
 Several UofL Alumni Clubs offer regional scholarships to graduating high school students. The qualifications

for these scholarships vary among alumni clubs.

## James Graham Brown Fellows Program

The James Graham Brown Foundation (JGBF) has created a prestigious enrichment program to prepare students for leadership in twenty-first century careers. The JGBF will select up to 20 new students per year for this program from both UofL and Centre College, which includes a renewable stipend for four years. Both residents and non-residents are eligible to apply. All recipients will receive tuition and a stipend for room, board and books in addition to funds for an individualized academic enrichment plan.

## National Scholars

This program allows

out-of-state students to pay in-state tuition plus \$500 per semester. To be eligible students must have a 26 ACT or 1170 SAT (CR + M) and a 3.35 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Students will be notified following admission to UofL. No application is required.

## Transfer Awards

### KCTCS Academic Transfer Scholarship

**Application deadline: March 15**  
[louisville.edu/admissions/aid/transfer](http://louisville.edu/admissions/aid/transfer)  
 UofL offers an academic scholarship for students transferring from any KCTCS institution or from Ivy Tech Community College, Sellersburg. Students must have 40 or more transferable hours and a 3.25 GPA.

Federal and State Programs		
Name	Amount	Additional Info
Federal Pell Grant	\$609 to \$5,350	
Federal Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG)	\$750 for freshmen \$1,300 for sophomores	Applicants must be Pell Grant-eligible and complete a rigorous high school curriculum
Federal SMART Grant	\$4,000 for juniors and seniors	Students must be pursuing a major in math, science, or engineering, and be Pell Grant-eligible.
National Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)	\$200-\$400	Priority given to Pell Grant-eligible students
Federal Work-Study (FWS)	\$3,150	Priority given to Pell Grant-eligible students
Federal Perkins Loan	\$500-\$2,000	Priority given to Pell Grant-eligible students
Federal Stafford Loan	\$5,500 - \$12,500	Amount varies depending on year in school
Federal Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students (PLUS)	Various amounts	Can borrow up to the student cost of attendance
Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES)	Various amounts	Based on high school GPA and ACT scores
Kentucky College Access Program (CAP) Grant	\$474-\$950 per semester	Applicants must be Pell Grant-eligible

## Applying for Financial aid:

- All students wishing to apply for federal and state aid must fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by the March 15 priority date. UofL's school code is 001999. Visit [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov) for additional information.
- Once the Student Financial Aid Office receives your FAFSA results, we will assemble a financial aid package that may include a combination of federal grants, loans and work-study programs. Award notifications will be sent in April.