

# Freshman Merit Scholarships 2011 - 2012

- ▶ Priority deadline for Merit Scholarships: Dec. 1, with exception of the Amy Shelton McNutt Scholarship.
- ▶ Deadline for Merit Scholarships: March 1.
- ▶ A Merit Award cannot be combined with any other WWU scholarship or award, except the Legacy Award and A+ Award; not to exceed tuition.
- ▶ For students submitting an SAT score, WWU only considers the critical reading and math components to determine scholarship eligibility.
- ▶ Must complete application for Merit Awards. [Application available online.](#)
- ▶ Merit Awards are only available to incoming freshmen who are accepted to WWU. All Merit Awards are combined with LEAD.
- ▶ For more information regarding scholarship and award programs visit: [WilliamWoods.edu/Scholarships](http://WilliamWoods.edu/Scholarships).

	Award	Annual Amount	Requirements to Apply and for Renewal
<b>LEAD</b> <b>\$5,000</b>			
+			
Amy Shelton McNutt Scholar 75% tuition, room and board or WWU Merit Scholar Full tuition or Distinguished Scholar \$13,450 or Honors Scholar \$7,500 or Trustee Scholar \$6,500 or Presidential Scholar \$5,500			
+			
<b>Legacy Award</b> <b>\$1,000</b> + <b>A+ Award</b> <b>\$1,000</b>			
	LEAD Program	\$5,000 (resident) \$2,500 (commuter)	This award is automatically available to first-time WWU students. An annual accumulation of 45 points (resident) or 28 points (commuter) is required for renewal. For more information about the LEAD award, visit <a href="http://WilliamWoods.edu/LEAD">WilliamWoods.edu/LEAD</a> .
	Amy Shelton McNutt Scholar (1 award)	75% of tuition, room and board	ACT of 31 or SAT 1360 and minimum GPA of 3.5. Successful completion of the LEAD program and a WWU minimum 3.2 are required for renewal. Skype or phone interview required. LEAD is included in total scholarship amount.
	WWU Merit Scholar (unlimited)	Full tuition	ACT of 32 or SAT of 1400 and a cumulative minimum GPA of 3.5 or be a National Merit Finalist. (Transcripts and verification only.) No interview required. Successful completion of the LEAD program and a WWU minimum GPA of 3.2 are required for renewal. LEAD is included in total scholarship amount.
	Distinguished Scholar (unlimited)	\$13,450	ACT of 30 or SAT of 1330 and a cumulative minimum GPA of 3.5 are required. Successful completion of the LEAD program and a WWU minimum GPA of 3.2 are required for renewal.
	Honors Scholar (20 awards)	\$7,500	ACT of 26 or SAT of 1170 and a cumulative minimum GPA of 3.5 are required. Must agree to participate in the Honors Program. Successful completion of the LEAD program and a WWU minimum GPA of 3.5 are required for renewal.
	Trustee Scholar (unlimited)	\$6,500	ACT of 28-29 or SAT of 1250 and a cumulative minimum GPA of 3.2. Successful completion of the LEAD program and a WWU minimum GPA of 3.2 are required for renewal.
	Presidential Scholar (unlimited)	\$5,500	ACT of 26-27 or SAT of 1170 and a cumulative minimum GPA of 3.2. Successful completion of the LEAD program and a WWU minimum GPA of 3.2 are required for renewal.
	Legacy Award	\$1,000	Automatically awarded to incoming students who indicate that a grandparent, parent or sibling attended WWU or is currently enrolled. Verification of legacy status from WWU is required.
	A+ Award	\$1,000	Automatically awarded upon receipt of a certified transcript from a Missouri A+ designated high school.