

Michigan Achievement Scholarship Packaging

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How to Use This Guide

This guide includes eligibility information for students enrolling at a Community College, Tribal College, Four-year Public or Four-year Private College or University. Please navigate to the appropriate section to review eligibility and awarding criteria for your work. This information is based on the most recent 2024-25 State Budget and information is subject to change.

Community College Guarantee

Eligibility

To be considered for a Michigan Achievement Scholarship Award, a student must:

- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- Be a Michigan resident since July 1 of the previous calendar year.
 - If a dependent student, the contributor(s) on the FAFSA must also be a Michigan resident.
 - This will be confirmed based on the FAFSA.
- Be a U.S. citizen, permanent resident, or approved refugee.
- Graduate from high school in Michigan with a diploma or a certificate of completion or achieved a high school equivalency certificate in 2023 or after.
- Enroll full-time as defined by the eligible institution.
 - Eligible institutions include Michigan Community Colleges and Tribal Colleges.
- Be an undergraduate student.
- Enroll at an eligible institution within 15 months of high school graduation or earning a high school equivalency certificate.
- Students are not eligible if they are in default on a federal student loan.
- Meet the institution's Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) policy.
- Students may be eligible to receive the Michigan Achievement Scholarship for up to five consecutive years total, with no more than three years at a Michigan Community College and Tribal College.
 - Students enrolled in a baccalaureate degree program at a Michigan Community College may be eligible to receive the Michigan Achievement Scholarship for up to five consecutive years.