Opportunities for Out-of-State Students

ETSU offers several programs to assist out-of-state students with out-of-state tuition. Students may receive the benefits of only ONE of the following programs:

BORDER COUNTY RESIDENTS
ETSU provides the opportunity for students who are residents of approved border counties to pay at the in-state rate. The approved counties are:
- North Carolina: Ashe, Avery, Haywood, Madison, Mitchell, Watauga, and Yancey
- Virginia: Grayson, Lee, Scott, Washington

ACADEMIC COMMON MARKET
- The Academic Common Market is an interstate agreement between southern states for sharing academic programs not readily available in the home state. The ACM allows out-of-state students (both undergraduate and graduate) in approved programs to pay in-state tuition and fees. For more information and a list of approved majors go to: http://www.etsu.edu/admissions/residency/market.aspx or call Admissions (423) 439-423

GEORGE L. CARTER SCHOLARSHIPS
- New ETSU students (both freshmen and transfers)
- For out-of-state students who reside in a county within a 250-mile radius of ETSU
- Eligible counties available at: http://www.etsu.edu/scholarships/scholarmap
- Scholarships = $15,000 per year. Renewable for a total of 4 years.
- Competitive scholarships: minimum GPA 3.0 and minimum 22 ACT(1020 SAT) for freshmen and minimum cumulative GPA of 3.2 with at least 24 transferable credit hours for transfer students
- Application deadline: March 1 for the following fall term
- Apply online at www.etsu.edu/scholarships

SIDNEY G. GILBREATH SCHOLARSHIPS
- New ETSU students (both freshmen and transfers)
- For domestic out-of-state students who reside beyond the 250-mile radius of ETSU
- Scholarships = $12,000 per academic year. Renewable for a total of 4 years.
- Competitive scholarships: minimum GPA 3.0 and minimum 22 ACT(1020 SAT) for freshmen and minimum cumulative GPA of 3.2 with at least 24 transferable credit hours for transfer students
- Application deadline is March 1 for following fall term
- Apply online at www.etsu.edu/scholarships

PUBLIC PERFORMANCE SCHOLARSHIPS
- New ETSU students (both undergraduate and graduate)
- Scholarships = out-of-state tuition (students must still pay in-state tuition and fees)
- Recipients participate in a public performance venue: Art and Design (majors only), Bluegrass, Old Time, and Country Music, Broadcasting (majors only), Digital Media (majors only), Gospel Choir, Music, Storytelling (graduate students only), Theatre & Dance (majors/minors only)
FINE AND PERFORMING ARTS SCHOLARS
- Entering freshmen with high school GPA of 2.75 (on a 4.0 scale) and ACT of 22 (composite total without writing) or SAT of 1050 (math and critical reading score only)
- Applicants must submit a portfolio or other evidence of artistic ability in one of the following areas: music, fine arts, theatre, broadcasting and film, or digital media and animation
- Scholarships = out-of-state tuition (students must still pay in-state tuition and fees)
- Separate application needed; Application deadline is March 15 for following fall term
- [http://www.etsu.edu/honors/arts](http://www.etsu.edu/honors/arts)

UNIVERSITY HONORS SCHOLARS
- New freshmen with ACT of 29 (composite total without writing) or SAT of 1280 (math and critical reading only) and high school GPA of 3.5 will be considered by special application.
- Evidence of community and leadership activities will also be considered.
- Scholarships = full tuition, standard housing and meal package and a book allowance
- Separate application needed; Application deadline is January 31 for the following fall term.
- [http://www.etsu.edu/honors/university/scholars](http://www.etsu.edu/honors/university/scholars)

HONORS-IN-DISCIPLINE SCHOLARSHIPS
- New and currently enrolled undergraduates
- Scholarships = out-of-state tuition (students must still pay in-state tuition and fees)
- Applications (separate for each) accepted by departments (see below), on a rolling basis. Scholarship awards made on a competitive basis subsequent to admission to Honors-in-Discipline program. To be considered for scholarship, HID application must be received no later than April 1st for fall or November 1st for spring semesters.
- College of Arts and Sciences – Chemistry, Communication Studies, Criminal Justice & Criminology, Geography, Geology, History, Literature and Language (for English), Mathematics, Philosophy, Physics & Astronomy, Psychology, Theatre & Dance; College of Business & Technology; College of Education – Exercise Science and Teacher Education; College of Nursing; College of Public Health – Environmental Health, Human Health, Microbiology
- [http://www.etsu.edu/honors/university/discipline/](http://www.etsu.edu/honors/university/discipline/)

MIDWAY SCHOLARS
- New transfer students for upcoming fall semester; currently enrolled students are not eligible
- Scholarships = full tuition and fees plus $500 honors allowance for each of 4 semesters; one time $2500 award for summer research, study abroad/Washington Center Internship or 5th semester of study
- Minimum cumulative college GPA of 3.5; evidence of community and leadership activities
- Earned associate degree or at least 30 hours beyond high school graduation
- Separate application needed; Application deadline is March 15 for following fall term.
- [http://www.etsu.edu/honors/university/midway/](http://www.etsu.edu/honors/university/midway/)

GENERAL SCHOLARSHIPS: ETSU offers a number of other competitive scholarships with varying criteria. Go to [www.etsu.edu/scholarships](http://www.etsu.edu/scholarships) and use the “Search and Apply” link to find the scholarships for which you might be eligible and to complete the online application. The application deadline for most of these scholarships is March 1 for the following fall semester.

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