

LINCOLN UNIVERSITY MERIT SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Lincoln University, Office of Financial Aid

The following scholarships are renewable for a maximum of three years based on criteria set forth by the University. You must meet the criteria if you received one of the following:

<u>21st Century Scholarship</u>	You must earn at least 30 credit hours during the preceding fall and spring semesters. Have no “I’s” (incompletes) on your transcript and have a cumulative GPA (grade point average) preceding fall and spring of 3.5.
<u>Presidential Scholarship</u>	You must earn at least 30 credit hours during the preceding fall and spring semesters. Have no “I’s” (incompletes) on your transcript and have a cumulative GPA (grade point average) preceding fall and spring of 3.5.
<u>University Scholarship/ International Scholars T & E</u>	You must earn at least 30 credit hours during the preceding fall and spring semesters. Have no “I’s” (incompletes) on your transcript and have a cumulative GPA (grade point average) preceding fall and spring of 3.5.

If you fail to maintain any of the criteria for the scholarships above, you cannot regain eligibility; you may qualify for the lesser amounts called **Merit Awards** listed below. At no time will students be awarded both the above scholarships and merit award funds.

<u>3.5 – up cum GPA</u>	You must earn at least 30 credit hours during the preceding fall and spring semesters. Have no “I’s” (incompletes) on your transcript.
<u>3.3 – 3.49 cum GPA</u>	You must earn at least 30 credit hours during the preceding fall and spring semesters. Have no “I’s” (incompletes) on your transcript.
<u>3.0 – 3.29 cum GPA</u>	You must earn at least 30 credit hours during the preceding fall and spring semesters. Have no “I’s” (incompletes) on your transcript.

The maximum number of years for merit awards is three. The Office of Financial Aid has the right to revise your awarded amount in accordance with other funds received (e.g. outside scholarships, tuition discounts, Pell and SEOG grants, etc.). We will only be awarding to meet “direct educational costs”, and under no circumstances will it produce a credit balance (refund). Students are responsible for their own book, personal and transportation expenses.

Please note for scholarship renewal purposes, summer school work will not be computed in the cumulative grade point average and number of credits hours used to determine scholarship eligibility