



Susquehanna University

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SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Susquehanna University has established a scholarship program to recognize the outstanding academic achievement, personal accomplishment and/or musical talent of students admitted to Susquehanna without regard for financial need. Scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis and are renewable annually as long as the recipient is enrolled full-time and has a record of strong academic achievement and constructive participation in the activities of the University. Scholarships are awarded to those students who have been offered admission to Susquehanna. The competition is keen; those with the strongest credentials will be awarded scholarships.

Academic scholarship recipients are selected on the basis of academic credentials as measured by high school performance, the quality of the academic program and standardized test scores. Significant non-academic achievement is also considered, including demonstrated leadership and/or service to the school or community.

Music scholarship recipients are selected on the basis of musical talent demonstrated through a required audition with Susquehanna's music faculty. Music scholarships and the Isaacs Scholarship are normally awarded to music degree candidates only; performance grants can be awarded to selected non-music majors. For information about music scholarship auditions and dates, please contact the Department of Music, Susquehanna University at 570-372-4309.

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University Assistantships: Susquehanna's most prestigious academic scholarships, these \$12,000 awards include a creative work experience (about ten hours a week on average) with a member of the University faculty or administrative staff. Renewable annually for a total award of \$48,000 over four years, recipients typically rank in the top 5% of their high school classes and score at least 1350 on the SAT.

Valedictorian/Salutatorian Scholarships: These \$12,000 awards are given to students who rank first or second in their high school classes in a demanding academic program.

The following three scholarships are \$9,000 annually. Recipients of these awards typically rank in the top 10% of their high school classes and score at least 1250 on the SAT.

Degenstein Scholarships: The Charles B. Degenstein Scholars Program provides scholarships to exceptionally able students. Preference is given to students intending to major or minor in programs within Susquehanna's Sigmund Weis School of Business.

Scholarships for Distinguished Achievement in Science and Mathematics: These awards go to students planning majors in the sciences, computer science or mathematics. Recipients are chosen on the basis of outstanding academic achievement.

Presidential Scholarships: These scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis to new students who have demonstrated superior academic achievement and personal promise.

Other scholarship awards include:

Richard R. Green Memorial Scholarships: Awarded to academically talented students to create a more diverse student body, these scholarships range from \$5,000 to \$15,000 depending on academic ability and financial need. Renewable annually.

Susquehanna Scholarships: These \$7,500 scholarships, renewable annually, are awarded to new students who have demonstrated outstanding academic achievement and personal promise. Recipients typically rank in the top 15% of their high school classes and score at least 1150 on the SAT.

Dean's Scholarships: Awarded in recognition of strong academic achievement combined with outstanding extracurricular achievement, leadership or volunteer service, these awards are renewable annually and range from \$4,500 to \$7,000.

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The Lawrence M. and Louise Kresge Isaacs Endowment for Music: This endowment provides a \$5,000 award to an outstanding music major on the basis of an audition with the music faculty and demonstrated academic achievement.

Music Scholarships: These \$1,000 to \$4,000 scholarships, renewable annually, are awarded to new students on the basis of competitive music scholarship auditions. They are awarded in three categories – keyboard, voice and band/orchestral instruments – to music majors and selected non-majors.

Alumni Scholarships: Several awards of \$2,000 are awarded on a competitive basis to academically talented first-year students who are the children, step-children or grandchildren of Susquehanna alumni. Recipients are selected by the Alumni Association Executive Board in mid-February.

Ministerial Grants: Dependent children of Lutheran clergy are awarded \$1,000 per year regardless of need. Those who demonstrate need are also considered for other types of financial aid.

Transfer Student Scholarships: Awarded to students transferring to Susquehanna, these renewable awards range from \$5,000 to \$6,500 annually. Recipients are chosen on the basis of outstanding academic achievement, usually with a college cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher.

International Student Scholarships: Awarded to international students on the basis of academic ability and potential for contribution to campus life, these tuition scholarships are renewable on an annual basis.

Tuition Exchange: Susquehanna participates in this program along with more than 400 other private colleges and universities. Through Tuition Exchange, children of employees at participating institutions may be eligible to receive a tuition waiver at Susquehanna. If either parent is a full-time faculty or staff member at a four-year college or university, students should contact the school's personnel office for further information about eligibility for this award.

For further information, please refer to the financial aid and scholarship brochures available from Susquehanna's Office of Financial Aid, 570-372-4450 or Office of Admissions, 1-800-326-9672.
