2022-2023 Scholarships



More than \$37,000 in scholarships was awarded for Academic Year 2022-23. Recipients were notified in May, 2022. Scholarship applications for Academic year 2023-2024 will open in January, 2023 and are due in March, 2023 via <u>Huskies Scholarships.</u>

Personal essays that demonstrate commitment to education and financial need that align with scholarship criteria are critical to award decisions. **Special consideration is given to women student applicants.**

Claude F. and Helen I. DelZoppo Scholarship \$600 (1 award)

This scholarship is available for eligible students who are 25 or older, have financial need, are at least junior standing at the time of award, have a 3.0 GPA or demonstrate that they are a serious student, and are working to overcome significant personal obstacles in order to continue working toward completion of undergraduate degree. Preference is given to students from the Iron Range – including Duluth and Grand Rapids.

Elizabeth L. Howard Scholarship \$2,500

This scholarship is available for eligible undergraduate students who are 25 or older, have financial need, and have a personal career goal requiring a college degree in order to help others directly through teaching, a career in medicine, or a similar field.

Grace McDowall Memorial Scholarship \$1,000

This scholarship is available for eligible students who are 25 or older, have at least a 3.0 GPA, are enrolled at least half-time, and have demonstrated community involvement. Undergraduate students receive priority consideration for this scholarship, but graduate students are eligible to apply and have received awards in the past.

Marcia Summers Career Opportunity Scholarship for Single Parents \$1,000

The purpose of this scholarship is to financially assist St. Cloud State University students who are single parents of minor children (the applicants may be never-married, widowed, or divorced with custody). This scholarship is available for eligible student parents who are at least sophomore standing at the time of award (36 credits or more), demonstrate financial need, and have a 3.0 GPA or higher.

Mary Jane Young Scholarship

\$2,000

This scholarship is available for eligible students who are at least 25 years of age, a U.S. citizen, a single parent with custody of children or a student returning to college with unique educational needs or married with inadequate family resources to finance their education, have at least a 2.7 GPA, have completed at least 45 credits at the time of award, and are reentering college after delaying their education.



Elaine Leach Educational Administration Endowed Scholarship \$1,500

This scholarship is available for eligible students admitted to and enrolled at least half-time in the graduate program of Educational Administration and Leadership, the EDAD Master of Science Program, or 6th Year Certificate Program for Specialist Degree Licensure Tracks for K-12 Principal; plan to establish or continue their careers as educational leaders in rural MN districts; have at least three years' experience as classroom teachers; and have well developed plans for their academic goals toward leadership in rural MN. Doctoral students are not eligible for this scholarship.

Mary B. Craik Endowed Fund

\$1,500-2,500

The purpose of this fund is to provide scholarships and/or funding to support projects initiated to foster global social and environmental justice. This scholarship is available for eligible students who demonstrate financial need and a strong commitment to social and environmental justice or engage in projects fostering global social and environmental justice. Preference is given to students of color or students with disabilities when all other factors are equal.

<u>Women's Fund of the Central Minnesota Community Foundation Scholarship</u> \$1,000

The Women's Fund of the Central Minnesota Community Foundation is supporting scholarships for students in transition, including first generation college students, immigrants and/or non-traditional students. This scholarship is available to eligible undergraduate students who are in life transition (examples include but are not limited to: immigration, divorce, abuse, addiction recovery, and early pregnancy), have at least a 2.75 GPA, are enrolled at least half-time, and are residents of central Minnesota, and show evidence of financial need.

SCSU Faculty Wives and Women Scholarship for Non-traditional Students \$1000

This scholarship is available to eligible students who are 25 or older with family responsibilities, are enrolled full time and either sophomore or junior standing during the term scholarship is disbursed, demonstrate financial need, and have at least a 3.0 GPA.

Questions? Call the Women's Center at 320-308-4958 or e-mail: womenscenter@stcloudstate.edu.