

## **FRESHMAN MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS**

Completed application for admissions by **December 31**

### **Presidential Scholarship\* \*\* 1**

**ACT/SAT Score:** 32 or higher composite ACT score or 1430 or higher SAT combined score on the Evidence-based Reading and Writing and Math.

**GPA†:** 3.8+

**Annual Award Amount:** \$4,000-\$7,000

#### **Additional Information:**

Recipients also receive an Award for Excellence Scholarship.

Additional amounts of up to \$2,000 are awarded to students who are National Merit Finalists.

Renewable for three additional consecutive years.

Total award value: \$16,000-\$28,000

Competitions take place in November and January.

### **Faculty Scholarship\* \*\* 1**

**ACT/SAT Score:** 30 or higher composite ACT score or 1370 or higher SAT combined score on the Evidence-based Reading and Writing and Math.

**GPA†:** 3.6+

**Annual Award Amount:** \$1,000-\$3,000

#### **Additional Information:**

Recipients also receive an Award for Excellence Scholarship.

Additional amounts of up to \$2,000 are awarded to students who are National Merit Finalists.

Renewable for three additional consecutive years.

Total award value: \$4,000-\$12,000

Competitions take place in November and January.

### **Award for Excellence\* \*\***

**ACT/SAT Score:** 26 or higher composite ACT score or 1240 or higher SAT combined score on the Evidence-based Reading and Writing and Math.

**GPA†:** 3.5+

**Annual Award Amount:** \$5,000

#### **Additional Information:**

Cannot be combined with Laker Scholarship.

Renewable for three additional consecutive years.

**Non-Michigan Residents:** This scholarship also covers the difference between full-time Michigan resident tuition and nonresident tuition in addition to \$5,000.

Total award value: Michigan resident \$20,000, nonresident approximately \$40,280

### **Laker Scholarship\* \*\***

**GPA†:** 3.3+

**Annual Award Amount:** \$2,000

#### **Additional Information:**

Renewable for three additional consecutive years.

Cannot be combined with the Award for Excellence, Faculty, or Presidential Scholarship.

**Non-Michigan Residents:** This scholarship also covers the difference between full-time Michigan resident tuition and nonresident tuition in addition to \$2,000.

Total award value: Michigan resident \$8,000, nonresident approximately \$28,280

**Urban Schools Scholarship\* \*\*****GPA<sup>†</sup>:** 3.3+**Annual Award Amount:** \$3,000**Additional Information:**

Awarded to students from select urban high schools. For a complete listing of eligible schools, visit [gvsu.edu/scholarships/](http://gvsu.edu/scholarships/).

Cannot be combined with the Early Awareness Scholarship or a Native American tuition grant.

Renewable for three additional consecutive years.

**Non-Michigan Residents:** This scholarship also covers the difference between full-time Michigan resident tuition and nonresident tuition in addition to \$3,000.

Total award value: Michigan resident \$12,000, nonresident approximately \$32,280

**Early Awareness Scholarship\* \*\*****GPA<sup>†</sup>:** 3.3+**Annual Award Amount:** \$3,000**Additional Information:**

Awarded to students who have at least two years of participation in one of the following college readiness programs:

- Wade H. McCree Jr. Incentive Scholarship
- GEAR UP
- Ada S. McKinley Community Services, Inc.
- TRIO Talent Search
- TRIO Upward Bound
- Introspect Youth Services, Inc.
- The Detroit Compact

Cannot be combined with the Urban Schools Scholarship or a Native American tuition grant.

Renewable for three additional consecutive years.

**Non-Michigan Residents:** This scholarship also covers the difference between full-time Michigan resident tuition and nonresident tuition in addition to \$3,000.

Total award value: Michigan resident \$12,000, nonresident approximately \$32,280

**Alumni Heritage Scholarship\*****Annual Award Amount:** Varies**Additional Information:**

To apply, go to [gvsu.edu/myscholarships/](http://gvsu.edu/myscholarships/).

Must be the child of a Grand Valley alumnus entering as a freshman.

Renewable for three additional consecutive years.

**Robert C. Trotter Tri-County Scholarship\*****Annual Award Amount:** \$1,000**Additional Information:**

To apply, go to [gvsu.edu/myscholarships/](http://gvsu.edu/myscholarships/).

Recipients will be selected from Kent, Muskegon, and Ottawa counties.

Preference will be given to students without other merit aid.

Renewable for three additional consecutive years.

Total award value: \$4,000

**Lakers Go Abroad! Scholarship****Annual Award Amount:** \$2,000**Additional Information:**

To apply, go to [gvsu.edu/myscholarships/](https://gvsu.edu/myscholarships/).

Scholarship must be used within four years after initial enrollment at GVSU, and may only be used on a GVSU-approved, for-credit study abroad program.

Awardees are still eligible for additional study abroad scholarships.

\*Must enroll directly from high school †Cumulative GPA is calculated on a 4.0 scale

\*\* For specific renewal criteria, please visit [gvsu.edu/scholarships](https://gvsu.edu/scholarships)

<sup>1</sup> Must participate in a scholarship competition to be eligible