

Below you will find a list of merit-based scholarship opportunities that may be available to you at some of the institutions throughout Tennessee. This list is a great starting point, but keep in mind that there are other scholarships and funding opportunities available! **Information on this list – such as deadlines and award amounts - is up to date as of 7/31/2024 but is subject to change.** Be sure to stay in contact with your transfer institution for updated information.

## Austin Peay State University

### [The Austin Peay Promise](#)

**Did you know?** Austin Peay is the state's largest provider of higher education to military-affiliated students.

- **Amount:** Up to \$4,000 per year based on GPA
- **Application deadline:** No application necessary
- **Availability:** Fall and spring transfers
- **Qualifications:** Minimum of 3.0 GPA

## Carson Newman University

### [Transfer Merit Scholarships](#)

**Did you know?** Carson Newman is a part of a select group of universities, organizations and museums to house the Heritage Edition of the Saint John's Bible including Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, Calif.; Yale University, New Haven, Conn.; Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn.; Naples Museum of Art, Naples, Fla.; and the Vatican Museum of Art, Rome, Italy.

- **Amount:** Up to \$12,000 per year based on GPA
- **Application deadline:** No application necessary
- **Availability:** Fall and spring transfers
- **Qualifications:** Minimum of 2.0 GPA

## Cumberland University

### [Cumberland Promise Scholarship](#)

**Did you know?** Tuition costs 31% less than the national average of other 4-year private colleges.

- **Application deadline:** No application necessary
- **Amount:** Up to \$16,000 per year
- **Availability:** Fall and spring transfers
- **Qualifications:** Minimum of 2.0 GPA

## East Tennessee State University

### [Academic Performance Scholarship](#)

**Did you know?** The Quillen College of Medicine ranked inside the top five of this year's U.S. News and World Report rankings.

- **Amount:** \$3,000 per year
- **Application deadline:** Fall transfers: Final transcripts must be received by the ETSU Office of Undergraduate Admissions by Aug. 1; Spring transfers: Final transcripts must be received by the ETSU Office of Undergraduate Admissions by the first day of spring classes
- **Availability:** Fall and spring transfers
- **Qualifications:** Minimum of a 3.5 GPA

## Middle Tennessee State University

### [Transfer Promise Scholarship](#)

**Did you know?** The Digital Marketing Degree program ranked 8<sup>th</sup> in the nation.

- **Amount:** \$3,000 per year for 2 years
- **Application deadline:** Must complete application by February 15<sup>th</sup>
- **Availability:** Fall transfers only
- **Qualifications:** Minimum 3.0 GPA

## Tennessee State University

### [Community College Graduate Scholarship](#)

**Did you know?** TSU has a proud history of being the only state-funded historically black college in Tennessee.

- **Amount:** Up to \$4,000 per year based on GPA
- **Application deadline:** Must complete application by April 1<sup>st</sup> for fall admission or November 1<sup>st</sup> for spring admission
- **Availability:** Fall and spring transfers
- **Qualifications:** Minimum of 3.0 GPA

## Tennessee Technological University

### [Tech Transfer Pride Scholarship](#)

**Did you know?** Cookeville is ranked one of the most affordable college towns in the nation.

- **Amount:** Up to \$3,000 per academic year
- **Application deadline:** Must complete application by May 1<sup>st</sup> for fall admission or December 15<sup>th</sup> for spring admission
- **Availability:** Fall and spring transfers
- **Qualifications:** Minimum of 3.5 GPA

## University of Tennessee

### [UT Promise](#)

**Did you know?** UT Promise is an undergraduate scholarship program guaranteeing free tuition and mandatory fees for qualifying Tennessee residents attending UT's campuses in Knoxville, Chattanooga, Pulaski (Southern), Martin, and Memphis.

- **Amount:** Last-dollar scholarship covering tuition and mandatory fees
- **Application deadline:** Must complete application by July 1<sup>st</sup> for fall admission or December 15<sup>th</sup> for spring admission
- **Availability:** Fall and spring transfers
- **Qualifications:** Must be eligible for the TN HOPE Scholarship and have a household income of less than \$75,000 per year.

## University of Tennessee, Chattanooga

### [Transfer Scholarship](#)

**Did you know?** The Nurse Practitioner program ranked at 16<sup>th</sup> as one of the country's most affordable.

- **Amount:** \$2,000 per year
- **Application deadline:** Must complete application by June 1<sup>st</sup>
- **Availability:** Fall and spring transfers
- **Qualifications:** Minimum of 3.25 GPA

## University of Tennessee, Knoxville

### [Volunteer Transfer Scholarships](#)

**Did you know?** The supply chain management undergraduate program at UTK is ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> in the nation.

- **Amount:** Up to \$5,000 per year based on GPA
- **Application deadline:** Must complete application by July 1<sup>st</sup> for fall admission or March 1<sup>st</sup> for spring admission
- **Availability:** Fall and spring transfers
- **Qualifications:** Minimum of 3.25 GPA

## University of Memphis

### [Community College Transfer Scholarship](#)

**Did you know?** The Online Psychology Program is ranked 20<sup>th</sup> in the nation.

- **Amount:** \$3,000 per year
- **Application deadline:** Must complete application by June 15<sup>th</sup> for fall admission or January 5<sup>th</sup> for spring admission
- **Availability:** Fall and spring transfers
- **Qualifications:** Minimum of 3.25 GPA

## Western Kentucky University

### [Transfer Base Award](#)

**Did you know?** Students in Tennessee can utilize the Tuition Incentive Program for a lower out-of-state tuition cost.

- **Amount:** Up to \$4,000 per year based on GPA
- **Application deadline:** No application necessary
- **Availability:** Fall transfers – spring transfers while supplies last
- **Qualifications:** Minimum of 3.0 GPA