General information and continuing eligibility requirements for new recipients of the George Beadle Scholarship

at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

The George Beadle Scholarship recipients join the Regents Scholars, David Distinguished Scholars, and others as beneficiaries of UNL's commitment to academic excellence and to enrolling top student scholars.

The George Beadle Scholarship will cover the nonresident portion of your tuition assessments for up to 135 credit hours or completion of a bachelor's degree, whichever comes first. These hours are inclusive of transfer hours from UNO, UNK, UNMC, study abroad, extended education, and hours earned as a UNL visiting student (i.e., credit hours that are included in the UNL cumulative grade point average calculation). In 2009-2010, this award provided \$11,040 toward tuition charges for the academic year for students who registered for fifteen credit hours each semester. The total value of this award over four years is estimated at \$50,000. Each semester, an award equal to the tuition differential for the number of credit hours for which a student is enrolled will be credited to the student's account at UNL.

- Recipients must remain nonresidents of Nebraska. Any individual who establishes residency for the purpose of paying in-state tuition rates will automatically forfeit the George Beadle Scholarship.
- 2 The recipient must enroll full-time (at least 12 credit hours) during each semester of the academic year (fall and spring semesters). These hours must be officially registered by the sixth day of classes each semester. Attending summer sessions is not required.
- The recipient must successfully complete 24 credit hours each academic year (fall and spring semesters). Repeated courses will only count once.
- 4 Recipients must remain in good academic standing within the University, which requires maintaining satisfactory academic progress towards a degree and a 2.0 cumulative grade point average.
- The scholarship will be discontinued if the recipient withdraws from school or fails to register for consecutive academic year semesters, unless an exception is granted because of extenuating circumstances.



For more information

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402-472-2030 or 800-742-8800

- 6 Students whose George Beadle Scholarship is based in part on majoring in music, theatre, dance or art will be required to remain in that major in order to maintain the same level of scholarship funding.
- Recipients can combine this award with other academic scholarships. Recipients cannot combine this award with the benefits of any tuition reciprocity agreement with another state, with special consortium rates for nonresidents of Nebraska (e.g., the Midwest Student Exchange Program Scholarship), or with any other federal, state or University program where the benefit is the payment of nonresident tuition (in full or part).
- The scholarship cannot be used to pay for non-credit, contracted distance education or non-term specific correspondence courses.
- The George Beadle Scholarship may be applied toward University of Nebraska-Lincoln approved study abroad programs and other inter-institutional cooperative programs only if the cost of the program is greater due to your status as a nonresident. Study abroad funding must be approved in advance by the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid.
- 10 Students may use this award while attending summer sessions at UNL after the completion of the first academic year if the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid is notified prior to summer enrollment.

These terms and requirements are effective for George Beadle Scholarships awarded to new recipients for the 2010-2011 academic year and subsequent years.