

State Aid Programs 2017 - 18

Program	Type of Aid	Program Details	Annual Amount
Oklahoma Tuition Aid Grant (OTAG)	Grant: does not have to be repaid	Available to eligible Oklahoma residents attending an approved college, university or career technology center in Oklahoma; must file the FAFSA annually to be considered; for more information visit OKcollegestart.org and click the <i>Financial Aid Planning</i> tab, then <i>Financial Aid 101</i> .	Up to \$1,000 for public schools and up to \$1,300 for private schools
Oklahoma Tuition Equalization Grant (OTEG)	Grant: does not have to be repaid	Available to eligible Oklahoma residents attending qualified Oklahoma not-for-profit, private/independent institutions; must file the FAFSA annually to be considered; family income of \$50,000 or less	Up to \$2,000
Oklahoma's Promise	Scholarship; does not have to be repaid	Students must apply in the 8th, 9th or 10th grade, be a resident of Oklahoma, complete a specific high school curriculum, achieve at least a 2.50 GPA both in the curriculum and overall, and abide by certain conduct standards. The federal adjusted gross income of the student's family may not exceed \$55,000 at the time of application and \$100,000 each year the student is enrolled in postsecondary education. Oklahoma's Promise will pay resident tuition at a public college or a portion of tuition at private institutions or public technology centers in Oklahoma. Learn more at okpromise.org .	Tuition is paid at an Oklahoma public two-year college or four-year university, OR a portion of tuition at an accredited Oklahoma private college or university, OR a portion of tuition for approved programs at Oklahoma public technology centers
Academic Scholars Program	Scholarship; does not have to be repaid	Awards scholarships to students with high academic performance who attend an Oklahoma public or private college or university; for more information, see OKcollegestart.org/Financial Aid/Scholarships	Automatic qualifiers receive \$3,500-\$5,500; institutional nominees receive \$1,800-\$2,800; amounts vary depending on the institution student attends; state schools also award a tuition waiver to the scholarship recipients
Future Teachers Scholarship	Scholarship; does not have to be repaid	Awards scholarships to students who agree to teach in critical shortage areas in the public schools of Oklahoma for a minimum of three consecutive years upon graduation	\$500-\$1,500 awarded annually; amount awarded is at the discretion of the college the student attends
George and Donna Nigh Public Service Scholarship	Scholarship; does not have to be repaid	Provides scholarship opportunities to outstanding students who are preparing for careers in public service	\$1,000 annually
Regional University Baccalaureate Scholarship	Scholarship; does not have to be repaid	Awards scholarships based on academic merit to Oklahoma residents who plan to attend an Oklahoma regional university	\$3,000 per year and, in addition, student will also receive a tuition waiver from their institution

For additional information on state scholarships, visit UCanGo2.org.



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