



KANSAS ETHNIC MINORITY SCHOLARSHIP

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Scholarship applicants must complete the state application and new applicants must have their high school counselor, registrar or similar official complete the Ethnic Minority Scholarship Information Form. All applicants must complete the FAFSA. Funding priority goes to eligible renewals. Awards are based on financial need.

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Program Description:

The Kansas Ethnic Minority Scholarship program is designed to assist financially needy, academically competitive students who are identified as members of any of the following ethnic/racial groups: African American, American Indian or Alaskan Native; Asian or Pacific Islander; or Hispanic. Selection priority is given to applicants who will be freshmen.

Academic Criteria:

The minimum academic requirements include **one** of the following:

- 1) ACT score of 21 or SAT score of 990
- 2) Cumulative GPA of 3.00
- 3) High school rank in upper 33%
- 4) Completion of Kansas Scholars Curriculum
- 5) Selection by National Merit Corporation in any category
- 6) Selection by College Board as a Hispanic Scholar

Recipients:

Students who meet **one** of the minimum academic requirements comprise the applicant pool and selection is competitive, based on relative academic strength and financial need. Undergraduates may receive funds for four years (five years if enrolled in a designated five-year program). Recipients must attend a Kansas community college, independent college, or state university and be enrolled in 12 credit hours or more.

Deadline: May 1

Application must be received by May 1.

Award Amount:

Ethnic Minority scholarship recipients may receive up to \$1,850 annually based on financial need as measured by Federal Methodology using data submitted on the FAFSA and the availability of State funds.

Renewals:

Renewals must complete the FAFSA and the State of Kansas Student Aid Application.

To be eligible for funding, you must:

- be enrolled full-time
- maintain a 2.0 cumulative GPA
- and have financial need.

Check list for the Kansas Ethnic Minority Scholarship:

- Complete/submit the FAFSA, priority deadline April 1.
- State of Kansas Student Aid Application completed and submitted either online or the paper version and the \$12.00 non-refundable application fee submitted. (Deadline May 1)
- The Ethnic Minority Scholarship Information Form completed by a high school official and returned to KBOR. (Deadline May 1)

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