

A-State Transfer Scholarship Guidelines (2025-26)

The A-State Transfer Scholarship is administered through the A-State Financial Aid & Scholarships Office. Any questions concerning the scholarship should be directed to the Financial Aid & Scholarships Office at (870) 972-2310 and <u>Scholarships@Astate.edu</u>. Arkansas State University reserves the right to make changes to the scholarship program at any time based on available funding and eligible applicants. Award is only for the A-State Jonesboro campus.

Award Amount:

- The A-State Transfer Scholarship provides \$5,000 annually (split \$2,500 Fall and \$2,500 Spring terms).
- This scholarship is awarded for up to six consecutive semesters or through completion of the undergraduate degree (whichever comes first) provided the student maintains all scholarship requirements.
- Students transferring with an Associate's Degree from one of the A-State System campuses will receive an additional \$1,000 annually, split between fall and spring semesters. To receive the additional award the recipient must send proof of degree in PDF format to Scholarships@astate.edu, along with A-State campus ID and name of campus conferring degree, before the semester begins at A-State. Students in one of the Hybrid programs are ineligible for the additional \$1,000.

How to Accept Scholarships:

To accept or decline the award for the 2025-2026 academic year

- 1. Login to <u>http://my.AState.edu</u> using your A-State email address and password.
- 2. Click the Banner9 Self-Service button.
- 3. Select the Financial Aid Award Offers-View-Accept, and choose the Award Year 2025-26.
- 4. Click on the **Offer** tab and use the drop-down menu to complete the following:
- *Accept/Decline your federal and/or A-State Scholarship Offer

*Accept the Terms and Conditions

Payment of Scholarship:

- Students must enroll in a minimum of 15 credit hours at one of these locations each consecutive Fall and Spring semester.
 - Arkansas State University-Jonesboro, A-State University Center-Beebe, A-State University Center-Mountain Home, or A-State University Center-Mid-South

- Concurrent enrollment on another campus cannot be used to meet full-time enrollment status nor be paid for by the scholarship.
- \circ Enrollment is locked at midnight on the 11th class day.
- Students in an academic program that is lock-stepped and prohibits 15 hours in any given semester will be allowed to receive their scholarship upon approval of the Scholarship Office and receipt of letter from academic advisor.
- Students in their final semester of scholarship eligibility or final semester before graduation will be allowed to take a minimum of 12 hours upon notification of the Scholarship Office.

Renewal Requirements:

- Maintain an overall 3.25 GPA and successfully complete 30 credit hours (fall and spring combined) each academic year at the Arkansas State University-Jonesboro campus.
- Any student who receives all Ws, Fs, WNs, Is and/or FNs at the end of any fall term will lose their scholarship for all subsequent semesters.
- Probation Any recipient who does not meet their renewal criteria at the end of the spring semester will have until the end of that Summer II term to obtain an overall 3.25 GPA and successfully complete 30 A-State hours (Fall, Spring, and both Summer I and Summer II combined) or they will forfeit the scholarship for all subsequent semesters. All classes taken during probation must be taken at the Arkansas State University-Jonesboro campus.
- Students who have lost their scholarship eligibility have the opportunity to regain eligibility via two methods.
 - Petition students may petition if they meet the criteria at the end of the following semester. All course work must be at the Arkansas State University-Jonesboro campus. To reinstate their scholarship, students must email <u>Scholarships@AState.edu</u>. Students will be notified by email after eligibility has been verified.
 - Appeal If there was an extenuating circumstance that caused a student to fail to meet the academic requirements, students may appeal to have their scholarship reinstated. Please visit <u>AState.edu/scholarships</u> for details.

Disclosures:

- All online degree programs are ineligible for Institutional Scholarships.
- Concurrent credits will be calculated into the overall GPA for renewal purposes.
- Students who are taking a developmental course as part of their 15 credit hours at the A-State campus and plans to test out of the course, must contact the Scholarships Office before taking the test to discuss possible options for keeping the scholarship.
- Students who have grade changes are responsible for contacting the Scholarships Office so that their scholarship status can be reevaluated.
- Students receiving the faculty/staff discount will be paid 25 percent of the scholarship.
- Students needing to place their scholarship on hold due to Military deployment will need to contact the Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships.