# FINANCIAL AID OPPORTUNITIES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

FALL 2023 & SPRING 2024 ENTRY

# **SCHOLARSHIPS & GRANTS**

## **Academic Awards**

**\$20,000 Presidential Transfer Scholarship** - Minimum college GPA of 3.6

**\$17,000 Distinguished Transfer Scholarship** - Minimum college GPA of 3.2

\$15,000 Dean's Scholarship - College GPA of 3.19 or below

## **State & Federal Grants**

Federal Pell Grant | Up to \$6,495
Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant | Up to \$700
Federal TEACH Grant | Up to \$4,000
Iowa Tuition Grant | Up to \$7,500

## 2023-24 MMU BILLED COSTS

Full-Time Tuition	\$38,070
Student Fees*	\$1,000
Room & Board**	\$ 11,030
Total	\$50,100

\*Activities, wellness & technology

\*\*Normal capacity room, unlimited meals

## Other Institutional Scholarships & Grants

#### Information available at mtmercy.edu/scholarships

#### Visit Grant | \$1,000

- Visit campus prior to June 1 (fall entry) or December 1 (spring entry)

## **Athletic Scholarships**

- Amount determined by the coach

## **Music Scholarships**

- Amount determined by director

## Creative Talent Awards | Up to \$2,000

- For students interested in art & design or writing

## Sustainability Scholarship | \$2,000

- For students interested in "green activities"

## Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship | \$1,000

- Students who are members of Phi Theta Kappa and admitted prior to July 1 (fall entry) or December 1 (spring entry)

## Legacy Award | \$1,000

- Parent, grandparent, or sibling is an alumnus or currently enrolled

## Social Work Scholarships | \$2,000

- Students interested in social work

#### Veterans' Scholarship | \$1,000

- For veterans transferring directly from Kirkwood Community College

## Out-of-State Grants | Up to \$3,500

 Need-based grants for out-of-state students based on on-campus residency

#### Mount Mercy Grant | Varied Amounts

- Need-based grants, based on FAFSA results



## Loans

William D. Ford Subsidized Stafford Loan William D. Ford Unsubsidized Stafford Loan Federal Direct PLUS Loan (Parent Loan) Private Loans

# **HELPFUL WEBSITES**

## **FAFSA Sites**

# FAFSA – Free Application for Federal Student Aid (Opens October 1)

#### studentaid.gov/fafsa

Complete a FAFSA to be considered for state and federal grants and other types of financial aid. Apply early, making sure you meet all state and college guidelines. **Deadline for State Aid: July 1** 

#### **FSA ID Website**

#### studentaid.gov/fsa-id

Create an account to apply online, electronically sign your FAFSA, and access loan information.

## **Financial Aid Estimator**

studentaid.gov/aid-estimator Complete an estimated FAFSA to see what state and federal grants you may qualify to receive.

## **MOUNT MERCY FAFSA CODE: 001880**

## **Employment**

#### Federal Work Study Campus Employment

- Opportunities based on availability
- Award amount is based on FAFSA

## **Outside Scholarship Sources**

Cappex | cappex.com College Board | scholarships.collegeboard.org Scholarship America | scholarshipamerica.org Fast Web | fastweb.com Iowa College Aid | iowacollegeaid.gov/ScholarshipsAndGrants Scholarships.com | scholarships.com The Greater Cedar Rapids Community Foundation | gcrcf.org Chegg Scholarships | chegg.com/scholarships

## **Planning Resources**

Iowa College Student Aid Commission iowacollegeaid.gov The State of Iowa resource for planning, preparing and paying for college.

Iowa College Access Network (ICAN) icansucceed.org ICAN provides free information about college planning and financial aid.

## **Federal Student Aid**

studentaid.gov Information on federal student aid and tips on how to plan and pay for college.



## FOR MORE INFORMATION

Financial Aid Office: finaid@mtmercy.edu | 800-248-4504 x6467 or 319-368-6467 1330 Elmhurst Drive NE, Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52402 | mtmercy.edu/financial-aid