

# Financial Aid

## General Information

The financial aid program at the University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville is designed for qualified degree seeking, unconditionally admitted students who may need financial assistance to continue their college education. Students may receive scholarships, grants, loans, employment opportunities, or a combination of these types of aid. UACCB participates in most federal and state financial aid programs available to students. Financial aid recipients will be emailed a copy of the Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) Policy each semester and it is also available on MyUACCB. Federal aid is available for students seeking an associate degree, a technical certificate or approved certificates of proficiency.

## Eligibility for Federal Financial Aid Programs

### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

A student is eligible to apply for financial assistance through Title IV programs (Federal Pell Grant, Federal Supplemental Education Opportunity Grant, Federal Stafford Loan, Federal Plus Loan, or Federal College Work Study) if the following criteria are met:

1. The applicant completes the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). *Students must complete the FAFSA each year.*
2. The applicant is a U.S. citizen or an eligible non-citizen.
3. The applicant is an unconditionally admitted student enrolled at UACCB.
4. The applicant is seeking an associate degree, a technical certificate or approved certificates of proficiency.
5. The applicant maintains Satisfactory Academic Progress.
6. The applicant is not in default on a Guaranteed Student Loan (GSL) and/or does not owe a repayment to a Title IV program at any institution.

## Federal Financial Aid Programs

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) must be processed to determine eligibility for the following federal financial aid programs:

### FEDERAL PELL GRANT

A Federal Pell Grant is awarded to help undergraduate students pay for their education after high school. In compliance with the Federal Pell Grant Program, an undergraduate is one who has not earned a bachelor's or professional degree. This grant program provides a "foundation" of financial aid for many students to which aid from other federal sources may be added. Unlike loans, grants do not have to be repaid. The amount awarded will depend on the Expected Family Contribution (EFC), on the cost of education, enrollment status, and whether or not attendance is for a full academic year or less.

### FEDERAL SUPPLEMENTAL EDUCATION OPPORTUNITY GRANT (FSEOG)

The FSEOG is a grant intended to supplement other aid received. These grants are federally funded with each school receiving a fixed amount each year. Therefore, funds are awarded to a limited number of undergraduate students with exceptional financial need. FSEOG awards do not have to be repaid and usually range from \$400 to \$600 per academic year depending on the availability of funds.

### FEDERAL STAFFORD LOAN

The Federal Stafford Loan is available through the William D. Ford Direct Loan Program to help students pay for their college education. There are two types of Stafford loans, **subsidized** and **unsubsidized**. Eligibility for subsidized loans is based on financial need as determined by federal guidelines. The federal government pays the interest for subsidized loans while the student is enrolled at least half time and during the six-month grace period after the student ceases attendance on at least a half-time basis. With an unsubsidized loan, the student is responsible for all interest that accrues while attending school and during the six-month grace period. A student may choose to pay only the interest portion while in school, which would keep the loan balance at principal. If a student chooses to defer such payments, the interest will be capitalized, resulting in an increase in both total debt and the amount of monthly payments. Loan repayment begins six months after the student graduates or ceases to be enrolled at least half-time. All borrowers must complete Online Entrance Counseling and a Master Promissory Note prior to the first loan disbursement. All borrowers must also complete Online Exit Counseling upon graduation or termination of enrollment. All federal loan funds must be repaid according to the terms specified in the master promissory note.

### **FEDERAL PARENT PLUS LOAN**

Federal Parent Plus loans enable parents of dependent students to borrow a variable rate, low-interest loan for each child who is enrolled at least half-time. Parents must pass a credit check with the US Department of Education to be eligible. Parents may borrow up to their student's total cost of attendance less other financial aid received. The total cost of attendance is determined by the Office of Financial Aid based on an average cost for tuition, books, room and board, travel, and miscellaneous expenses for the academic year. Generally, repayment begins within 60 days after the final loan disbursement is made to the borrower.

### **FEDERAL WORK STUDY**

The federal work study program provides jobs for students who qualify and who need an income supplement to help pay for college expenses. Student employment falls into two categories: Federal Work Study, which is determined on the basis of financial need; and Institutional Work Study, which is determined by the degree of work skills possessed and availability of jobs. Earnings will be at least the current federal minimum wage. The total amount that a student earns will depend on the number of hours that the student works each week. Most students work between 10 and 20 hours per week and are paid every two weeks. Types of employment include secretarial, clerical, custodial, library, tutoring, maintenance and some off-campus community service jobs.

## **How to Apply for Federal Financial Aid Programs**

Students must complete and submit a *Free Application for Federal Student Aid* (FAFSA) each year to apply for federal student financial aid and to apply for most state and college aid. This application is used to determine eligibility for Financial Aid Programs. Certain types of aid are awarded as funds permit on a first-come, first-served basis to those demonstrating need. All participants are encouraged to apply as early as possible. Applying online with *FAFSA on the Web* is faster and easier than using a paper FAFSA. To apply for financial aid, complete the FAFSA online at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov) or obtain a paper application by calling 1-800-4-FED-AID and mail in the application. If a student chooses to fill out the FAFSA online, UACCB will receive the results within 3 business days. If a student chooses to mail in the application, UACCB will receive the results within 4 to 7 weeks. The Federal School code for UACCB is 014042.

## Other Federal Financial Assistance Programs

### TRiO/STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

Student Support Services (SSS) is a part of the federally grant funded TRiO program. Participants of the program who complete contract requirements and demonstrate academic progress are eligible to apply for SSS scholarships which are distributed annually in the spring semester to active participants. Contact the Director of SSS for additional information.

### VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Military service veterans and the sons, daughters, husbands, wives, widows, or widowers of deceased or 100% disabled veterans may be eligible to receive benefits from Veterans' Affairs. For more information call the Department of Veterans' Affairs at 888-442-4551 or go online at [www.gibill.va.gov](http://www.gibill.va.gov). UACCB's Veterans' Affairs representative is located in the Office of Student Information/Registrar.

### WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT (WIA)

The University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville works with the Northcentral Arkansas Development Council (NADC) in placing students in programs. This program can assist students with expenses associated with attending UACCB. For more information contact NADC at 870-612-8163.

## State Funded Financial Aid Assistance

The Arkansas Department of Higher Education administers financial aid programs that are available to eligible students in the state of Arkansas. These programs include:

- Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship
- Arkansas Health Education Grant Program
- Career Pathways (UACCB Main Campus Building, Room 236) 870-612-2060
- Governor's Scholars Program
- Law Enforcement Officers Dependents Scholarship
- Minority Teacher Scholarship
- Minority Masters Fellows Program
- Military Dependents Scholarship (formerly MIA/KIA)
- Higher Education Opportunities Grant Program (Go! Grant)
- Workforce Improvement Grant

For applications and information on these programs contact the Arkansas Department of Higher Education at 800-54-STUDY or go online at [www.adhe.edu](http://www.adhe.edu).

## Revisions in Financial Aid

Financial aid recipients may experience changes, cancellation, or revisions in their financial aid packages due to any of the following reasons:

1. Additional outside aid becomes available.
2. A change in the family's financial circumstances.
3. A change occurs in the student's enrollment status.
4. Failure to meet Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy.
5. Financial aid administrator becomes aware of conflicting information.

It is the student's responsibility to notify the Financial Aid Office of changes that may affect the student's eligibility.

## Return of Title IV Funds (R2T4)

Students who withdraw or are administratively withdrawn from school prior to the 60% completion point of any semester will require a R2T4 calculation to determine how much of their financial aid was earned and how much should be paid back to the school and/or federal government. The withdrawal date is the date that the Registrar's office receives the official withdrawal form. For a student who did not provide notification of his or her withdrawal to the institution, the date that the institution becomes aware that the student ceased attendance should be used as the withdrawal date. If the student ceases attendance without providing official notification to the institution of his or her withdrawal, the mid-point of the payment period or the last date of recorded attendance is used as the withdrawal date. Only students who have withdrawn from all classes are subject to the return of Title IV funds formula.

The amount that is returned is calculated using the percentage of aid earned by calculating the percentage of the period that the student completed based on the withdrawal date. The amount of aid a student received is considered in the calculation to determine how much was actually earned. If unearned funds are to be returned, the amount that the student or the school must return is calculated.

For a student who provides notification to the institution of his or her withdrawal, R2T4 is determined by the student's withdrawal date or the date of notification of withdrawal, whichever is later. For a student who did not provide notification of his or her withdrawal to the institution, the date that the institution becomes aware that the student ceased attendance is used as the withdrawal date.

Students who unofficially withdraw are identified as having all failing grades (F) on their semester grade report. If students who unofficially withdraw are able to provide documentation proving their attendance in any class after the mid-point of the semester, the financial aid office will then re-calculate R2T4 funds based on the modified date as the withdrawal date.

R2T4 funds will be returned using the following priority:

1. Unsubsidized Federal Stafford loans
2. Subsidized Federal Stafford loans
3. Federal PLUS loans
4. Federal Pell Grants for which a return of funds is required
5. Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants

## Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy

All students enrolled at UACCB who receive any Title IV aid should meet the following Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) requirements. Students' academic progress will go through a review at the conclusion of each semester of each school year and/or during the application process. Transfer work will be evaluated in the same manner as credit hours received at UACCB.

1. Students must be admitted and enrolled in an associate degree or eligible certificate granting program.
2. Each semester students must also complete a minimum of 67% of cumulative attempted hours. Completed credits include grades of A, B, C, D and P (Pass). For example, the maximum time frame for a 60 credit hour program is 90 hours. 60 divided by 90 is 67%. If a student earns 67% of the credits attempted in each term, the student should complete the program within the maximum time frame. If the student takes 12 credit hours in the fall and earns 12 credit hours, the student has earned 100% of credits attempted. In the spring, the student enrolls in 18 credit hours and earns 15 credit hours. He has earned 27 out of 30 attempted hours. 27 divided by 30 is a pace of 90%.
3. Withdrawal from the College and/or receiving a 0.00 G.P.A. for a semester are viewed as unsatisfactory progress and those students will be placed on financial aid suspension. Students who withdraw from classes or drop classes will have those courses counted as attempted credits, but not completed credits. (The completion of remedial courses is considered in the 67% attempted/completion standard above.)

4. Incomplete coursework will be evaluated as failing grades until the course has been satisfactorily completed or an explanation accepted by the Financial Aid Director. Incomplete courses are considered as attempted credit and are evaluated as incomplete coursework for satisfactory academic progress. Incomplete courses are not considered as part of a student's GPA, but will be considered as part of the overall timeframe to complete a program of study. The grade "I" should only be assigned when a student has not completed a significant component of a course (i.e. an exam, paper or project) and the student has a valid rationale for this failure. A student receiving an "I" must meet with his/her instructor and contractually make arrangements to complete the course requirements no later than the end of the next regular semester (fall or spring). The student should maintain a copy of this contract for reference. The instructor, division chair and the Director of Student Information/Registrar will also keep copies of the contract.

Faculty members will submit the grade by the end of the next regular semester following the one in which the "I" designation was received. The College will change the "I" designation to a grade of "F" if a grade is not assigned within the specified time period. A student may petition for an extension not to exceed one year because of extenuating circumstances. A written request by the student should be submitted to and approved by the Vice Chancellor for Academics. Students may not re-register to take a course for which an "I" designation has been received until the grade designation has been changed.

5. Students must achieve an overall cumulative 2.0 GPA at the end of each semester to maintain satisfactory academic progress.
6. If a student changes his/her program of study while attending UACCB, he/she should notify the Financial Aid Office. All credits under all programs of study will be included in the calculation of attempted, earned, and maximum timeframe credits, as well as the cumulative GPA calculation. If a student continues to take classes toward a second degree, after completing all required coursework for a first degree, the student may continue to receive financial aid as long as he meets the 150% timeframe and GPA requirements for the second degree. Students pursuing a second undergraduate degree or certification will need to submit a degree plan approved by their academic advisor indicating the required courses. If approved by the financial aid office, a new maximum time frame will be established for that pursuit.
7. If a student repeats courses, all of the attempted credits for each attempt will be considered as part of the calculation for attempted and earned credits. Only the most recent attempt of the course will be considered as earned credit, providing the student completes the course. Repeated courses will not be considered as part of the student's GPA for the purposes of satisfactory academic progress evaluation. For a student who is eligible for financial aid, only the first two attempts of a course will be funded.
8. Remedial courses taken while receiving financial aid are considered as attempted credit hours and are evaluated as part of the calculation for PACE (Path to Accelerated Completion and Employment). Additionally, remedial courses are considered credit courses and will be evaluated as part of the student's GPA.
9. If a student does not make satisfactory academic progress he/she will be placed on Financial Aid Warning. The student may continue to receive Title IV aid for the following semester. No appeal is necessary.
10. At the end of the Warning semester if the student makes satisfactory progress, then the Warning status is removed. If the student does not make satisfactory progress, then the student will be placed on financial aid suspension.
11. The student may submit a written appeal of financial aid suspension to the UACCB Financial Aid Office if extenuating circumstances exist. Examples of extenuating circumstances may include death of a relative or student injury/illness. The appeal must include why the student failed to make satisfactory progress and what has changed that will allow the student to make satisfactory process at the next evaluation. The appeal may be approved with one of the following status definitions:

- Probation: With this status the student would be eligible for Title IV aid for one additional semester only. If the student does make satisfactory progress at the end of the Probation semester, his status will be updated to Satisfactory. If the student does not make satisfactory academic progress, the student's financial aid will be placed in a Terminated status with no further avenue for appeal.
- Academic Plan: With this status an individualized academic plan would be developed for the student that will allow the student to make satisfactory academic progress standards by a specific point in time. Examples of academic plan requirements may include, but are not limited to, regularly scheduled meetings with an academic advisor, minimum number of visits to the Student Success Center and financial literacy workshops. At the conclusion of the Academic Plan, if the student does make satisfactory progress, his/her status will be updated to Satisfactory. If the student is not making satisfactory academic progress the student's financial aid will be placed in a Terminated status with no further avenue for appeal.

## **Financial Aid Student Grievance Policy**

ADHE requires the certified institution to make a decision on the student grievance following the institution's public policy. Inquiries into student grievances must be limited to AHECB certified (under Arkansas Code §6-61-301) courses/degree programs and institutions and to matters related to the criteria for certification. Within 20 days of completing the institution's grievance procedures, the student may file the complaint in writing with the ICAC Coordinator, Arkansas Department of Higher Education, 114 East Capitol, Little Rock, AR 72201. The grievant must provide a statement from the institution verifying that the institution's appeal process has been followed. ADHE will notify the institution of the grievance within 15 days of the filing. Within 10 days after ADHE notification, the institution must submit a written response to ADHE. Other action may be taken by ADHE as needed.

## **UACCB Institutional Scholarships**

Priority Application Date: April 1

Application Deadline: first day of classes

- All scholarships are awarded based upon the availability of funds.
- All students must be a first time entering college student to qualify, effective following the student's graduation from high school.
- All scholarships with the exception of the Arkansas Scholar Book Award are for fall and spring semesters only. The Arkansas Scholar Book Award may be used during summer terms.
- UACCB scholarships are administered according to college guidelines and awarded only to students who have applied for admission to UACCB.

## **Application Procedure**

Students must submit a UACCB Application of Admission, an official high school or GED transcript and ACT scores to the UACCB Admissions Office for all academic scholarships.

UACCB reserves the right to restrict or limit the enrollment of any program and to make changes in the provisions of this document when such action is deemed to be in the best interest of the student or college. The provisions of this publication do not represent a contract between a student, prospective or otherwise, and the approving boards or the college, and should not be regarded as such.

Scholarship	Requirements	Award Amount	Renewal
<b>Chancellor's</b>	-Composite ACT of 27, <i>or</i> -COMPASS scores of 99 in writing 96 in reading 83 in algebra, <i>or</i> -ASSET scores of 52 in writing 49 in reading 51 in algebra	In-state tuition (up to 15 hours per semester) use of textbooks, and stipend of \$250	-12 credit hours completed each semester -3.00 cumulative GPA after the first semester -3.25 cumulative GPA after the second and third semesters -Renewable for 3 consecutive semesters
<b>Academic Excellence</b>	-Composite ACT of 25, <i>or</i> -COMPASS scores of 98 in writing 94 in reading 68 in algebra, <i>or</i> -ASSET scores of 50 in writing 48 in reading 49 in algebra	In-state tuition (up to 15 hours per semester) and stipend of \$250	-12 credit hours completed each semester -3.00 cumulative GPA after the first semester -3.25 cumulative GPA after the second and third semesters -Renewable for 3 consecutive semesters
<b>Academic Distinction</b>	-Composite ACT of 21, <i>or</i> -COMPASS scores of 89 in writing 88 in reading 45 in algebra, <i>or</i> -ASSET scores of 47 in writing 45 in reading 43 in algebra, <i>or</i> -Valedictorian or Salutatorian (from a high school accredited by the AR Department of Education)	In-state tuition (up to 15 hours per semester)	-12 credit hours completed each semester -3.00 cumulative GPA after the first semester -3.25 cumulative GPA after the second and third semesters -Renewable for 3 consecutive semesters
<b>Skills USA/HOSA</b>	-Place first in Skills USA or HOSA state competition or serve as a state officer while in high school	In-state tuition (up to 15 hours per semester)	-12 credit hours completed each semester -3.00 GPA after the first semester -3.25 GPA after second and third semesters -Renewable for 3 consecutive semesters
<b>GED</b>	-GED score of 580 average on 2002 Test Series -GED score of 170 average on 2014 Test Series	In-state tuition (up to 12 hours per semester)	-Complete number of hours upon which the scholarship amount was based -3.00 cumulative GPA after each semester -Renewable for 3 consecutive semesters

**\*Students cannot be awarded more than one institutional scholarship.**

**ARKANSAS SCHOLAR BOOK AWARD** - UACCB will provide, at no cost, required textbooks for UACCB courses to all students designated as Arkansas Scholars. Each Arkansas Scholar must purchase consumable items such as workbooks, online access codes, and other supplies such as pens, notebooks, etc. with personal funds or other financial aid. Arkansas Scholars must return all textbooks to UACCB at the end of each term. Arkansas Scholars who wish to purchase any of the provided textbooks for their personal libraries will be charged the "used" book price when the book is returned at the end of the term. The Arkansas Scholars Book Award will be effective following the student's graduation from high school. This award is applicable for fall, spring and summer terms. If a student fails to meet satisfactory academic progress as established by the college, the scholarship will be revoked. If the student does not return all textbooks at the end of each semester or make arrangements to buy the textbooks, the scholarship will be revoked. **Once a scholarship is revoked, it will not be reinstated.**

## **UACCB Foundation Scholarships**

### **Application Process**

The University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville Foundation awards a limited number of scholarships for the fall and spring semesters. Applications are available on the UACCB website and in the Development Office. Foundation scholarship recipients are selected by a committee from a pool of individuals who have completed the UACCB Foundation scholarship application and have met the requirements outlined below. Students receiving foundation scholarships are expected to maintain satisfactory academic progress, GPA of 2.0 or higher (unless otherwise noted) for the semester the scholarship is awarded and complete 75 percent of their coursework.

#### **PEGGY MOORE BELLER SINGLE PARENT ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Peggy Moore Beller Single Parent Endowed Scholarship is awarded in addition to other scholarships and awards to a single parent enrolled full-time in courses at UACCB. A separate review committee will select the recipient. This scholarship is made possible by gifts from the friends and family of Peggy Moore Beller and funds raised from the annual UACCB Foundation Scholarship Golf Tournament.

#### **DOYLE AND DARLENE BERCKEFELDT ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Doyle and Darlene Berckefeldt Endowed Scholarship will be awarded annually to a non-traditional student enrolled in the LPN to RN program at UACCB with one year or more of field nursing experience. Preference will be given to applicants over age 30. Until the scholarship reaches a level that will earn the specified amount, the foundation scholarship committee will award a \$500 annual book scholarship to a student who meets the same criteria. This award is made possible by a donation from Doyle and Darlene Berckefeldt.

#### **HERBY AND BILLIE JO BRANSCUM NON-TRADITIONAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Herby and Billie Jo Branscum Non-Traditional Endowed Scholarship will be given annually to a non-traditional student. The award will pay partial tuition. The scholarship committee will choose the recipient. This award is made possible by donations from business and industry in Independence County.

#### **CITIZENS BANK ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Citizens Bank Scholarship will be awarded annually to a UACCB student seeking an Associate Degree in Business. The scholarship will be awarded to a student from counties where Citizens Bank is located: Independence, Stone, Sharp, and Lawrence. Three candidates will be chosen by the scholarship committee. Citizens Bank will make the final selection. This award is made possible by the Officers, Directors and Staff of Citizens Bank.

#### **DESHA VFW POST 10472 SCHOLARSHIP**

The Desha VFW Post 10472 Scholarship was established to honor veterans of foreign wars. The scholarship will be awarded annually with preference given to a relative of Veterans of Foreign Wars. The scholarship may be awarded for a maximum of four semesters.

#### **HALIDE DUSAY ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Halide Dusay Endowed Scholarship is available to an onsite RN student who maintains a 2.5 GPA. The scholarship is awarded for one year.

#### **FIRST COMMUNITY BANK ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The First Community Bank Endowed Scholarship will be awarded annually to students enrolled at UACCB who maintain a 2.5 GPA. The scholarship committee will choose the recipient. This endowment was established to recognize First Community Bank's commitment to UACCB through its lead sponsorship of the annual foundation golf tournament.

#### **FUTUREFUEL SCHOLARSHIP**

The FutureFuel Scholarship provides \$500 per fall and spring semesters. The scholarship is awarded to a UACCB Student who has completed the UACCB Foundation application/testing procedures, maintained a 3.0 GPA and is pursuing a math or science related degree. This scholarship is provided by a gift from FutureFuel Corporation and is available to one applicant in the fall and spring semesters.

#### **GDX AUTOMOTIVE NON-TRADITIONAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The GDX Automotive Non-Traditional Endowed Scholarship will be awarded annually to a non-traditional student. The recipient must be an Independence County resident for a minimum of one year. The scholarship committee will choose the recipient. This award is made possible by a donation from GDX Automotive.

#### **ROBERT AND KATHLEEN GLINES ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Robert and Kathleen Glines Endowed Scholarship will be awarded annually to a non-traditional student for one year. The scholarship committee will select the recipient. This award is funded by proceeds from the estate of Robert and Kathleen Glines.

#### **GOLF TOURNAMENT NON-TRADITIONAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Golf Tournament Non-Traditional Scholarship will be awarded annually to a non-traditional student. The scholarship committee will select the recipient. This scholarship is funded by proceeds from the UACCB Foundation Golf Tournament.



### **JOHN 3:16 UNITY HOUSE SCHOLARSHIP**

The John 3:16 Unity House Scholarship is available to residents of John 3:16 Unity House who attend UACCB. Applications are available at John 3:16. A separate scholarship review committee will select recipients. This scholarship is made possible by gifts to the John 3:16 Unity House Scholarship Fund and the proceeds from Unity Fest.

### **PAUL AND VIRGINIA HENRY ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Paul and Virginia Henry Endowed Scholarship will be awarded for one year to a student who demonstrates a "B" average and financial need. The scholarship committee will select the recipient. The scholarship is made possible by a donation from Paul and Virginia Henry.

### **DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. MEMORIAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP (The Initial Step Scholarship)**

The Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Endowed Scholarship is a full tuition scholarship awarded each year to a full time student who:

1. Has received a high school diploma or GED.
2. Is a resident of Independence County.
3. Is seeking an Associate Degree or Technical Certificate from UACCB.
4. Has demonstrated financial need.

In order to be considered for the Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Scholarship, applicants must submit the following documentation to the UACCB financial aid office no later than July 15 of each academic year.

1. A completed UACCB Scholarship Application form.
2. Verification of acceptance or enrollment at UACCB.
3. Three letters of reference.
4. Financial statement for past twelve months or income tax return from previous year.
5. Projected income for twelve months after completion of training.
6. A paragraph or more stating the applicant's educational goals and plans.

The Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Scholarship Committee will review applications. UACCB's Development Office will notify applicants of award status.

The Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Scholarship will be awarded for one year and will be renewable at the end of the semester if the student maintains a 2.0 grade point average and is in good standing at the University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville. The Scholarship will be funded on a per semester basis and may be renewed.

The Scholarship may be renewable the following year if the student is seeking a two-year degree or certificate and scholarship funds are available.

Scholarship recipients who do not meet the minimum standards will have the scholarship revoked. **Once a scholarship is revoked, it will not be reinstated.**

### **LACROIX OPTICAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The LaCroix Optical Scholarship will be awarded annually by the scholarship committee. The award pays partial tuition for two semesters. This award is made possible by a donation from LaCroix Optical.

### **JACK AND JUDY LASSITER ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Jack and Judy Lassiter Endowed Scholarship will be awarded annually with preference given to a non-traditional student for one year. This scholarship is made possible by donations from family, friends and businesses honoring Jack and Judy Lassiters' accomplishments at the University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville.

### **SARA ELIZABETH LOW MEMORIAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Sara Elizabeth Low Memorial Endowed Scholarship will be awarded annually. The scholarship committee will choose the recipient. This scholarship is made possible by gifts from the Sara Low Charitable Trust.

### **ROY ROW, SR., AND IMOGENE ROW JOHNS ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Roy Row, Sr., and Imogene Row Johns Endowed Scholarship will be awarded annually to UACCB students who demonstrate financial need and "B" averages. The scholarship is made possible by a gift from Imogene Row Johns.

### **DALE W. RUNSICK MEMORIAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Dale W. Runsick Memorial Endowed Scholarship will be awarded annually by the scholarship committee for one year. This award is made possible by donations provided from family and friends of Dale W. Runsick.

### **JEFFREY DAVID TAYLOR MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

The Jeffrey David Taylor Memorial Scholarship is designed for a traditional or non-traditional student. The student must demonstrate financial need in order to be eligible for this scholarship. The scholarship committee will choose the recipient. This award is made possible by donations provided from family and friends of Jeffrey David Taylor.

### **GERALDINE THOMAS ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Geraldine Thomas Endowed Scholarship will be awarded annually to a non-traditional student. Students receiving this award must maintain a 3.0 GPA. This award is made possible by donations from friends, family and former students of Geraldine Thomas.

### **ROYCE AND RITA KAY WILSON ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Royce and Rita Kay Wilson Endowed Scholarship is awarded annually to a graduate of Bald Knob High School. There are no minimum grade or age requirements. Applications are available through the UACCB office of Financial Aid and the Bald Knob High School Counselor. This scholarship is made possible by a gift from Royce and Rita Kay Wilson.

### **F.Q. WYATT ENDOWED NURSING SCHOLARSHIP**

The Dr. F.Q. Wyatt Nursing Scholarship is awarded annually to a student in the LPN to RN program option and to a student in the PN Program. Recipients are chosen by the scholarship committee and based on outstanding academic nursing GPA. This award is made possible by donations from friends and relatives of Dr. F.Q. Wyatt.

### **LYNNE DAVIS WYATT ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

The Lynne Davis Wyatt Non-Traditional Scholarship will be awarded annually to a non-traditional student. Students receiving this award must maintain a 3.0 GPA, with preference given to a student from Stone County. This award is made possible by a donation in honor of Ms. Wyatt.

## **UACCB Foundation Awards**

### **BANK OF AMERICA NON-TRADITIONAL ENDOWED AWARD**

The Bank of America Non-traditional Endowed Award will be awarded annually with preference given to a non-traditional student. The award will pay partial tuition. The scholarship committee will choose the recipient. This award is made possible by a donation from Bank of America.

### **TERRELL JAMESON MEMORIAL ENDOWED AWARD**

The Terrell Jameson Memorial Award will be awarded annually by the scholarship committee. The award pays partial tuition for one year. This award is made possible by donations from friends and family of Terrell Jameson.

### **BATESVILLE ROTARY CLUB ENDOWED AWARD**

The Batesville Rotary Club Endowed Award is awarded annually to a UACCB student. The award will pay partial tuition. The scholarship committee will choose the recipient. This award is made possible by donations from the Batesville Rotary Club.

## **Private Scholarships**

There are some private scholarships and/or monies available to students interested in furthering their education. The University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville recognizes and accepts private scholarships from a variety of sources. For application information, contact the Financial Aid Office.

## **DEADLINES FOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS**

### **April 1**

Royce and Rita Kay Wilson Endowed Scholarship  
Summer Scholarships

### **July 1**

Bank of America Non-Traditional Endowed Award  
Peggy Moore Beller Single Parent Endowed Scholarship  
Herby and Billie Jo Branscum Non-Traditional Endowed Scholarship  
Citizens Bank Endowed Scholarship  
Desha VFW Post 10472 Scholarship  
First Community Bank Endowed Scholarship  
FutureFuel Scholarship  
GDx Automotive Non-Traditional Endowed Scholarship  
GED Scholarship-For Fall Semester  
Robert and Kathleen Glines Endowed Scholarship  
Golf Tournament Non-Traditional Endowed Scholarship

Paul and Virginia Henry Endowed Scholarship  
Terrell Jameson Memorial Endowed Award  
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Endowed Scholarship  
LaCroix Optical Endowed Scholarship  
Jack and Judy Lassiter Endowed Scholarship  
Sara Elizabeth Low Memorial Endowed Scholarship  
Roy Row, Sr., and Imogene Row Johns Endowed Scholarship  
Dale W. Runsick Memorial Endowed Scholarship  
Jeffery David Taylor Memorial Scholarship  
Geraldine Thomas Endowed Scholarship  
Lynne Davis Wyatt Endowed Scholarship

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Doyle and Darlene Berckefeldt Endowed Award  
Halide Dusay Endowed Scholarship  
F.Q. Wyatt Endowed Nursing Scholarship