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Student Awards and Financial Aid

Renewable Scholarship Policy Changes



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Topics to be covered

- What is a renewable scholarship
- Previous requirements for renewal
- Definition of Full Time for scholarship purposes
- Calculation of scholarship average
- Policy change to continuous enrolment



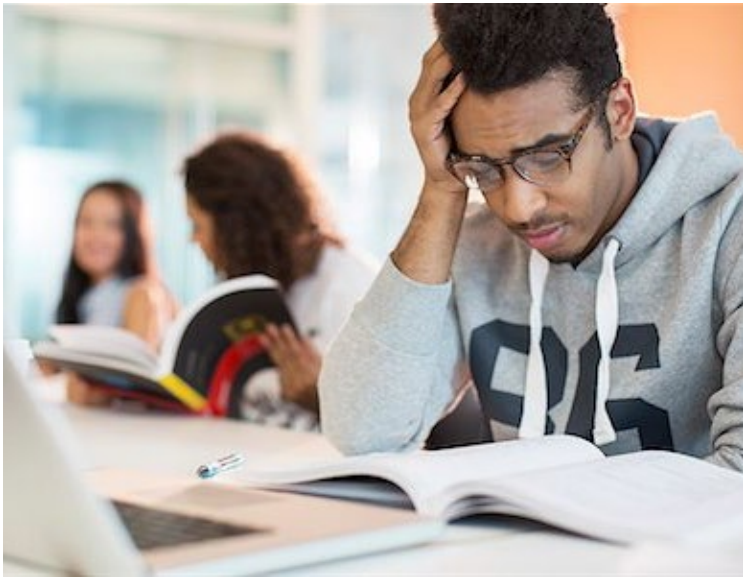
What is a renewable scholarship?

Students entering directly from full time secondary school who have achieved academic excellence are considered for automatic entrance awards. Some of these awards can be renewed provided renewal requirements are met.

Entrance Award	Value	Avg. Range	Renewable
Blue & Gold Level Support	\$1,000	85% - 89.99%	No
Dean's Level Support*	\$10,000 (\$1,250/ term)	90% - 94.99%	Yes (4 Years)
President's Level Support*	\$16,000 (\$2,000/ term)	95% - 100%	Yes (4 Years)



Previous requirements for renewing scholarships where changes have been made:



- Register as a full-time student (4 or 5 courses)
- Maintain a minimum 85% *cumulative average*
- Maintain continuous enrolment as a full-time student for 8 semesters

Definition of Full-Time for scholarship purposes

- The definition of full-time for undergraduate scholarship and bursary eligibility now aligns with the OSAP definition of full-time:
- **60% or more of a full course load or 40% or more of a full course load for students with a documented permanent disability.**



How is the scholarship average calculated?

- Renewable scholarships are paid based on a maximum of two academic terms within an academic year, *(exceptions can be made for a student who is fast-tracking)* for a maximum of 8 installments
- A scholarship average is calculated at the end of each two academic term period for the purpose of determining renewable eligibility.

Installment	
1 & 2	Top 6 grade 12 U/M courses from high school

	Top grades used to calculate scholarship average
3 & 4	Top 6 courses
5 & 6	Top 12 courses
7 & 8	Top 18 courses

Continuous Enrolment - Exemptions

To maintain continuous eligibility, it is expected that students will register in a minimum of two semesters during each academic year.

However, we understand that situations may arise where this will not be possible. Therefore students are now allowed a maximum of 2 exemptions to this policy should it be necessary for them to take a term off or register below the minimum course load in any semester for personal reasons.

Note: Students must already meet eligibility requirements before they can request an exemption.



Questions

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