

Merit money

	Freshmen	Percent of freshmen receiving merit awards without need	Average size of merit awards without need	Freshman tuition and required fees
Selected in-state public universities				
Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania	1,452	26%	\$3,849	\$6,212
Temple University	3,593	26%	\$4,616	\$9,640
Penn State University, University Park	5,900	13%	\$3,880	\$11,508
Edinboro University of Pennsylvania	1,241	8%	\$2,444	\$6,290
University of Pittsburgh, Oakland	3,249	7%	\$12,115	\$12,138
Indiana University of Pennsylvania	2,467	6%	\$1,549	\$6,181
Penn State, Behrend College	849	6%	\$2,412	\$10,626
Penn State, New Kensington	179	5%	\$1,472	\$10,200
University of Pittsburgh, Greensburg	424	5%	\$2,928	\$10,898
Penn State, McKeesport (Allegheny)	224	5%	\$973	\$10,180
Clarion University of Pennsylvania	1,183	5%	\$2,550	\$6,447
University of Pittsburgh, Johnstown	861	5%	\$2,438	\$10,876
Lincoln University	630	3%	\$8,096	\$7,892
Penn State, Altoona	1,255	3%	\$2,210	\$10,626
Penn State, Beaver	193	3%	\$1,120	\$10,200
California University of Pennsylvania ¹	1,034	3%	\$1,916	\$6,586
Selected in-state private colleges, universities				
LaRoche College	304	37%	\$7,732	\$18,220
Point Park University	592	30%	\$8,472	\$16,740
Allegheny College	561	28%	\$10,835	\$28,300
Duquesne University	1,326	23%	\$6,851	\$21,480
Robert Morris University	685	20%	\$8,979	\$15,152
Washington & Jefferson College	388	19%	\$9,519	\$28,080
St. Vincent College	485	17%	\$10,956	\$22,570
Westminster College	359	20%	\$9,928	\$24,220
Waynesburg College	354	13%	\$11,339	\$15,150
Chatham College	117	11%	\$6,915	\$23,110
Dickinson College	648	10%	\$10,973	\$33,829
Carnegie Mellon University	1,407	8%	\$11,533	\$34,578
Seton Hill University	336	1%	\$11,214	\$23,380
Carlow University ²	273	0%	\$0	\$18,598
University of Pennsylvania	2,543	0%	\$0	\$32,364
Selected out-of-state public universities				
Miami University of Ohio	3,159	36%	\$10,901	\$23,017
University of Michigan	5,961	33%	\$4,475	\$29,131
Ohio State University	5,940	29%	\$3,645	\$19,305
West Virginia University	4,539	27%	\$5,096	\$12,874
University of Delaware	3,515	26%	\$4,500	\$17,474
Clemson University	2,904	25%	\$4,542	\$18,562
University of Arizona	5,566	23%	\$5,652	\$13,682
University of Maryland	4,178	22%	\$4,876	\$20,145
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	3,589	21%	\$4,170	\$18,411
Ohio University	4,138	19%	\$3,007	\$17,199
University of Virginia	3,105	14%	\$7,106	\$26,135
Indiana University, Bloomington	6,912	12%	\$4,254	\$20,472
Kent State University	3,814	9%	\$4,178	\$15,962
Virginia Tech	4,928	8%	\$1,773	\$18,929
Selected out-of-state private colleges, universities				
College of Wooster	535	37%	\$12,591	\$30,060
University of Dayton	1,816	36%	\$5,320	\$23,970
Case Western Reserve University	1,162	24%	\$15,206	\$31,738
American University	1,223	22%	\$16,046	\$28,019
Denison University	622	20%	\$12,213	\$28,920
George Washington University	2,623	19%	\$13,805	\$37,820
Boston University	4,209	11%	\$15,849	\$33,792
New York University	4,642	10%	\$7,020	\$33,420
John Carroll University	786	8%	\$8,831	\$25,072
Stanford University	1,633	4%	\$2,874	\$31,625
University of Richmond	722	3%	\$15,503	\$36,550
Duke University	1,721	1%	\$31,264	\$34,202
Dartmouth College ³	1,081	0%	\$450	\$32,075
Cornell University	3,076	0%	\$0	\$31,467
MIT	1,083	0%	\$0	\$33,600
Princeton University	1,179	0%	\$0	\$33,000
Williams College	319	0%	\$0	\$31,760

¹Carlow has non-need-based awards, but they were used to meet the winners' financial need.

²California University's data comes from other surveys.

³Dartmouth listed two small awards.

Notes: The merit award figures are for estimated 2005-06 or final 2004-05. The tuition and required fees are for 2006-07. The tuitions listed for out-of-state schools are for out-of-state students. In State System of Higher Education, board of governors scholarships awarded to students without financial counted as tuition waivers.

In addition to these awards, many colleges award non-need-based grants to some students who have financial need.

The list represents non-need-based awards for first-time, full-time freshman who did not have financial need, not counting athletic scholarships and tuition waivers.