



Joyce University Access Scholarship

The Joyce University Access Scholarship was developed for admitted students who would not be able to attend Joyce University without additional financial support.

Student Eligibility Criteria

- Be admitted to a Joyce University program as a new student.
- Participate in a financial planning session with a financial aid advisor or veteran certifying official (if receiving VA benefits)
- Submit an application and essay explaining how the Access Scholarship will enable attendance at Joyce University.

Application

To obtain a copy of the Access Scholarship application, an admitted student must participate in a financial planning session with a financial aid advisor or veteran certifying official (if receiving VA benefits) and request the application.

Applications are accepted and reviewed on a rolling basis prior to the start of each semester until funding is exhausted.

Scholarships will be awarded on March 20th, April 10th, and May 1st, 2023

To be eligible for consideration, admitted students should apply as early as possible and no later than 10 days before the start of the first semester of their Joyce University program.

Applicants for the Access Award will be notified of the Joyce University Scholarship Committee's decision via the email address provided on their application for admission. Applicants will be notified of the committee's decision within 3 weeks of applying.

Awarding and Renewal Criteria

- Each student's Access Scholarship application will be reviewed by the Joyce University Scholarship Committee.
- The Joyce University Scholarship Committee will complete a holistic review of each application with the student's response to the essay prompt being the primary factor in selection of recipients:
 - Describe why you decided to pursue a career in healthcare and how the Access Scholarship will make your academic program affordable. Be specific regarding your financial plan to pay for your education and describe in detail how this scholarship will be incorporated into your financial plan.
- Award amount: \$2,000 per semester.
- Funding awarded on a year-by-year basis
- Renewal criteria:
 - 3.0 cumulative grade point average and pass all courses.
 - Continuous enrollment is required. Recipients who interrupt their enrollment for any reason will forfeit their Access Scholarship.
 - Renewable up to five semesters.

Other Scholarship Terms

- Access Scholarships are limited and submitting an application does not guarantee a student will be selected.
- To receive the Access Scholarship, an admitted student must begin attendance in the program and semester to which they were admitted at the time of their Access Scholarship application. If a recipient decides not to attend, their Access Scholarship will be forfeited.
- Access Scholarships can only be applied to the recipient's tuition at Joyce University and cannot be refunded to the recipient. If the recipient is receiving other, non-federal financial aid or benefits that are restricted to tuition (for example, employer sponsorship), the Access Scholarship may be reduced or cancelled.
- A recipient's financial aid package is limited to their cost of attendance. If a recipient is selected for this scholarship and they have already been awarded financial aid to their cost of attendance, adjustments will be required for the recipient's other financial aid awards.