Applying for Financial Aid

YOUR CHECKLIST:

- Apply for admission to the University of Vermont to be considered for merit scholarships.
- Request your FSA ID at fafsa.gov and click on the FSA ID icon.
- Submit your FAFSA by the priority deadline at fafsa.gov. (2/1/17 for first-year students, 3/1/17 for transfer students)
- Check your financial aid status online at uvm.edu/admissions/appstatus.
- Submit any additional information requested by our Office of Student Financial Services.
- Out-of-state students can learn more about state grant opportunities at ed.gov/sgt.
- Review your award letter at uvm.edu/admissions/appstatus.
- Consider the Monthly Payment Plan – Tuition Management System (TMS). For information, visit uvm.afford.com or call (802) 722-4667.

Counselors in our Student Financial Services Office are here to help. Please feel free to contact us by phone at (802) 656-5700, fax (802) 656-4076 or email sfs@uvm.edu. Also visit uvm.edu/sfs.

of graduates have full-time jobs or are in graduate school within 6 months of graduating from UVM.

USA Today named UVM one of 10 best colleges to study health professions.

CNN Money ranks UVM among the 25 top schools for best 4-year graduation rate (20% higher than the national average for public universities).

UVM is ranked 7th among public universities in a Bloomberg Businessweek list of 50 U.S. schools whose bachelor’s degree graduates earn the highest salaries.

A UVM degree leads to all kinds of success.
Types of Financial Aid

Our Office of Student Financial Services helps you pay for your educational expenses by awarding financial aid in the following ways:

- **Scholarships & Grants** are awarded based on a variety of factors, including academic achievement, talent, athletic ability, leadership, geographical location, field of study, and demonstrated financial need.

- **Loans** must be repaid, usually with interest. We participate in the Federal Direct Student Loan Program. To apply for a loan, you must complete the FAFSA.

- **Student Employment** is easy to find at UVM through Federal Work-Study (must file a FAFSA for consideration), University hourly, and non-University employment.

For further information, contact the Office of Student Financial Services, uvm.edu/sfs or (802) 656-5700.

A UVM education is an investment.

**Out-of-state residents**

- **Tuition (2016-2017)** $38,160
- **Comprehensive Student Fee** $2,174
- **Average Housing and Meals** $11,608
- **Estimated Billed Costs** $51,942

**Cost to Attend University of Vermont (2016-2017)**

- **Presidential Scholarship**
  - Value: $15,000–$18,000 annually
  - Criteria: For admitted first-year students who demonstrate the highest academic performance. Awards are based on the student’s high school record and standardized test scores.

- **TruSteeS ScholarShip**
  - Value: $8,000–$13,000 annually
  - Criteria: For admitted first-year students who demonstrate outstanding academic performance. Awards are based on the student’s high school record and standardized test scores.

- **College of Business School Scholarship**
  - Value: $3,000 annually
  - Criteria: For admitted first-year students with a major in Business, who demonstrate the highest academic performance.

- **College of Arts and Sciences Scholarship**
  - Value: $3,000 annually
  - Criteria: For admitted first-year students in selected majors in the College of Arts and Sciences, who demonstrate the highest academic performance.

- **For Transfer Students**
  - **Dean’s Merit Scholarship**
    - Value: $6,000–$7,000 annually
    - Criteria: Eligible admitted students who have at least a cumulative 3.1 grade point average in all prior college work (students typically have completed at least 21 college credits).

- **For International Students**
  - **International Distinction, Excellence, and Merit Scholarships**
    - Value: $8,000–$18,000 annually
    - Criteria: For admitted first-year international students who demonstrate the highest academic performance.

Notification of scholarships is every two weeks, beginning late December for fall admitted students and beginning late October for spring admitted students.

UVM’s Net Price Calculator (NPC) can help you estimate your out-of-pocket cost for a UVM education. This tool is intended for first-time, incoming college students and is purely an estimate based on the information you provide. You’ll find a link to the NPC at uvm.edu/undergraduate, scroll down to “Scholarships and Financial Aid.”

- **Admitted students offered a merit scholarship in 2016**: 85%
- **Amount awarded in financial aid, assisting 81% of students**: $104M
- **Out-of-state students graduating with no loan debt**: 48%