

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT SCHOLARSHIPS

How do I apply for scholarships at Charlotte?

Apply for scholarships using the NinerScholars Portal, Charlotte's online scholarship application system. You can access NinerScholars using your NinerNET credentials that you establish upon admission to the University. You must have received a letter of acceptance or be a current student to apply for scholarships.

When can I apply for scholarships?

The NinerScholars Portal opens in late October for current students and students admitted for the upcoming fall semester to apply for scholarships for the following academic year. An announcement is posted on **scholarships.charlotte.edu** when the portal opens.

What if I am admitted for the spring semester?

Students accepted for the spring semester need to wait to apply for scholarships for the following academic year until classes start for the spring semester in which they're accepted. By this time, scholarships for the spring semester have already been awarded.

Does Charlotte use an automatic process?

No, Charlotte does not use an automatic scholarship process. You must apply for scholarships using the NinerScholars Portal.

What is the approximate amount of scholarships awarded by Charlotte recently?

Last year, Charlotte awarded more than 9 million dollars in scholarships.

How do I know what scholarships I can apply for?

The NinerScholars Portal uses an online, real-time matching system to compare information in each student's record with the eligibility criteria for each scholarship. The matching process generates a customized list of scholarships for which a student may be eligible to apply. Changes to a student record (GPA, class, major, etc.) are automatically updated in NinerScholars. Scholarship matches will reflect these changes.

When will I know the results of my applications?

In most cases, students are notified within 90 days of the application deadline if they have been offered a scholarship. Students who are offered a scholarship are notified by email and see the application status update on their NinerScholars Dashboard. Students not offered a scholarship they applied for will see their application status update on their NinerScholars Dashboard, but will not receive an email.

What semesters will my scholarships cover?

Scholarship applications submitted during the current application cycle will be awarded for next fall and spring semesters.

Where can I find additional information about applying for scholarships?

For more information about the scholarship process, visit **scholarships.charlotte.edu**. You can also contact the University Scholarship Office by email at scholarships@charlotte.edu or by phone at 704-687-5871.

SCHOLARSHIP TIMELINE

LATE OCT. FEB. 15 APRIL 1 APRIL MAY - JULY

NinerScholars
Portal
Opens for
Applications

First-Year Early Action Applications Due First-Year, Transfer & Continuing Student Applications Due Award
Notifications Begin
for First-Year
Early Action
Applications

Award Notifications for Most Other Applications

Reentry Student Applications Due

JULY 30