COLLEGE OF EDUCATION & HUMAN SERVICES SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarship Information

The College of Education and Human Services scholarships are the result of generous donations of alumni, friends, and families of former students, faculty, and trustees.

**Alphonso A. and Mary C. Aguirre Endowed Scholarship** (COEHS programs) UNAVAILABLE
Alphonso Aguirre, a graduate in the early 1940s, met his wife Mary while attending Ferris. Their children created the scholarship in memory of their parents. Criteria: Full-time undergraduate student enrolled in the COEHS with a minimum 3.0 GPA and based on financial need.

**Alumni Board Scholarship** (COEHS programs) *(application form)*
The College of Education and Human Services Alumni Board annually offers four scholarships for which students apply. Members of the Alumni Board evaluate student applications on the basis of their academic records, leadership potential, service to Ferris State University, and written essays.

**Elizabeth Claucherty Scholarship** (SOE)
The late Elizabeth Claucherty, who attended Ferris State University in 1918 and taught for over 40 years, established this scholarship to support business education students.

**Robert W. Dougan Memorial Scholarship** (CJ)
Criteria: Full-time junior or senior undergraduate student majoring in a Criminal Justice program, preference to students living in Kent or Newaygo counties, and minimum 2.5 GPA.

**Susan Marie Edwards Memorial Scholarship** (SOE)
Susan Marie Edwards was an educator who was very interested in science, ecology, and conservation. Her scholarship is designated for academically successful science education students who are from Antrim County.

**Steven Falcone Memorial Scholarship** (TDMP) *(application form)*
The Steven Falcone Scholarship for students in the Television and Digital Media Production Program was established in the memory of an outstanding student.
Earl D. Gabriel Memorial Scholarship (SOE)
Earl Gabriel was a renowned Michigan educator and superintendent before he became a trustee of Ferris State University. Mrs. Gabriel established the scholarship in his name to support aspiring educators.

Edward M. Griffin Memorial Teacher Education Scholarship (SOE)
Dr. Edward Griffin was a very popular professor in the Teacher Education program.

Andrew V. Jeffrey Annual Scholarship (CJ) (application form)
Andrew V. Jeffrey (CJ ’99) is a Michigan State Trooper and adjunct professor for the School of Criminal Justice (CJ). He is a distinguished alumni and Past-President of the College of Education and Human Services Alumni Board. He established this scholarship for CJ students who are in their junior or senior year, are in good standing, and have financial need.

Thomas Johnston Memorial Scholarship (TDMP-2012)
Dr. Johnston was a friend of College of Education and Human Services and its students. His family and friends established this scholarship in his honor for students in their second or third year of college. Criteria: COEHS student who is full-time in his/her second year or beyond, with a 3.0 grade point average, and financial need.

Elizabeth E. Keeney Scholarship (SOE)
SOE can award to students pursuing a business education degree, in good standing and have financial need.

Ferris and Jean Leach Scholarship (SOE)
Mr. and Mrs. Leach are friends of the College of Education and Human Services. As members of the community, they worked closely with the College and established this scholarship to support students in mathematics and science education.

Ryan McCandless Memorial Endowed Scholarship (CJ)
Ryan McCandless, a Criminal Justice graduate, was killed in the line of duty. His parents, James and Kathy McCandless, created the scholarship in his memory. Criteria: Full-time sophomore, junior, or senior CJ student with a minimum 3.0 GPA.
Mary McCorriston Child Development Scholarship (SOE)
Mary McCorriston Dillon had a dream to develop a world-class child development program for teachers of young children. She realized her dream by establishing the Early Childhood Program at Ferris State University where students in that field can acquire associates and bachelor degrees. This scholarship, which Mary McCorriston Dillon sponsors, recognizes full-time Child Development students who demonstrate leadership, academic success, and characteristics of outstanding teaching.

Jessica Nagle-Wilson Memorial Scholarship (CJ)
Ms. Nagle-Wilson, an alumna of the School of Criminal Justice, was a sworn law enforcement officer who bravely died in the line of duty. This scholarship honors her memory.

Opportunity Ferris Cares Scholarship (COEHS programs)
The scholarship was created to help students who are experiencing an unexpected financial crisis that would prevent them from continuing their college education or beginning their college education.

Millard J. and Ida Quinlan Scholarship (COEHS programs) (application form)
Mr. Millard Quinlan and his sister, Ida, were Michigan teachers for over thirty years. In recognition of their excellence in teaching, the Quinlan Scholarship funds up to 25% of tuition and other educational related expenses to academically successful students from Luce, Mackinaw, and Chippewa Counties.

Michelle Robison Annual Scholarship (CJ) (not available)
Criteria: Full-time undergraduate student majoring Criminal Justice with a minimum 2.5 GPA or higher, and financial need.

Trevor Slot Memorial Annual Scholarship (CJ)
Trevor Slot, a 1993 Ferris graduate, was killed in the line of duty. Dr. Francis Crowe created the scholarship in Trevor's honor. Criteria: Full-time junior or senior majoring in Criminal Justice with a minimum 3.0 GPA.

George Storm Memorial Technical Education Scholarship (SOE)
Dr. George Storm, internationally recognized as a leader in vocational education, taught at Ferris State University in addition to being the Acting Dean of the College of Education, Associate Director of Trade Technical Education, and Coordinator of Occupational Competency Testing. This scholarship honors his many accomplishments and is given to an outstanding student in career and technical education.
**Dean A. Whitehead Memorial Scholarship** (CJ)
The wife, parents and friends of Dean Whitehead, a 1976 graduate and Lansing police officer, established this scholarship in honor of his memory to sponsor School of Criminal Justice students who have financial needs.

**Scott D. Whitener Memorial Dean’s Excellence in Education Scholarship**
(COEHS programs) (**application form**)  
Dr. Whitener, the former Dean of the College of Education, was known throughout Michigan for his commitment to students, innovation, and excellence. He was very active and engaged throughout his career to ensure that Ferris State University students succeed. This scholarship honors the late Dr. Whitener and supports students who demonstrate achievement and leadership.

**Martin J. Wozniak Scholarship** (CJ)  
Martin Wozniak is a successful and creative alumnus of the School of Criminal Justice. After having worked in law enforcement, he invented tools to help members of the law enforcement agencies and military services better perform their jobs. Mr. Wozniak established this scholarship in recognition of the Law Enforcement Track in the School of Criminal Justice to support the tuition of an outstanding student. He assists in the selection of the scholarship recipient.

* Amounts awarded by the scholarships may vary annually because of market values.