Scholarships Opportunities for Support

The mission of UW-River Falls is to help prepare students to be productive, creative, ethical, engaged citizens and leaders with an informed global perspective.

As part of the University’s new strategic plan, Pathway to Distinction, the UWRF Foundation’s goal is to increase scholarship support from $575,000 in 2012 to $1.1 million in 2017. The availability of scholarships becomes critical to recruiting and maintaining an exceptional student body by allowing students to focus on academics and to engage in the campus community. You have the opportunity to help us achieve our mission and goal by providing scholarship support for deserving students.

ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIPS

Chancellor’s Scholars Minimum Gift: $100,000
Chancellor’s Scholars is UW-River Falls’ premier undergraduate scholarship program. Incoming freshman recipients are competitively selected based on academic merit, extracurricular involvement, and leadership potential. Depending on the size of the gift, Chancellor’s Scholars receive awards covering either full in-state tuition and fees or half in-state tuition and fees. The award is renewable for four academic years provided academic standards are maintained.

Named Endowed Scholarship Minimum Gift: $25,000
Endowed scholarships provide a continued source of assistance for students and create a lasting legacy for the donor. They provide financial assistance for students who demonstrate academic achievement and potential and/or have financial need.

ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Falcon Scholars Minimum Gift: $1,000 per year
Each year, upon admission to UW-River Falls, select incoming freshmen that demonstrate academic potential and financial need are chosen as Falcon Scholars. Thanks to generous donor funding, each Falcon Scholar receives $1,000 per year scholarships for four years. In addition, each student receives a $2,000 stipend, funded through student approved differential tuition, to be used for either a study abroad experience or participation in undergraduate research, scholarly or creative activities.

Named Annual Scholarships Minimum Gift: $1,000 per year
By establishing an annual scholarship, you provide significant support to our students. Your gift each year is awarded in whole the following year to a student who meets specific criteria.