

Cleveland State University
Levin College of Public Affairs & Education
SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCIAL AID OPPORTUNITIES

General information about University financial aid can be found in the Undergraduate and Graduate Catalog. Levin College of Public Affairs & Education opportunities are described in the table below. Make sure you check your eligibility before inquiring about the opportunity.

PROGRAM	AMOUNT AND TYPE OF ASSISTANCE	ELIGIBILITY AND APPLICATION PROCESS	CONTACT FOR INFORMATION AND APPLICATION
Choose Ohio First Scholarships	Up to \$4700 per year	Be a new entering freshman student or a transfer student, an Ohio resident, have an undergraduate degree plan for an eligible STEM major, high school grade point average of 3.25 or higher, or ACT score of 27 or higher, or SAT score of 1300 or higher, commitment to COF program requirements, current FAFSA on file with Financial Aid, not already be receiving a full tuition scholarship	https://www.csuohio.edu/choose-ohio/choose-ohio
ESSC Scholarship	Varying amounts for tuition, depending on need.	Undergraduate or Graduate student in a teacher licensure program, very good academic record, financial need. Submit ESSC Scholarship/Grant Application. Deadlines: July 15 for Fall, Nov. 15 for Spring, Mar. 15 for Summer.	https://levin.csuohio.edu/essc/scholarships-assistantships
Daniel D. Drake Scholarship	\$600 for master's student / \$900 for doctoral student	Current degree-seeking CASAL student in good standing, committed to CASAL professions, with demonstrated leadership or leadership potential. Deadline: Jan 31.	CASAL Website or Office, JH 275, (216) 687-4613
David Lawrence Santoro Memorial Scholarship	Varies with need and qualifications	Counselor trainee in Master's degree Counseling program, successful completion of Counseling Practicum (CNS 680), evidence of commitment to counseling, leadership potential, member of national or state counseling association.	CASAL Website or Office, JH 275, (216) 687-4613
Doctoral Graduate Assistantship	Full time tuition and stipend each semester for 20 hrs. of assistance to 1 or more departments	Graduate student in doctoral program, registered for 9 or more credits, undergraduate and graduate grade point averages of 3.00 or better, relevant background and qualifications. Submit Doctoral Studies Graduate Assistant Application. Deadline: July 15 for Fall semester.	Doctoral Studies, JH 212, (216) 687-4697, ask for Doctoral Student Graduate Assistant application
Gates Millennium Scholarship	Up to full cost of tuition, fees, books, and living expenses	Must: be entering an accredited college or university as full-time, degree-seeking freshmen in the fall; have significant financial need (i.e., meet the federal Pell Grant eligibility criteria); have GPA of 3.30 or higher; be African-American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian Pacific American or Hispanic citizen/permanent resident of U.S.; show demonstrated leadership in community service, extracurricular activities, or other activities. Must be nominated by Principal, teacher, guidance counselor, or other professional educators. Nomination deadline varies.	Information and nomination forms available on Gates Millennium Website: www.gmsp.org
Goldstein/Bayer/Whitley/Taylor/Schreiner	Up to \$500 for tuition and books, depending on need	Undergraduate junior or senior in Levin College of Public Affairs & Education, financial need, graduate of: CMSD, Beachwood, Berea, Brookfield, Buckeye Local, Clear Fork, Cleveland Heights, Cuyahoga Valley, Grand Valley, Jackson-Milton, Lordstown, Mahoning County, Mineral Ridge, Newton Falls, Northmore, Ontario, Strasburg, resident of Cuyahoga County, excellent academic record. Submit ESSC Scholarship/Grant Application. Deadlines: July 15 for Fall, Nov. 15 for Spring, Mar. 15 for Summer.	https://levin.csuohio.edu/essc/scholarships-assistantships
Master's Graduate Assistantship	Full time tuition and stipend each semester for 20 hrs. per week of assistance to 1 or more departments	Graduate students in master's degree program, registered for 9 or more credits, undergraduate and graduate grade point averages of 3.00 or better, relevant background and qualifications. Submit Application for Graduate Assistantship/Tuition Grant. Deadline: continuous application process; however applications are reviewed well before the start of each semester when vacancies occur.	https://levin.csuohio.edu/essc/scholarships-assistantships

Medina County Retired Teachers Assn. Scholarship	\$500 check to use for tuition, books, and/or expenses	Junior or senior in a teacher license program, graduate of a Medina County high school, good academic record, financial need, potential for success as a teacher. Submit Medina County Retired Teachers Association Scholarship Application. Deadline: May 1 for following academic year.	Medina County Retired Teachers Assn., 139 North Huntington St., Medina, OH 44256-1816, (330) 722-6915 http://medinacrta.weebly.com/scholarships--grants.html
Outstanding Teacher Scholarship	Varying amounts for tuition, depending on need.	Undergraduate student in final two years of teacher preparation program, financial need, grade point average of 3.50 or better. Submit ESSC Scholarship/Grant Application. Awarded one time each year, in Fall. Deadline: July 15	https://levin.csuohio.edu/essc/scholarships-assistantships
STRS Scholarship	Varying amounts for tuition, depending on need	Undergraduate or Graduate student in a teacher certification or licensure program, very good academic record, financial need. Submit ESSC Scholarship/Grant Application. Deadlines: July 15 for Fall, Nov. 15 for Spring, Mar. 15 for Summer.	https://levin.csuohio.edu/essc/scholarships-assistantships
Tuition Grant	Tuition for up to 12 credits each semester for 1.5-10 hrs. per week of assistance to 1 or more departments	Graduate student in master's degree program, undergraduate and graduate grade point averages of 3.00 or better, relevant background and qualifications. Submit Application for Graduate Assistantship/ Tuition Grant. Deadline: continuous application process; however applications are reviewed well before the start of each semester when vacancies occur.	https://levin.csuohio.edu/essc/scholarships-assistantships