



Calvary Bible College and Theological Seminary offers a variety of scholarships to new and returning students. To qualify for scholarships, new and transfer students must first apply and be accepted for admission. All scholarships require that a student be degree-seeking and enrolled full-time (at least 12 hours undergraduates or at least 9 hours seminary).

A limited number of scholarships are available and decisions on scholarships are made by the Student Aid Committee, whose deliberations and decisions are not public information. Applicants will be notified of their award status by the Financial Aid office. **Students must reapply for all scholarships each academic year in order to be considered for re-award.**

Calvary funded scholarships are awarded to cover tuition and fees at Calvary Bible College only. Student payments including outside scholarships, Pell Grant, Student Loans, and all other sources of payments on a student account are applied to a student's billing charges first, then Calvary funded scholarships are applied to any remaining balance. Any resulting credit balance is left on the student's account, and can be used in future semesters. Calvary does not pay out credit balances created by Calvary funded scholarships to students. If the student ceases attending Calvary any remaining credit balance resulting from Calvary funded scholarships will result in a reduction of previously awarded scholarships to zero out the students balance.

Application deadlines are March 1 (early consideration) and April 1 for students entering in the fall semester and December 1 for new and transfer students entering in the spring semester. All new and renewal applicants must complete the FAFSA before scholarships are awarded each year.

**In order to make the scholarship program at Calvary a success, all scholarship recipients will be required to help with the President's Dinner in September and/or make phone calls during the Alumni Phone-a-thon in February. Your service, including amount of time required, will be based upon the semester and total amount of Calvary funded scholarships/grants which you receive. These requirements must be met each year that you receive the scholarship/grant. Failure to fulfill your obligation will result in the loss of these scholarships/grants you have been awarded and make you ineligible to receive Calvary scholarships/grants in the future.**

**Carefully read the requirements for each scholarship BEFORE you submit your application. Submit all required documentation including any required essays. Incomplete application submissions WILL NOT be considered and the student will not be notified that their submission is incomplete.**

**ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP (TIER 1)***(First-time & new transfer students only)*

**Amount:** Up to \$1000 per semester.

**Area of Study:** Any degree-seeking program.

**Selection Criteria:** First-time students: Minimum ACT composite score of 28 (or SAT combined score of 1200) and a minimum high school cumulative GPA of 3.7.

Transfer students: Less than 24 college credit hours: Minimum ACT composite score of 28 (or SAT combined score of 1200) and a minimum post-secondary cumulative GPA of 3.7. More than 24 college credit hours; Minimum post-secondary cumulative GPA of 3.8.

All Recipients must carry no less than 14 credit hours each semester. A limited number of scholarships will be awarded each year to those with the highest ACT/SAT scores.

**Renewal Criteria:** The student must maintain at least a 3.50 CGPA and carry no less than 14 credit hours each semester. The student must reapply annually.

**Other:** This scholarship may only be received for a maximum of eight semesters.

**ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP (TIER 2)***(First-time & new transfer students only)*

**Amount:** Up to \$700 per semester.

**Area of Study:** Any degree-seeking program.

**Selection Criteria:** First-time students: Minimum ACT composite score of 23 (or SAT combined score of 1000) and a minimum high school cumulative GPA of 3.5.

Transfer students: Less than 24 college credit hours: Minimum ACT composite score of 23 (or SAT combined score of 1200) and a minimum post-secondary cumulative GPA of 3.5. More than 24 college credit hours; Minimum post-secondary cumulative GPA of 3.6.

All Recipients must carry no less than 14 credit hours each semester. A limited number of scholarships will be awarded each year to those with the highest ACT/SAT scores.

**Renewal Criteria:** The student must maintain at least a 3.50 CGPA and carry no less than 14 credit hours each semester. The student must reapply annually.

**Other:** This scholarship may only be received for a maximum of eight semesters.

**ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP (College)**

**Value:** Up to \$500 per semester.

**Area of Study:** Any degree-seeking program.

**Selection Criteria:** The student must be a dependent child, as determined by the student's FAFSA, of an Alumnus (an Alumnus is not necessarily a graduate of Calvary). **Renewal Criteria:** The student must have nothing officially noted that negatively impacts the applicant's Christian character. The student must reapply annually.

**ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP (Seminary)**

**Value:** Up to \$500 per semester.

**Area of Study:** Any degree-seeking program.

**Selection Criteria:** The student must have a baccalaureate degree from Calvary Bible College.

**Renewal Criteria:** The student must have nothing officially noted that negatively impacts the applicant's Christian character. The student must reapply annually.

**AWANA SCHOLARSHIP (first & second year students only)**

**Value:** Up to \$500 a semester for up to four semesters.

**Area of Study:** Any degree-seeking program.

**Selection Criteria:** Entering freshmen and transfer students in their first two years of their degree program who have received the Citation Award in the Awana program. Verification from Awana Headquarters must be sent to the Financial Aid Office and received before scholarships are awarded.

**Renewal Criteria:** The student must maintain a 3.0 CGPA. The student must reapply annually.

**BEREAN FELLOWSHIP SCHOLARSHIP (all College students)**

*Value:* Up to \$500 a semester.

*Area of Study:* Any degree-seeking program.

*Selection Criteria:* The student must be a member of any Berean Fellowship Church and enrolled in a minimum of 12 hours in the college. The student must provide a pastoral reference stating that they are a member in good standing of the Berean Fellowship Church. The letter must be re-submitted annually and can be either from the Pastor or other duly authorized church official, i.e. Elder. The letter may be faxed or e-mailed to the Financial Aid Office.

*Renewal Criteria:* The student must maintain a 3.0 CGPA. The student must reapply annually including submission of a pastoral reference letter.

**CHRISTIAN WORKERS SCHOLARSHIP (Dependent Students)**

*Value:* Up to \$1,000 per semester.

*Area of Study:* Any degree-seeking program.

*Selection Criteria:* The student must be an unmarried, dependent student, as determined by the student's FAFSA, of a primary wage-earner who serves in full-time Christian work.

*Renewal Criteria:* The student must have nothing officially noted that negatively impacts the applicant's Christian character. The student must reapply annually.

**CHRISTIAN WORKERS SCHOLARSHIP (Independent Students)**

*Value:* Up to \$1,000 per semester.

*Area of Study:* Any degree-seeking program.

*Selection Criteria:* The student must be the primary wage-earner of the family and involved in full-time Christian work.

*Renewal Criteria:* The student must maintain at least a 3.0 CPGA and have nothing officially noted that negatively impacts the applicant's Christian character. The student must reapply annually.

**FAMILY TUITION SCHOLARSHIP (all students)**

*Value:* Up to \$200 per semester, per student.

*Area of Study:* Any degree-seeking program.

*Selection Criteria:* The student must be the member of a family where two or more immediate family members are currently enrolled. Each student must apply.

*Renewal Criteria:* The student must maintain at least a 3.0 CGPA (3.5 for seminary) and have nothing officially noted that negatively impacts their Christian character. The student must reapply annually.

**IFCA SCHOLARSHIP (all College students)**

*Value:* Up to \$500 a semester.

*Area of Study:* Any degree-seeking program.

*Selection Criteria:* The student must be a member of any IFCA affiliated Church and enrolled in a minimum of 12 hours in the college. The student must provide a pastoral reference stating that they are a member in good standing of an IFCA Church. The letter must be re-submitted annually and can be either from the Pastor or other duly authorized church official, i.e. Elder. The letter may be faxed or e-mailed to the Financial Aid Office.

*Renewal Criteria:* The student must maintain a 3.0 CGPA. The student must reapply annually including submission of a pastoral reference letter.

**MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS** (*returning students only*)

**Value:** Up to \$200 (unless otherwise indicated) for fall semester only. Maximum of two scholarships per applicant.

**Area of Study:** See individual requirements.

**Selection Criteria:** For continuing students only. A one-paragraph summary of the applicant's goals upon leaving Calvary is required to be submitted along with the application. Additional requirements vary (see below).

**Renewal Criteria:** The student must maintain at least a 3.0 CGPA (3.5 seminary). The student must submit a new application each year along with an updated one-paragraph summary of their goals.

**Bevier Pastoral Studies Memorial Scholarship**

The applicant must be a junior or senior who has a burden and call to the pastoral ministry of a fundamental Bible-believing church or mission. Must be recommended by the Pastoral Studies Department Head. Award up to \$350 per semester.

**Billy Marten Memorial Missions Scholarship**

The applicant must be an undergraduate students who has completed at least two semesters at Calvary. The student must have a focus on overseas missions, specifically church planting and/or leadership development following graduation. The recipient must be able to visit Church of the Open Door in Leavenworth to thank the Marten family.

**Chan Memorial Scholarship:**

The applicant is a graduate or undergraduate international student, preferably Chinese or Oriental, pursuing a Christian service career.

**Howes Memorial Scholarship:**

The applicant is an undergraduate student who has demonstrated academic achievement (CGPA over 3.50) and who has financial need, but is doing all that can be done to meet his/her college expenses. Further paperwork is required. Recipient is eligible to receive up to \$1000.

**Izora Crews Memorial Scholarship:**

The applicant is an undergraduate student who has a burden and a call to the foreign mission field or is the child of missionaries on a foreign field, and has a potential for service in a Christian vocation.

**Krestan Memorial Scholarship:**

The applicant is an undergraduate student majoring in Education who has demonstrated academic achievement.

**Martin Burnham Memorial Scholarship:**

The applicant is a junior or senior foreign student who will return to their home country to minister, or any student who is interested in studying and serving in missions. Recipient is eligible to receive up to \$500 per semester.

**McCarrell Memorial Scholarship:**

The applicant is an undergraduate student preparing for the pastoral ministry, having a burden for and call to the pastoral ministry of an independent, fundamental, Bible-believing church or mission, and demonstrating an ability to be used by God in the pastoral ministry.

**Morse Church Memorial Scholarship:**

The applicant is a junior or senior employed by the College for the type of work and rate of pay the Business Manager deems him/her qualified to perform.

**Robert B. Tuttle & Sheldon Zenger Memorial Scholarship:**

The applicant is a junior or senior pursuing a major in pastoral studies, missions, Christian education, or Christian school education and has potential for service in a Christian vocation.

**Toy Tadlock Memorial Scholarship:**

The applicant is an undergraduate student who has a burden and call to minister to young people, with a vision to strengthen the home, and has a potential for service in a Christian vocation.

**Women's Auxiliary Scholarship:**

The applicant is an undergraduate student who has financial need, a positive attitude toward the College, and an aptitude for Christian service. Recipient is eligible to receive up to \$250.

**SCHOLARSHIP FOR BIBLICAL COUNSELING MAJORS**

*The Krista McCartney Scholarship is offered by the Calvary Foundation to Biblical Counseling students. Eligibility to apply requires one to be a Biblical Counseling major with at least twelve credit hours of Biblical Counseling Credits, be an academic Junior or Senior, maintain an overall GPA of 3.50 or higher and demonstrate commitment to biblical counseling. For more information please contact the Biblical Counseling Department.*

**SCHOLARSHIPS FOR THEATRE ARTS DEPARTMENT MAJORS**

**Audition Scholarship**

*Value:* \$350 (two awarded annually)

*Area of Study:* Theatre Arts

*Selection Criteria:* Any incoming freshman or transfer student who wishes to audition for one of two Theatre Scholarships in the amount of \$350 each. To be considered the student needs to either visit campus for a live audition or submit a video recorded audition by July 15 of the summer before coming to campus. For audition specifications, please email the department chair at [bobbie.jeffrey@calvary.edu](mailto:bobbie.jeffrey@calvary.edu)

**Monologue Scholarship** (currently enrolled Theatre Arts students)

*Value:* \$350 (two awarded annually)

*Area of Study:* Theatre Arts.

*Selection Criteria:* This scholarship is available to any currently enrolled Theatre Arts student. Two Theatre Arts Scholarships in the amount of \$350 each will be awarded to the two students who are selected for the highest rated performances of a monologue during the annual Portfolio Reviews held in May at the end of each academic year.



Scholarship **deadlines are March 1** (early consideration) and April 1. (**December 1 for new students entering in the spring semester**). By completing and signing this application, the student agrees to all of the terms and conditions stated on the Scholarship Application & Award Descriptions.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Check one: ☐ Freshman (date of HS graduation \_\_\_\_\_)  
☐ Sophomore (30-59 hrs)  
☐ Junior (60-89 hrs)  
☐ Senior (90+ hrs)

Date FAFSA completed \_\_\_\_\_ Major \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarship(s) applying for:

- ☐ Academic \_\_\_\_\_ (also complete Part A)
- ☐ Alumni (College) \_\_\_\_\_ (also complete Part B)
- ☐ Alumni (Seminary) \_\_\_\_\_ (also complete Part C)
- ☐ Awana \_\_\_\_\_ (also complete Part D)
- ☐ Berean Fellowship \_\_\_\_\_ (also complete Part E)
- ☐ Christian Workers (Dependent student) \_\_\_\_\_ (also complete Part F)
- ☐ Christian Workers (Independent student) \_\_\_\_\_ (also complete Part F)
- ☐ Family Tuition \_\_\_\_\_ (also complete Part G)
- ☐ IFCA Scholarship \_\_\_\_\_ (also complete Part H)

Memorial Scholarships (select no more than two)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (also complete Part M)

- ☐ Bevier
- ☐ Chan
- ☐ Howes
- ☐ Izora Crews
- ☐ Krestan
- ☐ Martin Burnham
- ☐ McCarrell
- ☐ Morse Church
- ☐ Robert B. Tuttle & Sheldon Zenger
- ☐ Toy Tadlock
- ☐ Women's Auxiliary

Send application to: **Financial Aid Office**  
**Calvary University**  
**15800 Calvary Road**  
**Kansas City, MO 64147**

**816-425-6136**  
**Fax: 816-425-6134**  
**finaid@calvary.edu**

***Scholarship Application, continued***

Part A **Academic Scholarship**

- ☐ ACT composite score \_\_\_\_\_ or ☐ SAT combined score \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ H.S./College CGPA \_\_\_\_\_

Part B **Alumni Scholarship (College)**  
(to be completed by Alumnus)

Alumnus' Name \_\_\_\_\_ Years attended at CBC \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Part C **Alumni Scholarship (Seminary)**

Date of graduation and degree earned from CBC \_\_\_\_\_

Part D **Awana Scholarship**

- ☐ I received the Citation Award in \_\_\_\_\_ (year)  
(Verification from Awana Headquarters must be received by the first day of the upcoming semester.)

Part E **Berean Fellowship Scholarship**

- ☐ I am a member in good standing of \_\_\_\_\_ (A Berean Fellowship Church) and will submit a pastoral reference letter to the Financial Aid Department by the scholarship deadline as indicated in this application.

Part F **Christian Workers Scholarship**

To be completed by primary wage earner (must be involved in full-time Christian work):

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of work (pastor, missionary, teacher, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Organization name and location (church, mission board, school, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Part G ***Family Tuition Scholarship***

	Family Member #1	Family Member #2	Family Member #3
Name (print)	_____	_____	_____
Signature	_____	_____	_____
Date	_____	_____	_____

Part H ***IFCA Scholarship***

☐ I am a member in good standing of \_\_\_\_\_ (An IFCA affiliated Church) and will submit a pastoral reference letter to the Financial Aid Department by the scholarship deadline as indicated in this application.

Part M ***Memorial Scholarship***

☐ One-paragraph summary of my goals upon leaving Calvary attached.