



S-STEM (SCHOLARSHIPS IN SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND MATHEMATICS)

APPLICATION

S-STEM Scholarship Benefits:

- Scholarships of \$4,362 per academic year will be awarded on an ongoing basis for up to 3 consecutive years as long as the student meets the requirements, including maintaining a 3.0 GPA at UNG.
- This scholarship can be added to other scholarships & grant funding (such as HOPE and Pell).
- Opportunity for involvement in undergraduate research, career counseling, internships, and other academic activities.
- Early, priority registration each semester as an S-STEM scholar.

Eligibility Criteria (read these carefully!)

- Freshman and sophomore students on the Gainesville or Dahlonega campus in a baccalaureate degree in biology, chemistry, mathematics, or physics or enrolled in an associates program with intent to pursue one of these degrees (federal funding guidelines require that we exclude the following: nursing, PT, pre-medical, pre-vet, pre-pharmacy, other clinical/medical majors, computer science, and k-12 science education).
- Demonstrate financial need through completion of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) application and demonstrate need (check your Bannerweb account to verify this):
 - From your Bannerweb account: select the Financial Aid Menu; select Award; select Award by Aid Year; select Award by Aid Year, click submit; select Award Overview Tab
 - Under the "Need Calculation" heading, there should be a list of need calculation.
 - Copy and paste that section into the application section II below
- Applications from all STEM students are encouraged, including members of groups traditionally underrepresented in STEM fields.

Application Process

- Applicants should submit this typed and completed UNG S-STEM scholarship application to the email address of their home campus (see end of this application for campus- specific contact information)
 - In your email subject line you must include your last name and your home campus
- Also email (or have emailed): One letter of recommendation from a UNG faculty (professor/lecturer).

SECTION I

Name	
Address	
Phone	
UNG Email	
900 number	
Home campus	

SECTION II

High school GPA & graduation date:	
UNG GPA:	
Combined SAT and/or ACT scores:	
Total College Credit Hours & hours enrolled in this semester	
Semester you started at UNG:	
UNG Major (and AS or BS?):	
If you are currently enrolled as an AS degree student, are you planning on transitioning to a BS at UNG?	
What degree (major and AS or BS) do you ultimately plan to graduate with from UNG?	
Copy and pasted "Need Calculation" values here. <i>See above under "Eligibility Criteria" for instructions on how to do this step. Applications without this section will not be considered.</i>	

SECTION III

<p><i>Classes you are currently taking at UNG, total credit hours, and <u>approximate current class average (include class averages only if you are applying after classes have started):</u></i></p> <p>Class 1: Class 2: Class 3: Class 4: Class 5:</p>

<p><i>What is/was your favorite class in college or high school and why?</i></p>
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What classes are you looking forward to the most during your time at UNG and why?

SECTION IV

Statement of your professional goals following graduation with your STEM degree from UNG:

SECTION V

Relevant activities and/or honors (list UNG clubs you are currently a member of or clubs you plan to join, as well as academic, professional, community, etc.):

SECTION VI

The purpose of this scholarship is to enhance the educational opportunities for students seeking a degree and career in the non-medical STEM fields. How do you plan to use this scholarship to assist with these goals while at UNG?

Do you currently have a job or are planning on getting one? If so, how many hours do you work (or will work) per week during the school year?

If you received this scholarship would you consider reducing or eliminating the hours you work at an outside job? If so, to what extent?

SECTION VII

Please provide any other information that you think would be of interest to the Scholarship Selection Committee.

For questions and to submit your application, email the professor below on your home campus:

<p><u>Gainesville Campus:</u> Dr. Hyslop Associate Professor, Biology University of North Georgia (678) 717-3538 nhyslop@ung.edu</p>	<p><u>Dahlonega Campus:</u> Dr. Holliday Professor, Mathematics University of North Georgia (706) 864-1812 jeholliday@ung.edu</p>
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