

GENEVA COLLEGE

Financial Aid

Making Academically Excellent, Christ-Centered Higher Education Affordable

A Guide to Costs, Scholarships and Financial Aid for 2014-15 First-Year Undergraduate Students

A Tuition Freeze for 2014-15!

Our Commitment

In order to keep high quality, faith-based education accessible for as many students as possible, Geneva College has announced that there will be no tuition increase for 2014-15 in any traditional undergraduate programs. Along with this commitment is our guarantee that there will be no reduction of available student aid in the form of Geneva scholarships and grants.

THE RESULT: A rigorous and valuable education grounded in the inerrant truth of Scripture is now even more affordable for families from all economic backgrounds.

For the 2014-15 academic year, full-time tuition (12–17 credits per semester) will be \$25,220—identical to our 2013-14 rate!

Our Assistance

- Over 95% of first-year students receive Geneva College grants and scholarships
- Nearly 100% of first-year students receive some kind of aid
- Because of our dedication to keeping Geneva affordable, we've increased the amount of aid we provide by 30% since 2008

Our Value

U.S. News & World Report recognizes Geneva College as a 2014 Top 10 Best Value School out of all North Region colleges! We qualified for this designation because of our high academic performance compared to the net cost of attendance for a student who received the average level of need-based financial aid.



And you receive a great return on your investment!

Over the past four years, 90% of our students are working or in graduate school within six months of graduation on average.

Our Tools

First-Year Net Price Calculator

Identify the academic scholarships and awards for which you may qualify, overall financial aid, and an estimate of Geneva's costs Geneva.edu/scholarshipcalculator

Parent Webinars and Presentations

Offered for FREE by the Financial Aid Office to help students' families better understand financial aid opportunities

Geneva.edu/financial aid seminars

Financial Literacy Resources

We're here to help you understand student loan debt, as well as manage your finances while in college and beyond graduation Geneva.edu/financial literacy

Our Process

Maximize your financial aid award by following these steps:

- 1. Apply for admission to Geneva College
- 2. File the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to apply for federal and state aid
- File between January 1 and March 15 for priority consideration
- Student and a parent should get a PIN number at pin.ed.gov
- File online at fafsa.gov
- Geneva's college code is **003267**
- You can use estimates, but having a completed U.S. tax return is helpful
- 3. Search for private scholarships
- fastweb.com
- collegeboard.com
- Churches, civic organizations, employers and other sources

Other Helpful Websites

Geneva.edu/fa

Geneva information, Net Price Calculator

pheaa.org

PA state grant information

studentaid.gov

Federal aid information

studentloans.gov

Direct loans

Our Timeline

November - December

- Apply for admission
- Search for outside scholarships
- Obtain a Personal Identification Number (PIN) for filing the FAFSA
- Register for Geneva's "Tips for Completing the FAFSA" webingr

January-March

- Gather tax information for filing the FAFSA
- File the FAFSA using school code
 003267 prior to March 15
- Receive and review your Award Notification Letter from Geneva
- Submit your deposit as soon as possible to reserve your place and receive clearance for web registration when it opens in May

April-June

- Return your Award Notification Letter Acceptance Form to Geneva's Financial Aid Office
- Notify Geneva of any private scholarships that you will receive
- Complete the financial aid checklist included with award



Our Scholarships and Grants

Scholarships	Eligibility	Amount	Renewable?
Pro Christo Scholarship	Based on SAT/ACT scores, high school grades and admissions application	\$60,000 \$15,000 per year	For 8 semesters, with 3.0 cumulative GPA
Founders Scholarship		\$48,000 \$12,000 per year	
Alumni Scholarship		\$40,000 \$10,000 per year	
Northwood Award		\$30,000 \$7,500 per year	For 8 semesters, with 2.0 cumulative GPA
Geneva Grants	Awarded to students with financial need as determined by the FAFSA	Variable according to need	For 8 semesters, if needed per FAFSA
Federal/State Aid	Financial need as determined by FAFSA	Variable according to need	For 8 semesters, if needed per FAFSA



This information is valid for the 2014-15 academic year only.

You are automatically considered for grants and scholarships from Geneva by being accepted for admission and filing the FAFSA form by our priority deadline of March 15.

Geneva College also offers other financial awards such as music scholarships, denominational affiliation grants and church match scholarships. For more information, visit **Geneva.edu/grants_scholarships**.