| iii. Official transcripts must be received, and the applicant<br>must be officially evaluated and fully admitted into the<br>University of Phoenix by the last date of their first |
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| registered course.   |
| Applicant must post attendance to their first bachelor's degree course within the Initial Attendance Window.   |

## Selection Process

- 1. The recipients of the scholarships will be selected by the University of Phoenix.
- 2. It is the applicant's responsibility to submit a complete and signed application along with any required and supporting documentation, which must be received on or before the Application Deadline. The University of Phoenix accepts no responsibility for incomplete applications, applications not in proper form, lost applications, or any other submission in exception to the instructions.
- 3. Scholarship selection shall be made without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, national origin, disability, veteran status, or any other category protected by federal, state, or local law.
- 4. The 25 scholarships will be awarded to the eligible applicants with the highest GPA that apply by the application deadline. In the event there are applicants with the same GPA, the applicant(s) with the earliest date of application will receive the scholarship.
- 5. The decision of the University of Phoenix is final and not subject to review.
- 6. Starting on May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024, the University of Phoenix will begin the selection process for eligible qualified students.
- 7. Recipients will be notified no later than June 1

- including any applicable taxes from the award of this scholarship as Federal laws may change and laws vary from state to state. The University of Phoenix makes no representations with respect to the taxability of this award and the University of Phoenix may change its treatment of the scholarship for tax purposes in its sole discretion.
- 3. This Scholarship may not be combined with any other University of Phoenix scholarship, offers, promotions, memorandums of understanding or other tuition scholarship(s) except for the Alumni Tuition Benefit.
- 4. Recipients remain responsible for repayment of all Federal Direct Loans borrowed for your program or any other program you have enrolled in and/or attended are subject to the repayment terms and conditions set forth in the Master Promissory Note (MPN) executed with the U.S. Department of Education.
- 5. This Scholarship is not applicable and will not be issued to:
  - a. Applicants who enroll in a University of Phoenix degree level or program other than what is specifically outlined in the Application's Eligibility Criteria for the scholarship.
  - b. Applicants pursuing stand-alone University of Phoenix courses.
  - c. Applicants pursuing stand-alone University of Phoenix certificates.
  - d. Applicants pursuing a Competency Based Education program
  - e. Current University of Phoenix Students
  - f. Applicants receiving any employer benefits or discounts
  - g. Applicants receiving Military Tuition Rate
  - h. Applicants who are receiving the AA Transfer tuition rate
  - i. Applicants who do not meet the University of Phoenix eligibility requirements
  - j. Students who enroll and start their first course outside the scholarship window.
  - k. Applicants who have received another University of Phoenix scholarship award in the past two years
- 6. The Scholarship will automatically terminate if:
  - a. Applicant fails to meet the eligibility requirements
  - b. Recipient is Academically Disqualified, Disqualified for Admission, Scholastically Disqualified, Scholastically Suspended or Expelled as outlined in the University Catalog.
  - c. Recipient is out of attendance on an unapproved leave of absence for more than 35 days.
  - d. Recipient completes their bachelor's degree program.
  - e. Receives the maximum scholarship award
  - f. Two years (730 days) from the start date of recipient's first course notwithstanding any approved leave of absence(s).
- 7. If recipient has applied for or is receiving Title IV financial aid funding, this scholarship may reduce the recipient's eligibility for Title IV financial aid funding to comply with Title IV regulations. In addition, the recipient must maintain continuous attendance as defined by the University of

Phoenix and/or must qualify for a leave of absence to maintain his/her financial aid status. Recipient is required to abide by all state and federal financial aid policies and procedures and all University of Phoenix financial policies and procedures as set forth in the University of Phoenix Academic Catalog, including remaining in good financial standing with University of Phoenix.

- 8. Recipient who falls out of attendance for more than thirty-five (35) days from the last date of academic activity will forfeit his/her scholarship. Recipient who returns from an approved absence will be subject to version and program updates per the University of Phoenix Academic Catalog.
- 9. Should recipient drop, receive a W-

| 16. In the event that any provision of the scholarship terms and conditions |
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| shall be held void, voidable, or unenforceable, the remaining provisions    |
| shall remain in full force and effect.                                      |