What does the Cincinnatus Presidential Scholarship cover?

- Tuition covered by the scholarship is made up of instructional, general, ITIE, and campus life fees (also if applicable, college program fees and non-resident surcharge) charged to full-time, matriculated students.
- Basic, multiple-occupancy room rate is covered; additional room charges are responsibility of scholar.
- Board rate is covered at full residential meal plan.
- Students living off-campus will receive a room and board allowance based on campus rates.
- Book allowance equals $1,480 per year for 2014-15; your specific book costs may be more than scholarship allowance.
- Cincinnatus scholars are responsible for other university fees including, but not limited to, part-time and overload tuition fees, matriculation fee, co-op fees, housing deposits, parking, health insurance, orientation fees, and computer purchases.

Does the Presidential Scholarship cover out-of-state tuition?

- Yes, non-resident surcharges are covered. However, students eligible for reciprocity, metro or other reduced rates must complete processes described at www.financialaid.uc.edu/residency.

If tuition increases while I am enrolled at UC, will my scholarship increase?

- Yes, the Presidential Scholarship adjusts equivalent to tuition as well as room and board increases and the Student Financial Aid Office book allowance budget.

Is this a four-year scholarship?

- Yes, the scholarship is renewable for 8 full-time, in-class semesters as long as you are continuously enrolled (excluding summer) in a UC degree program.
  - Co-op students will not receive their scholarship for that term.
  - Eligibility consideration for students is for 8 full-time, in-class semesters. Students who continue in a degree program beyond their first bachelor’s degree within their eligibility timeframe will be limited to the in-state, undergraduate tuition amount for the tuition and fees portion of their award.

Are there limits to scholarships I can receive at or bring to UC?

- Yes. There are occasions where multiple scholarships as well as federal aid eligibility do intersect and cause for adjustments. Total award packages must be within the undergraduate scholarship policy detailed at www.financialaid.uc.edu/scholarshiplimits. In all cases, the university is looking to maximize a student’s eligibility for funds within the policy.

What if I am also named a National Merit or Achievement Finalist?

- As a student eligible for the Cincinnatus Excellence award, the only component not addressed by the Presidential Scholarship is the $1,500 additional award available for computer purchase, study abroad, or undergraduate research. By completing the Excellence instructions (www.admissions.uc.edu/excellence), your Presidential Scholarship would include this additional funding.

Is there a community of Presidential Scholars?

- Yes. The Student Financial Aid Office brings together the Presidential Scholars a couple of times a year. Beyond that, Presidential Scholars often connect with each other and many other scholars through the University Honors Program (www.uc.edu/honors).