
TERMS AND CONDITIONS GOVERNING THE ADELPHI UNIVERSITY PRESIDENTIAL TALENT SCHOLARSHIP

1. Your award of an Adelphi University Presidential Talent Scholarship for the Fall and Spring semesters of the 2015-2016 academic year and subsequent years is made based on your fulfillment of the following requirements:
 - you are enrolled in full-time study at Adelphi University (a minimum of twelve (12) credits per semester) in a flat rate tuition program leading to a bachelor's degree;
 - you maintain a grade-point average of **3.0** or higher for each of your first two semesters;
 - you maintain a grade-point average of **3.3** or higher for each subsequent semester while enrolled in courses leading to a bachelor's degree at Adelphi University;
 - you must continue in your declared talent major—studio art, dance, music, theatre or communications—and maintain a minimum grade-point average of **3.0** in that major each semester;
 - you complete a minimum of 9 credits per semester; and
 - this award can be applied to Fall and Spring semesters of study only.
2. The University reserves the right to revoke this award based on academic or behavioral violations.
3. All scholarship recipients who are **U.S. citizens or permanent residents** are encouraged to file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) annually with the U.S. Department of Education regardless of expected eligibility for financial assistance. You will receive a financial assistance award notification from the Office of Student Financial Services approximately 6-8 weeks after you file the FAFSA. At that time you will also be informed of all instructions that may apply to your scholarship or other financial assistance. This award may be readjusted once your eligibility for federal, state, and other institutional aid has been determined. **Students who do not meet the eligible citizenship requirements as noted on the FAFSA are not required to file.**
4. The amount of your award is fixed and will not be increased by changes in tuition and fees that may occur, or future academic performance.
5. This award and the amount of your award supersede any other scholarship or grant offer you may have previously received from Adelphi. After filing for financial assistance, you will receive an award letter from the Office of Student Financial Services that will reflect all assistance you have been awarded.
6. Your scholarship may only be used for tuition and fees at Adelphi University. If you receive federal, state, or other assistance, your scholarship **may be reduced** to ensure that the combined funds do not exceed the cost of tuition and fees at Adelphi University.