

# Academic Challenge Scholarship Program (Also called the Lottery Scholarship)

## All information pertains to students 18 or under

### From now through 2013 Graduates

- Must be a citizen of the United States
- Parents of applicant or applicant must have been resident of Arkansas for at least 12 months immediately preceding enrollment
- Must be a full time student in the fall after graduation from high school
- Must be enrolled in at least 12 semester hours
- Must submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for federal financial aid
- *Must complete the Smart Core curriculum with a 2.5 GPA or minimum composite score of 19 on the ACT OR under Common Core graduation achieve at least a 2.5 GPA and a minimum composite score of 19 on the ACT and score proficient or higher on End of Course tests (Algebra I, Geometry, and Biology)*
- Must submit an on-line application through the Arkansas Department of Higher Education website
- ([www.adhe.edu](http://www.adhe.edu).)
- Deadline for application is June 1 of the calendar year of graduation

### Beginning with 2014 Graduates

- Must be a citizen of the United States
- Parents of applicant or applicant must have been resident of Arkansas for at least 12 months immediately preceding enrollment
- Must be a full time student in the fall after graduation from high school
- Must be enrolled in at least 12 semester hours
- Must submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for federal financial aid
- *Must complete the Smart Core curriculum with a 2.5 GPA or minimum composite score of 19 on the ACT*
- Must submit an on-line application through the Arkansas Department of Higher Education website ([www.adhe.edu](http://www.adhe.edu).)
- Deadline for application is June 1 of the calendar year of graduation

Please note the only difference is in *italics*.