Even before you are admitted to Western.....

Begin Your Financial Resource and Scholarship Search Now!

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| **Washington College Grant**         | Up to full tuition!  
*Amounts vary based on income, family size, and school or program cost (determined by FAFSA or WAFSA)* | For WA residents (including undocumented)  
*To apply: Complete FAFSA and or WAFSA*                                                                                                                  |
| **Martinez Fellowship Program**      | Western Washington University Martinez Fellows will receive scholarship support, type and amount to be determined upon admission into the Fellowship program | For candidates of color admitted into a Teaching program at WWU, with a demonstrated commitment to social justice (demonstrated financial need preferred)  
*To apply: See Woodring’s Martinez Fellowship site for information on the application process*                                                               |
| **Teacher Shortage Conditional Scholarship** | Up to $8,000 per year  
*See website for service obligations* | NOTE: Not available for candidates receiving the Alternative Route Conditional Scholarship through their program.  
For candidates admitted to an approved program, leading to an initial teacher certificate, with unmet financial need (applicants from underrepresented groups are given priority)  
*To apply: Visit website when applications re-open: March 19 – April 30th, 2024 (must also complete FAFSA and or WAFSA)*  
For candidates with unmet financial need, placed in a Title I school, during student teaching only  
*To apply: Visit website when applications re-open during your 1st spring quarter within the program: March - April* |
| **Student Teaching Grant**           | Up to $8,000                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                           |
### TEACH Grant

- **Amount:** Up to $4,000 a year
- **Service Obligations:** See website for service obligations
- **Eligibility:** For candidates enrolled in a TEACH-Grant-eligible program
- **Application:** To apply: Complete FAFSA and or WAFSA and contact WWU’s Financial Aid Office for more information

### Washington Education Association Warren G. Magnuson Scholarship 2024

- **Amount:** $1,500
- **Eligibility:** For Washington Education Association Educational Support Professional employees (active members) in their pursuit of professional advancement; for candidates currently enrolled in school
- **Application:** To apply: Visit website to apply. Applications due March 8th, 2024

### Woodring College of Education Scholarships

- **Amount:** Varies. Some scholarships are up to full tuition!
- **Eligibility:** For admitted candidates to Woodring College of Education (can apply prior to admission)
- **Application:** To apply: Monitor website for updated application instructions and due date for 2024 (Applications are generally open from the beginning of March to the beginning of April)

### Western Washington University Scholarship Center

- **Amount:** Varies
- **Eligibility:** For Western Washington University applicants and admitted students
- **Application:** To apply: Monitor website for WWU, Private, and Special Interest Scholarships (individual application instructions provided for each scholarship)

### WashBoard – Washington State Scholarships

- **Amount:** Varies
- **Eligibility:** For Washington state students
- **Application:** To apply: Create your profile on the Washington Student Achievement Council’s (WSAC) online scholarship search website to search for unique Washington State scholarships

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- See also [Financial Aid Checklist](#) for information on applying for the FAFSA or WAFSA
- See also WIETS Budgeting Guide or BTF Budgeting Guide for estimated expenses.

**Coursework needed prior to WWU application.....**

Are you working on completing a transfer degree (DTA-AA) or your remaining General University Requirements (GURs) in order to become eligible to apply to one of the WWU Renton teaching programs? See the funding opportunities below!

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<td>Pipeline for Paraeducators</td>
<td>Up to $4,000 per year</td>
<td>For paraeducators who wish to become teachers. Must be currently enrolled in a local community college, completing a Direct Transfer Agreement Associate Degree (DTA-AA); intending to pursue an initial teacher certificate.</td>
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<td>For Washington State employees. Limited number of credits and other restrictions may apply.</td>
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**Links to waiver information for local community colleges:**

- Green River College State Employee Tuition Waiver
- S Seattle College State Employee Tuition Waiver
- Highline College State Employee Tuition Waiver

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