

SCHOLARSHIPS & FINANCIAL AID

FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID

Families are strongly encouraged to submit a FAFSA as soon as it is available for the 2023 - 2024 academic year. Any need-based scholarships they may qualify for are included in their financial aid package based off the FAFSA information and review.

INITIAL FINANCIAL AID PACKAGE

Students will receive their initial Financial Aid Package within two weeks of receiving their admission decision. Students are automatically considered for Academic Merit Scholarships. Whenever the student receives an additional scholarship, such as a talent scholarship or Kathryn Albertson Scholarship Competition award, their financial aid award is updated through their C of I Admission Portal.

SCHEDULE A FINANCIAL AID MEETING

Most students choose to plan Financial Aid Meetings in Winter or early Spring after they have received their complete financial aid packages. Our admission team will create an Estimated Cost Worksheet as an example of what they can expect from their final bill.

TALENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Talent Scholarships are available to incoming students and are determined by the directors or coaches of each talent area. Students do not need to major or minor in a specific fine arts program to receive a scholarship from that department. They only need to participate in the program.

- Art: digital, photography, traditional, and 3D media
- Music: vocal, strings/piano, and marching band
- Theater: performance, design and technical, and playwriting
- Speech and Debate
- Christian Leadership
- Cheer/Dance
- Varsity Athletics

FINE ARTS SCHOLARSHIPS AUDITIONS

Fine Arts Auditions are held on campus and can be scheduled through your student's admission counselor.

KATHRYN ALBERTSON SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION

Students may register for the scholarship competition after November 15, and must have at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA and submit an application for admission to The College of Idaho. The competition consists of a written essay and an interview with a faculty member. Each participant will receive \$500, with runners-up receiving \$1,000, and competition winners receiving \$2,500 a year in scholarship support.

IMPORTANT DATES

SEPTEMBER

30 Fall Discovery Day

OCTOBER

28 Fall Discovery Day

NOVEMBER

15 Early Action I Application Deadline

DECEMBER

FAFSA available for completion

JANUARY

16 Early Action II Application Deadline

FEBRUARY

3 Fine Arts Audition

Kathryn Albertson Scholarship Competition
Feb. 5 - Feb. 16

15 Regular Decision Application Deadline

MARCH

9 Fine Arts Audition

APRIL

6 Admitted Student Day

13 Fine Arts Audition

MAY

1 Deposit Deadline

4 Take a PEAK

JUNE

14 Admitted Student Day