

# Diverse Teacher Scholars Program

In collaboration with Oregon school districts and community colleges, Western Oregon University is seeking smart, energetic **students who are ethnically diverse or who are heritage speakers of a language other than English** eager to join the next generation of Oregon teachers through the Diverse Teacher Scholars Program!

The DiverseTeacher Scholars Program aligns resources and opportunities for students to attend Western Oregon University and **provides a scholarship up to \$3,000 per year**, renewable annually. Students in the program receive academic support, individualized advising and professional development opportunities. Upon completion, students may receive preferred hiring in their school districts.



The Diverse Teacher Scholars program provides generous tuition assistance. Recipients must maintain a **strong GPA and progress toward graduation** to remain eligible for participation.

## YOU'RE ELIGIBLE IF YOU ARE:

- A **high school student** (*on track to graduate from an Oregon high school*), or a **transfer student** from an Oregon community college
- Ethnically diverse or a heritage speaker of a language other than English
- Admitted to Western Oregon University

## YOU'RE ELIGIBLE IF YOU ARE:

- An **incoming graduate student** entering either the Master of Arts in Teaching (Secondary Education), or the M.S. in Education (Special Education K-12), or the M.S. in Deaf and Hard of Hearing Education program.
- Ethnically diverse or a heritage speaker of a language other than English
- Admitted to Western Oregon University

For more information on other scholarships, financial aid or to apply for WOU General Scholarships (*deadline is March 1*) go to: [wou.edu/finaid/scholarships](http://wou.edu/finaid/scholarships).



## 2022 DEADLINES

### Undergraduate Students

#### November - January

- ❑ Apply to Western Oregon University online at: [wou.edu/admission](http://wou.edu/admission) (click the "Apply Now" button).

#### March 1

Go to the WOU Portal ([wou.edu/portal](http://wou.edu/portal)) for scholarship application forms. Click on the scholarship icon on the upper right hand side of the browser window.

- ❑ Apply for Diverse Teacher Scholars Scholarship
- ❑ Apply for WOU General Scholarships

### Graduate Students

Deadlines vary depending on the program. Contact Olivia Flores, Education Advisor at [floreso@wou.edu](mailto:floreso@wou.edu)

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