Office of Student Financial Aid

GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION SHEET

APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Apply for admission to UTPB by contacting the Office of Admissions. Phone number: 432-552-2605, Address: 4901 E. University Blvd, Odessa, TX 79762.
2. Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The FAFSA must be completed on-line and is available at www.fafsa.ed.gov on the web. The FAFSA is not a loan application.
3. If you do not receive the results of your FAFSA within four weeks call 1-800-433-3243 to check on its status.

Return Application and Required Documents to:
The University of Texas Permian Basin,
Office of Student Financial Aid
4901 E. University Blvd. Odessa, TX 79762-0001
Phone: (432) 552-2620 Fax: (432) 552-2621
Email: finaid@utpb.edu
Campus location: Mesa Building Room 1225

Information on this application will be used to determine your eligibility for Donor Scholarships processed through the Office of Financial Aid. Eligibility for donor scholarships are based on awarding criteria selected by the donor of the funds awarded. These funds are not first come first serve and are not guaranteed with the submission of this form.

Financial Aid Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP): To be eligible for aid you must make satisfactory academic progress. Please consult the undergraduate catalog for Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) guidelines.

PURPOSE

Financial assistance is available to college students who qualify and who are seeking a degree. Funds from a variety of sources assist students in achieving their responsibilities in paying for college. Costs associated with attending UTPB are comprised of tuition/fees, room/board, books/supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Federal, State, institutional, and external sources can help pay some of the expenses related to the associated costs. No person shall be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or subject to discrimination under any program sponsored by UTPB on any basis prohibited by applicable law, including but not limited to, race, color, national origin, religion, gender, or disability.

The following notice is provided in accordance with Section 559.003(a) of the Texas Government Code: With few exceptions, you are entitled on your request to be informed about the information U. T. Permian Basin collects about you. Under Sections 552.021 and 552.023 of the Texas Government Code, you are entitled to receive and review the information.

2020-2021 Academic Award Year

Please complete the section below:

CERTIFICATION AND AUTHORIZATION

I understand that State Law requires that each student identify any relation to a current member of The University of Texas System Board of Regents. A student who is related to a current member of the U.T. System Board of Regents is prohibited from receiving scholarships unless the scholarship is awarded exclusively based on academic merit or is an athletic scholarship. It is a Class B misdemeanor to file a false statement.

Are you related to any member of the U.T. System Board of Regents? ______________________

If yes, please identify the Board member and the relationship

Applicable relationships include one of the following –

1. Regent’s—spouse, spouse’s child, spouse’s parent, child’s spouse, parent’s spouse;
2. Regent’s—spouse’s brother or sister, spouse’s grandparent, spouse’s grandchild, brother’s or sister’s spouse, grandparent’s spouse, grandchild’s spouse;
3. Regent’s—parent, daughter, son;
4. Regent’s—brother, sister, grandparent, grandchild; or
5. Regent’s—great-grandparent, great-grandchild, uncle or aunt (brother or sister of parent) nephew or niece (son or daughter of brother or sister)

A list of the current members of The University of Texas System Board of Regents is available at http://www.utsystem.edu/bor/currentRegents.htm.

Students who receive donor scholarships from the UTPB financial aid office are required to submit a Thank You note to the UTPB Development office.
DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION (Please Print Clearly)

Student ID: ____________________________

Applicant’s Name: ____________________________

This address is the same as the address provided to UTPB Office of the Registrar.

Local Mailing Address: ____________________________

Email address: ____________________________

STUDENT INFORMATION

I graduated from a high school in Texas: □ Yes □ No

High school name ____________________________

I graduated High School in the top: □ 10% □ 25% □ 50%

My current cumulative grade point average is: ____________________________

I have an associate degree/transfer from a community college: □ Yes □ No

College name: ____________________________

City/State of Residence ____________________________

I am a Permian Basin resident: □ Yes □ No

I am seeking a degree from UTPB: □ Yes □ No

Major ____________________________ Minor: ____________________________

One or both of your parents have a college degree: □ Yes □ No

Certification Statement

General criteria for donor scholarship include full time enrollment. Dropping below 12 hours in a semester could make you ineligible to receive the scholarship. Students are also required to maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) which is 67% completion and a 2.0 cumulative GPA, however certain scholarships may have set criteria that exceeds SAP standards.

Some scholarships require UTPB to furnish the GPA of the recipient to the donor. If you wish to authorize the Office of Financial Aid to release your GPA to a donor put your initials by the statement below. You do not have to release your information. If you do not initial the statement below then you will not be considered for scholarships that require a GPA release.

☐ (initial) I authorize the Office of Financial Aid to release my cumulative GPA to the donor of a scholarship if release of my GPA is required as part of the scholarship criteria.

I authorize the University to apply the proceeds of my federal, state, and institutional financial aid to my tuition, fees, room or board charges, or any other University debt. I understand that this authorization will remain in effect unless revoked by me in writing. Requests for cancellation of this authorization should be submitted to the UTPB Office of Student Financial Aid at least 10 days prior to the fee payment period(s) outlined in the UTPB schedule of classes.

Applicant’s Signature ____________________________ Date ____________________________