

# Educational Opportunities for Utah High School Students

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Utah Board of Regents	UofU Admissions Requirements	Utah System of Higher Ed.	U.S. Dept. of Education	NCAA
<b>Regents' Scholarship/Utah Scholars Initiative</b>	<b>USHE College Preparation Coursework</b>	<b>New Century Scholarship</b>	<b>Academic Competitiveness Grant</b>	<b>NCAA Freshman Eligibility for Division I Schools</b>
4 credits of <b>Language Arts</b>	4 credits of <b>Language Arts</b>	Students must complete an Associate's Degree or Equivalent - Approximately 64 credit hours	4 credits of <b>Language Arts</b>	4 credits <b>Language Arts</b>
4 credits of <b>Mathematics</b> ; that must include Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, and another advanced math class	3 credits of <b>Mathematics</b>	<b>OR</b>	3 credits of <b>Mathematics</b> ; including Algebra I, Geometry, & Algebra II	3 credits <b>Mathematics</b> ; Algebra I or higher
3 credits of <b>Lab-Based, Natural Science</b> ; that must include: Biology, Chemistry and Physics	3 credits of <b>Biological/Physical Science</b> ; two courses must be taken from the <b>LAB</b> sciences	Math & Science Curriculum - Approximately 48 credit hours	3 credits of <b>Science</b> , 2 of which need to be from Lab-Based, Natural Science (i.e., Biology, Chemistry or Physics)	2 credits <b>Science</b> ; 1 year of lab science if it is offered by the school
3.5 credits of <b>Social Studies</b> ; including Geography, World and U.S. History, Economics or Government	<b>Social Studies</b> ; 1 credit of U.S. History	In either track, students must complete the curriculum with at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA by September 1st of the year that their class graduates from high school	3 credits of <b>Social Studies</b> ; including Geography, World and U.S. History, Economics or Government	2 credits <b>Social Studies</b>
2 credits of the same <b>Foreign Language in grades 9-12</b>	2 credits of a <b>Foreign Language</b> ; the same language, taken during grades 7-12 but required only at the University of Utah	New Century Scholarship recipients must enroll in a minimum of 6 semester hours per credit term and must not fall below a 3.0 GPA for 2 consecutive terms or they will forfeit the scholarship	1 Credit of a <b>Foreign Language</b>	
<b>OR</b>			<b>OR</b>	
Receive an <b>Intentional Baccalaureate (I.B.) Diploma</b>	4 additional courses; select from at least two groups: <b>English, History, Mathematics beyond Algebra II, Foreign Language, Lab Science, Technology and Engineering Education, Social Science, or Fine Arts</b>		Take and complete at least <b>6 credits of Concurrent Enrollment</b> (college-level courses) in core academic areas ( <b>Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, or Foreign Language</b> ) with no course grade lower than a B.	4 credits of additional courses; from any of the above areas, foreign language or non-doctrinal religion/philosophy
The Base Scholarship of \$1,000 is awarded to any student who completes the prescribed course of study with a GPA of 3.0 or higher			<b>OR</b>	1 additional credit taken from one of the following areas: English, mathematics, or natural/physical science
The Exemplary Academic Achievement Scholarship is worth up to 55% (09-10) of tuition if a student completes the course of study with a GPA of 3.5 and a 26 or higher composite on the ACT	Some USHE institutions have a required ACT score for admission, others use the ACT for placement	<b>Students must work closely with their guidance counselor in order to complete this program</b>	Take and complete 2 AP or IB classes and achieve minimum passing scores on the corresponding exams	Division I has a sliding scale for ACT/SAT test score and GPA.
The 3rd component is a match of up to \$100 per year for students who have contributed to their UESP account during the ages of 14, 15, 16, and 17	Admission to a USHE institution	40% (09-10) Tuition Paid at USHE Institution or partial tuition at BYU, LDSBC, or Westminster	\$750 for Pell eligible Freshman and \$1,300 for eligible Sophomores	Division I Eligibility
<a href="http://www.utahsbr.edu/acad01.html">http://www.utahsbr.edu/acad01.html</a>	<a href="http://www.utahsbr.edu/">http://www.utahsbr.edu/</a>	<a href="http://www.utahnewcentury.org/">http://www.utahnewcentury.org/</a>	<a href="http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/">http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/</a>	<a href="http://www.ncaa.org/">http://www.ncaa.org/</a>

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<b>Robert Byrd Scholarship</b>	<b>Centennial Scholarship</b>	<b>Utah CTE Scholarship</b>	<b>High School to College to Career Pathways</b>
High School Diploma that meets both state and local requirements	High School Diploma that meets both state and local requirements	High School Diploma that meets both state and local requirements	High School Diploma that meets both state and local requirements
<b>Be accepted for full-time enrollment at an accredited institution of higher education.</b>	<b>Students must fulfill requirements for graduation early and indicate that intent to their secondary school principal</b>	<b>AND</b>	<b>AND</b>
<b>Achieve a minimum ACT composite score of 25</b>	<b>Student must enroll within 1 calendar year in an eligible Utah post-secondary institution</b>	Students must have excelled in their Career & Technical Education area	<b>Choose one of the 62 state wide pathways, including academic and CTE courses that have been defined to help students achieve high school graduation and transition to college and careers</b>
<b>Cumulative high school grade point average (GPA) of 3.70 or higher</b>	<b>Student must begin using funds as a full-time student and for tuition only within 1 calendar year of high school graduation</b>	<b>OR</b>	Students must complete 3.0 credits of required foundation & elective CTE courses
Proof of U.S. citizenship		Complete a CTE Pathway	
		Students must plan on attending a postsecondary institution in a CTE program that is a 2-year Associate Degree or less	
		<b>OR</b>	
Students must maintain full-time status during their first year of school		Students must plan to teach in a CTE area (a 4-year program). All other 4-year degree programs will be disqualified	
\$1,500 scholarship renewable each year	Scholarship worth up to \$1,000	One year of tuition at selected USHE institutions	Workplace and/or post-secondary readiness
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