SAN IGNACIO UNIVERSITY
MIAMI, FL

SIU FRESHMAN SCHOLARSHIP TERMS, RULES AND REGULATIONS

Awarded to incoming freshman that has graduated from an approved high school the prior year with a graduating GPA of 2.0 and will be pursuing an Academic Associate and or a Bachelor's (AA/BA) Degree at SIU.

Specific programs are not eligible for the scholarship. These programs are MBA, ME and Master in Hospitality Management.

Students awarded this scholarship are required to perform 150 community/university service hours. These hours are a mandatory component as a recipient of an SIU scholarship. This scholarship is awarded at the time of enrollment and renewed automatically

Deadlines: **Before the start of the semester.**

Sum Awarded: The scholarship covers 45% of the tuition cost.

● Retention

For your scholarship to be applied each semester of eligibility, you must meet the rules and regulations indicated below. (If you meet all of the rules and regulations, your scholarship will automatically renew and will be posted to your account. Failure to do so will automatically result in a forfeiture and cancellation of your award.)

- For scholarship purposes, the academic year consists of the fall, spring and summer semesters.
- You must enroll and maintain full time hours every semester as of the 15th class day of the semester.
- You must maintain an overall cumulative GPA of 2.00 for Undergraduate students & 3.0 for Graduate students at the end of each academic year.
- You must earn a minimum of 24 credit hours for Undergraduate and 18 credit hours for Graduate students at the end of each academic year.

● General Guidelines:

- This scholarship may be used in conjunction with other aid. To avoid an over-award of a student's tuition, eligible fees, a student's Financial aid (if applicable), institutional scholarship, or state grants cannot exceed full cost of the tuition and eligible fees.
- Your award is available until graduation, provided you meet the retention guidelines each semester.
- The intent of the scholarship is to assist the student with tuition.
- Cost of attendance (COA) is defined as "an estimate of the student's educational expenses for a period of enrollment" pursuant to Title IV. A student's total award package cannot exceed the total Cost of Attendance (COA). When combined with state aid, federal financial grants or loans, or Federal College Work Study Program and all other aid, university scholarships should not exceed the "cost of attendance."

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SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

- Accepted and enrolled in a program
- Student Must Meet academic standards and show proof of High School Diploma from the previous year to study at SIU.
- 3 references letters
- 1 Essay with personal statements about the importance of postsecondary education.

Renew: If you meet all of the rules and regulations, your scholarship will automatically renew and will be posted to your account. Failure to do so will automatically result in a forfeiture and cancellation of your award