Eastern Oregon University 20xx-20yy

University Achievement Award in the amount of \$500 for the academic year TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ACCEPTANCE

ELIGIBILITY:

- This scholarship is available only to fully-admitted, new freshman students whose first term of enrollment at EOU is Fall 20xx.
- This scholarship offer is based on the information you provided to EOU during the admission process. A change to your academic qualifications may result in changes to your scholarship award.
- This scholarship requires students to be enrolled full-time (12 credits) each term of the standard academic year. (Fall, Winter, and Spring)
- This scholarship cannot be used in combination with the University Scholar Award, University Scholarly Need Award, Transfer and Returning Student Success Award, or Continuing Student Success Award as these are partner programs.

ACCEPTING YOUR SCHOLARSHIP:

- You must accept the *University Achievement Award* by May 1, 20xx or this scholarship offer may be rescinded.
- By accepting the *University Achievement Award*, you agree to fulfill all the terms and conditions for receiving this award.

INSTRUCTIONS TO ACCEPT OR DECLINE SCHOLARSHIP OFFER:

Reply to this email with your full name, student ID, and stating you ACCEPT or DECLINE the offer.

PAYMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS:

The annual award amount will be divided into three equal installments and credited to your university student account on the scheduled disbursement date of each term, as long as you are enrolled full-time. Undergraduate full-time enrollment is defined as 12 or more credit hours per term. Should your award pay in full for all 4 years you are eligible, this scholarship will total \$3,500 over the course of your academic program.

SCHOLARSHIP RENEWAL:

The *University Achievement Award* will be renewed for up to three additional years (9 terms) beyond the first year, for a total of up to four years (12 terms) of support, provided the following terms and conditions are met:

- **CONTINUOUS FULL-TIME ENROLLMENT:** You must maintain continuous full-time enrollment each term (12 or more credit hours) at EOU. Students unable to maintain continuous full-time enrollment must notify the Scholarship Office in writing prior to any leave of absence to request an award hold.
- EARN AT LEAST 40 CREDIT HOURS EACH ACADEMIC YEAR: You must maintain satisfactory progress towards an undergraduate bachelor's degree by successfully earning a minimum of 40 credit hours each academic year. Credits you earned in high school (through IB, AP, or dual enrollment) DO NOT count toward the total credit hours required for renewal.
- MAINTAIN AN OVERALL GPA OF AT LEAST 2.75: You must maintain an overall grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.75. Evaluation of your overall GPA will be completed annually at the conclusion of Spring term.
- Successful renewal will increase your award by \$250 for the following year (cumulative year over year). SCHOLARSHIPS APPEAL:

Should you not be able to maintain the above renewal requirements due to extenuating circumstances, you are encouraged to complete the Scholarship Appeal process to attempt to have your award reinstated. Information about the appeal process will be sent during the renewal processing after the completion of spring term.