# Eastern Oregon University Transfer and Returning Student Success Award Terms and Conditions of Acceptance

# **ELIGIBILITY:**

- This scholarship is available only to fully admitted students.
- 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) for 100% disbursement or enrolled at least ½ time (6 credits) each term of the standard academic year (Fall, Winter, and Spring) for 60% disbursement.
- This scholarship cannot be used in combination with the University Scholar, University Scholarly Need, University Achievement, or Continuing Student Success Award as these are mutually exclusive programs.

### **ACCEPTING YOUR SCHOLARSHIP:**

- You must accept the *Transfer and Returning Student Success Award* or this scholarship offer may be rescinded.
- By accepting the Transfer and Returning Student Success Award, you agree to fulfill all the terms and conditions for receiving this award.

# INSTRUCTIONS TO ACCEPT OR DECLINE SCHOLARSHIP OFFER:

Please indicate your acceptance by replying to <a href="mailto:scholarships@eou.edu">scholarships@eou.edu</a> and stating ACCEPT or DECLINE.

### **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 at least ½ time. Undergraduate full-time enrollment is defined as 12 or more credit hours per term (100% disbursement). Undergraduate ½ time enrollment is defined as at least 6 credit hours per term (60% disbursement).

Annual awards will be reduced to the prorated amount equal to the number of terms awarded for the year. Lifetime term eligibility will roll forward.

Summer awards are by request and will reduce disbursements to one-fourth per term if attending all year.

# **SCHOLARSHIP RENEWAL:**

The *Transfer and Returning Student Success Award* will be renewed for up to two additional years (6 terms) beyond the first year for a total of up to three years (9 terms), provided the following terms and conditions are met:

- CONTINUOUS ENROLLMENT: You must maintain continuous enrollment each term (6 or more credit
  hours) at EOU. Students unable to maintain continuous enrollment must notify the Scholarship Office in
  writing prior to any leave of absence to request an award exception. This is done by submitting a
  Scholarship Appeal.
- MAINTAIN AN OVERALL GPA OF AT LEAST 2.5: You must maintain an overall grade point average (GPA) of
  at least 2.5. An evaluation of your overall GPA will be completed annually after the conclusion of Spring
  term and may result in an award change. If your GPA falls below the 2.5 limit, you will not be eligible for
  this award for the subsequent academic year(s).