

## **Scholarships for pathway students admitted as degree students at Tampere University through the separate admissions for pathway students in admissions 2024**

Students who apply for admission to degree studies in the Degree Programme in Science and Engineering at Tampere University are entitled to apply for Tampere University scholarships at admission. Tampere University scholarships are available for degree students who are fee-paying. (Students who are citizens of non-EU and non-EEA countries studying in Bachelor's and Master's degree programmes in English are fee-paying. Those non-EU/EEA students who have the right to permanent residence in Finland (residence permit A granted on other grounds than studies, residence permits P and P-EU) are exempt from paying tuition fees. In addition, British citizens who have applied for or been granted right of residence in Finland under the withdrawal agreement are exempt from paying tuition fees.)

At admission to Tampere University Bachelor's programmes, it is possible for applicants to apply for Tampere University tuition fee scholarships. Tampere University tuition fee scholarships awarded at admission cover 100% of the tuition fees for the programme duration. Students admitted to complete a Bachelor's degree also receive a study right to a Master's degree. Scholarships awarded at admission are valid for the whole programme duration (BSc + MSc) which is a total of five academic years.

Scholarships are awarded at admission to applicants who have done best in the application process on the basis of their admission score. The same rules which are used in the student selection process also define the students' score in the scholarship evaluation process. In situations when several applicants have the same admission score, the application letter included in the scholarship application may also affect the decision. The number of scholarships available has not been confirmed yet in June 2023. In 2023, 6 scholarships were awarded to applicants through the admissions process for pathway students.

Applicants who are awarded with the scholarship through this admission route will receive the scholarship to either Tampere University study option they get admitted in and accept their study place in. The scholarship application is included in the application for admission in [Studyinfo.fi](https://www.tampere.fi/en/studyinfo).

The scholarship is subject to conditions which will be delivered to the student at admission. The main prerequisite for retaining the Tampere University tuition fee scholarship throughout the programme duration is progressing in studies at the normative pace (min. 55 ECTS of studies completed within an academic year). Detailed information on Tampere University tuition fee scholarships and their conditions is available on the [Tampere University Student's Guide page on scholarships for fee-paying students](#).

Students who do not receive a Tampere University tuition fee scholarship at admission will be eligible to receive the Pathway early bird offer which will give them a 50 % discount on their tuition fee during the first year of studies. In order to take advantage of the early bird offer, students must pay 50 % of their first year tuition fee within two weeks of bindingly accepting their study places. The early bird offer is only valid in the first year of studies but students will be eligible to apply for Tampere University scholarships during studies. For Bachelor's degree students, the scholarships available during studies are a Tampere University tuition fee scholarship covering 50 % of the annual tuition fee, the Tampere University International Advancement Scholarship and the Tampere University tuition fee scholarship for graduates from Tampere University Bachelor's programmes for studies in a Tampere University Master's programme. Detailed information on all of these scholarship options is available on the [Tampere University Student's Guide page on scholarships for fee-paying students](#).

If you cannot find an answer to a question on Tampere University scholarships in the Student's Guide, please contact the TAU Student Affairs Office, [studentservices.tau@tuni.fi](mailto:studentservices.tau@tuni.fi) for assistance.