Tabor College Undergraduate Studies

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Tabor College is committed to the ideal of providing education to qualified students regardless of their financial means. Financial aid is offered to eligible students through scholarships, grants, loans, and employment. The Office of Student Financial Assistance is given final authority for all official offers and awards of financial aid on behalf of Tabor College under the supervision of the Director of Student Financial Assistance.

All applicants for aid are encouraged to file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) online at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Paper forms are available from high school guidance counselors or by writing to the Tabor College Office of Student Financial Assistance.

The Office of Student Financial Assistance will act on all scholarship applications and FAFSA results. Notification of award will be made in writing to all students who are accepted for admission to Tabor College. The student is asked to accept or decline the financial aid awarded to him or her by the reply date indicated on the award notice. All students have the right to appeal for an extension of time to accept the financial aid award package. If a student would like to have the aid package reviewed again, he or she should contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance by the reply date.

Tabor College encourages all students to apply for and accept government grants, church scholarships, and other sources of aid outside of Tabor College.

Tabor College students are allowed access to personal financial aid applications materials contained in their financial aid file. Any student wishing to review the materials in his or her file must contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance for an appointment. Students will only have access to their personal information; materials relating to parents and/or guardians will not be available unless authorized by the parent or guardian. *Tabor College complies with the Federal Trade Commission rules related to the safeguarding of customer financial information as addressed by the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act (GLB Act). The College is also in compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA). Academic and financial information retained in student files is secured from unauthorized access through administrative and electronic controls.*

STATEMENT OF SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS

Federal regulations require Tabor College to establish Satisfactory Academic Progress standards for student financial aid recipients. Tabor College's standards of SAP measure a student's academic performance both qualitatively and quantitatively by reviewing the following three areas of performance: completion rate for coursework enrolled, total cumulative grade point average (CUM GPA) earned and the maximum time frame to complete a degree. The Office of Student Financial Aid is responsible for ensuring that all students receiving federal financial aid are meeting these minimal standards. The standards of SAP apply for all federal financial assistance programs including Federal Pell Grant, Federal Perkins Loan, Federal Work-Study, Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant, Federal Direct loan program, and Federal Family Education Loans (Stafford and PLUS).

ITEMS TO CONSIDER:

- Financial aid SAP is similar to but not exactly the same as academic progress required for graduation.

- Being declared ineligible for financial aid does not mean a student has been academically dismissed from Tabor College. It means that students may not receive government financial aid. They may still be eligible for Tabor College aid.
- Any appeal of ineligibility is good for only one term. Approval of an appeal places the student on "financial aid probation" only for the term the appeal was approved.
- No federal aid may be paid to a student's account for a subsequent term until after grades for the probationary period have been reviewed and the student's status determined to be satisfactory.
- Failure to meet the minimum SAP standards after an appeal was approved will place a student in ineligible status once again.
- Many scholarship recipients are required to maintain a higher credit hour level or grade point average than outlined in this policy. Guidelines on the minimum acceptable credits/grade point average for scholarship recipients are outlined by donors or in acceptance notices signed by the recipient.

SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS (SAP) POLICY

A student must be in an admitted/enrolled status as a regular student in a degree program and making satisfactory academic progress toward a degree in order to be considered for participation in federal financial aid programs administered by Tabor College's Office of Student Financial Aid. Making satisfactory academic progress for these purposes includes three factors: 1) a minimum prescribed cumulative grade point average (CUM GPA) defined by Tabor College, 2) a prescribed completion rate of courses enrolled, and 3) proceeding through the program at a pace leading to completion in a time frame of 150 percent of the average length of a program. The specific expectations include the following:

Maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average (CUM GPA) from coursework taken at Tabor College: The minimum CUM GPA for undergraduates is 1.70 for freshmen (0 – 23 credit hours), 1.80 for sophomores (24 – 55 credit hours), and 1.90 for juniors (56 – 87 credit hours) and 2.0 for seniors (88 -). Grade changes after the term has been completed will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis. Repeated courses – last recorded grade will be computed in the GPA.

Each student must earn at least 67 percent of all attempted hours each term. Attempted hours include transferred hours and all Tabor College hours including incompletes, withdrawals, repeated, pass/fail, and all earned hours. Students who enter during interterm or the spring semester must earn the same 67 percent of all attempted hours for the enrolled semester in order to maintain financial aid eligibility. Students are expected to complete degree requirements within 150 percent of the average length of their program of study, e.g. 186 credit hours. Maximum time frame will include all accepted and transferred credit hours. Change in majors or pursuit of a second degree, attempted hours will include all transferred and Tabor College credit hours.

SAP is measured after the fall, spring, and summer terms have ended. For SAP review purposes, Interterm will be included with the spring semester. All attempted hours, even in terms when a student did not receive federal financial aid, must be included in the SAP review. Failure to comply with any one of the following requirements will result in warning status or the loss of federal student aid eligibility.

FAILURE TO MEET SAP STANDARDS FINANCIAL AID WARNING

Satisfactory Academic Progress is reviewed at the end of each term (for traditional undergraduate students and after each term for AGS and Graduate students). Students not meeting the GPA and/or the completion percentage requirements at that time will be automatically placed on "financial aid warning." [Students exceeding the 150 percent credit limit criteria for their first Bachelor's degree are not eligible for "financial aid probation."]

Financial aid warning provides an opportunity for students to correct deficiencies and to re-establish compliance with the SAP standards. Students have until the end of the succeeding term to correct their SAP problems. Students remain eligible for federal financial aid while on "financial aid warning."

Students placed on financial aid warning will receive written notification of this action. However, it is the responsibility of the student to know whether his/her grade report, when compared to the SAP criteria, will cause placement on financial aid warning or the immediate loss of eligibility. The SAP policy is listed in the Catalog and the policy manual located in the financial aid office.

At the end of the probationary period, the student will either be:

1) Removed from warning status because all three components of the SAP policy are now met; OR
2) Suspended from receiving assistance from federal sources and will receive a Financial Aid Suspension Letter.

APPEAL PROCEDURE

Students not meeting the Satisfactory Academic Progress requirements may appeal their financial aid suspension. To do so, a student must submit an appeal no later than one month after the semester has ended. Appeal submission requires that a student provide the Office of Student Financial Aid with a signed SAP Appeal Form explaining why he/she should not be suspended. The SAP Appeal Form is available from the Office or online for downloading and printing. A student may appeal because of mitigating or extenuating circumstances that could not be influenced, planned for, or prevented by the student (e.g., hospitalization, prolonged illness, death in the immediate family, etc.). Documentation verifying the situation is required and must accompany the appeal.

The appeal will be reviewed by the Enrollment Management Committee and a decision rendered and conveyed in writing by the Director of Student Financial Aid or her/his delegate to the student within two weeks of the receipt of student's appeal. Decisions regarding appeals are final and, consequently, not subject to further review. If a student's appeal is approved, federal aid may be allowed for one payment period. The outcome of a student's appeal depends upon the nature of the circumstances causing the violation, documentation provided, and how well the student has demonstrated that he/she is now making good progress toward earning a degree.

Students may also submit an academic completion plan with an appeal for consideration if it will take longer than one payment term to regain good standing of academic progress. Prior to submission of the academic plan, the student must work with his/her academic advisor to ensure the ability to complete a degree within the described time frame(s).

FINANCIAL AID SUSPENSION AND RE-ESTABLISHING ELIGIBILITY

After financial aid has been withdrawn for failure to maintain satisfactory academic progress, students may re-establish eligibility by improving their completed courses and grade point averages through Tabor College at their own expense. Students should contact the Financial Aid Office at the end of the term in which two-thirds or more of the hours attempted have been completed. It may also involve dealing with issues that have hindered their progress. When two-thirds of the courses attempted have been completed and if all other academic progress requirements have been met, the student is removed from financial aid suspension. Suspended students are encouraged to speak with the Financial Aid Office about alternative loan opportunities available to them if they must supplement their own and/or their family's resources.

ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

To be considered for academic scholarships, a student should apply for admission and supply a transcript indicating at least seven semesters of work and SAT or ACT scores. Academic scholarships range in value from $3,500 to $17,000 per academic year.

For financial aid purposes, a transfer student is defined as one who has earned a high school diploma or G.E.D. and has earned 20 or more college hours since that time. Transfer students are awarded academic scholarships exclusively on the basis of their college work. First-time freshmen are awarded academic scholarships exclusively on the basis of a cumulative high school GPA (minimum of seven semesters) and an ACT score as described below.

TABOR COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

The sources of Tabor College scholarships are the College's own financial resources. Tabor College scholarships are composed of the following list and explicitly exclude forms of aid from federal, state, or local government programs and third-party grants and scholarships. Each annual edition of the Tabor College Catalog will include definitions and values of Tabor College scholarships that will pertain to students admitted for the first time during that academic year represented by the catalog and will not pertain to students enrolled for the first time during any other academic year. Each student will be bound by the parameters of the Tabor College scholarships in effect when enrolled for the first time and continuously until graduation. For further clarification of this definition and policy, contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance.

Academic Transfer Scholarship. *Students must have 20 transferable credit hours completed after high school graduation. Scholarship value: $3,000 to $8,000/year and is based on transferable GPA of 2.50-2.74, 2.75-2.99 or 3.0 or higher (not applicable to first-time freshmen). Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

Achievement. *Students must have an ACT-GPA product of between 45 and 59. Scholarship value: $14,000 ($3,500/year) and is renewable while in good academic standing. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

Alumni Legacy Grant. *Available to any eligible child, grandchild, and/or sibling of a Tabor College alumnus (defined as completion of 24 semester credit hours). Children must be legal dependents; married children are not eligible. Award value is $750 per year, divided equally between the two semesters. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

Athletic Scholarships. *Awarded by the coaching staff in conjunction with the Office of Student Financial Assistance. Students should return player information cards (if provided by coaches) and supply a game tape and/or schedule a tryout. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

Church Scholarships and Church Matching Grants. *Students are encouraged to seek financial assistance from their church congregations. Churches may provide scholarships in the names of students to be applied on accounts. The College will match that award up to $275 per semester as financial aid. Church treasurers should inquire with the Office of Student Financial Assistance regarding details of this program.*

Dean's. *Students must have an ACT-GPA product of between 85 and 114. This scholarship is valued at $42,000 ($10,500/year) and is renewable with a cumulative college GPA of 3.00 or higher. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

Hesston Grant. *Any Hesston College student with a minimum of 30 transferable credit hours is eligible. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

Honors. *Students must have an ACT-GPA product of between 60 and 84. Scholarship value: $26,000 ($6,500/year) and is renewable with a cumulative college GPA of 2.75. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

International Student Grant. *International residents, including those from Canada, are eligible. Full financial settlement (payment of a semester in full) must be made before the international student arrives on the Tabor College campus. Class attendance will be denied until this requirement is met. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

Mennonite Grant. *Members of a Mennonite church that supports the Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) are eligible. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

National Merit. *Awarded to National Merit Finalists, Semi-finalists, Hispanic Honors, and Black Commended Scholars. Scholarship value: $2,000/year. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

Performance Scholarships. *Band, drama, or vocal scholarships. Scholarships are awarded by appropriate faculty in conjunction with the Office of Student Financial Assistance. Interested students should audition before a member of the music/drama faculty or supply an audition tape to the faculty. Contact the Admissions Office to schedule an audition. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

Phi Theta Kappa Grant. *Confirmation of membership to Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society. Transfer GPA of 3.25 or higher. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

Premier. *Freshman students must have an ACT – GPA product of 115 or higher. Students receiving this scholarship will be expected to exemplify Christian leadership. This scholarship is valued at $48,000 ($12,000/year) and is renewable with a cumulative college GPA of 3.2 or higher. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

Presidential Leadership Scholarship. *Freshman students must have an ACT score of 25 or greater and GPA of 3.3 or higher. Students receiving this scholarship will be expected to contribute to Tabor College student campus life, excel in the classroom, and have the desire and passion to make a positive difference in the world and live on campus. This scholarship is valued at $72,000 ($18,000/year) and is renewable. Limited. Application, resume, and essay required. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

Promise Grant. *Students must have an ACT-GPA product of between 45 and 59. Scholarship value: $14,000 ($4,000/year) and is renewable while in good academic standing. Subject to Institutional Aid Restrictions.*

INSTITUTIONAL AID RESTRICTIONS

Students may receive one academic scholarship and one athletic or performance scholarship. The Alumni Award, Church Matching Grant, Mennonite Grant, National Merit Scholar, Hesston Grant, Service Scholarship, and International Student Grant are exceptions to this policy.

With the exception of dependent children of employees, recipients of Tabor College scholarships are limited to the value of each individual named scholarship and up to a maximum of 80 percent of tuition from any combination of Tabor College scholarships.

Financial aid for Tabor College students studying abroad or in off-campus settings is limited to "funded" forms of aid. Discounted forms of aid such as academic awards, church matching grant, participation awards, etc., and the Tabor College Employee/Dependent Tuition Waiver Benefit are only available for study on the Tabor College campus with the exception of approved internships. Should the internship require additional fees, those costs will be the responsibility of the student in addition to tuition and fees charged by Tabor College. Financial aid available while studying abroad or in off-campus settings includes state and federal aid/loans and scholarships from sources other than Tabor College for which the student is eligible. A scholarship limited to the lower of the program's cost or 80 percent of the applicable Tabor College full-time tuition rate is available for participation in the Mennonite Brethren Missions and Services International (MBMSI) TREK program. The same premises will be applied for other "Christian, mission-related: off-campus study programs." Participation in all off-campus study programs must be pre-approved by the college's Academic Office and Office of Student Financial Assistance.

Tabor College scholarships for students not being charged for campus room and board will be limited to 40 percent of tuition. An exception to this policy will be granted to recipients of the National Merit Scholarship, Presidential Scholarship, Dean's Scholarship, and the highest level of the Academic Transfer Scholarship for students who previously resided on campus but later live off campus. Presidential Leadership Scholarship recipients who choose to live off campus will have their scholarships reduced to the Premier Scholarship amount based on when they first enrolled at Tabor College. Students not being charged for campus room and board will continue to be eligible for church scholarships, church matching grants, state and federal aid/loans, Tabor College endowed scholarships, third-party scholarships, and the Tabor College Employee/Dependent Tuition Waiver Benefit in addition to the limitation of 40 percent of tuition for academic and participation awards to the maximum amount of tuition permitted by other policies of the college.

Tabor also has a reciprocal tuition exchange agreement with a number of colleges in the Council for Christian Colleges and Universities. A maximum of one eligible student per year will be accepted for enrollment qualified by a maximum of up to four eligible students being enrolled during any given year. Eligible students will be considered those who are not currently, and have not previously been, enrolled but will be full-time upon acceptance for admission and are dependent, unmarried children under age 25 of full-time employees of CCCU member institutions. A full tuition waiver for undergraduate courses taught during the regular academic year (summer courses are ineligible for a waiver) will be granted to eligible students who reside in campus housing. Eligible students residing off campus will be limited to a waiver for up to 40 percent of the tuition charged for their enrollment. Additional details of this program are available in the college business office.

The Office of Student Financial Assistance is given final authority for all official offers and awards of financial aid on behalf of Tabor College under the Director of Student Financial Assistance.

GOVERNMENT AND ELIGIBILITY-BASED AID

To apply for all eligibility-based aid, complete the FAFSA and code Tabor in Step 6. Title IV federal financial aid code is 001946. The resulting eligibility analysis forms determine your eligibility for the following programs. Note: Tabor College will determine eligibility on a preliminary basis. Final acceptance and granting of aid is done by the various government agencies for state and federal awards. Tabor College does not guarantee these awards and will not replace awards denied by these agencies.

In regards to financial aid and Title IV funding in relation to the repeating of a course, the following apply:

- A failed course may be repeated as many times as needed until passed.
- A previously passed course (defined as D- or higher) may only be repeated once.
  - This includes even those courses in which a higher grade is required for the major.
  - This does not include courses designated as repeatable (e.g. ensembles, varsity athletics, etc.) as these are not restricted and not limited (unless designated otherwise) and, therefore, a student may repeat these courses as often as needed.
- If a student repeats a course previously failed and receives a passing grade, he/she may repeat the course one more time to try to achieve a higher grade.
- If a student withdraws before completing the course that he/she is being paid Title IV funds for retaking, then that is not counted as the one allowed retake for that course. However, if a student passed a class once and then is repaid for retaking it and fails the second time, that failure counts as the paid retake and the student may not be paid for retaking the class a third time.

Federal Pell Grant. The Pell Grant is designed to provide financial assistance to those with financial eligibility who desire to attend post-high school educational institutions. Grants range from $602 to $5,730 for full-time students. Application for a Pell Grant is made by completing the FAFSA.

Federal Perkins Loan. Tabor College is approved by the U.S. Department of Education to administer the Perkins Loan. Repayment, including 5 percent annual interest, begins nine months after the student ceases to be at least a half-time student. These loans provide for a payment period of up to ten years and are repaid by the student to Tabor College. Deferments of repayment are available while the individual is attending another educational institution or is involved in a qualified service.

Federal Direct Student Loan Program. This program provides for a federal guarantee of a student loan from a commercial lending agency for those students demonstrating financial eligibility. Dependent students may borrow up to $5,500 per year during the freshman year, up to $6,500 for the sophomore year, and up to $7,500 per year as juniors and seniors. Stafford loans may be considered Subsidized or Unsubsidized. Repayment with interest begins six months after the student ceases to be at least a half-time student. A student must be enrolled at least half time to be eligible for a Stafford Loan. If the student does not wish to utilize a certain lender, the Office of Student Financial Assistance is able to provide a list of lenders.

Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (F.S.E.O.G.). At Tabor, these grants range in amount from $100 to $1,000 and are awarded by the Office of Student Financial Assistance based on the financial eligibility of applicants according to guidelines

specified by the U.S. Department of Education. Application for the F.S.E.O.G. is made by completing the FAFSA.

Federal Work Study Program (F.W.S.). Part-time employment opportunities are available under this program throughout the school year. Most of these jobs are in the area of maintenance, clerical, library, and food service. Students who have financial eligibility may apply for employment under the F.W.S. Program. Those ineligible for the F.W.S. Program may also apply for campus employment. Students are encouraged to find their own jobs on campus with guidance from the Office of Student Financial Assistance. Students are paid the Federal Minimum Wage. Employee benefits are not applicable under Title IV or campus student work programs. Maximums may be imposed in the number of hours a student can work for the College during any given week in compliance with Internal Revenue Codes.

Kansas Comprehensive Grant. The Kansas Comprehensive Grant program enables Kansas resident students attending private colleges to receive tuition grants of as much as $3,000 based on financial eligibility. Priority application deadline is March 1. Apply for the Kansas Comprehensive Grant by completing the FAFSA and indicating Tabor among your choices of colleges.

Kansas Minority Scholarship. Available to minority students who are Kansas residents meeting certain academic requirements. Apply by completing the FAFSA and the Kansas Student Aid Application. Application deadline is May 1.

Kansas State Scholarship. This scholarship is awarded by the State on the basis of ACT score, completion of a required curriculum, grade point average, and financial eligibility. Notification of this award is made to the student by Tabor College. Apply by completing the FAFSA and Kansas State Aid Application by May 1.

Kansas Teacher Service Scholarship. This scholarship is available to Kansas residents majoring in certain fields of education who have high ACT scores and class rank. The value of this award is up to $5,514 per year. A commitment to teaching is required following graduation. Apply by completing the FAFSA and Kansas Student Aid Application. Application deadline is May 1.

Veterans' Benefits. Students who have served in the Armed Forces are entitled to an educational expense allowance and a monthly subsistence allowance. The student should at the time of registration present a Certificate of Eligibility and Entitlement issued by the Veterans' Administration. The endorsement of this certificate by the institution completes the arrangements for receiving benefits granted by the G.I. Bill of Rights. Credit is granted for college courses completed through the Armed Services as recommended by the American Council on Education. Individuals eligible for these benefits must comply with all Terms of Financial Settlement.

Verification Requirements. Some students' federal aid applications will be selected for verification by the Department of Education or by Tabor College. Those students selected will be notified on their Student Aid Report and by letter from Tabor College. An Institutional Verification Worksheet will be sent to the student. The Verification Worksheet should be completed, signed, and sent, along with the required Federal tax forms like an IRS tax return transcript(s) or the use of the IRS Data Retrieval on the FAFSA information orW-2s, to the Office of Student Financial Assistance.

All documentation must be provided by the student before any Title IV financial aid will be applied to the student's account. If a student does not respond with documentation, his or her account will only be credited with Tabor institutional aid, which is non-need-based. The Business Office will charge a delinquent account fee of $30 per month for unpaid

balances. No exception or waiver of this fee will be granted while state or federal aid applications and awards are pending or in transit. This is explained in supplemental information under Terms of Financial Settlement.

FAMILY SCHOLARSHIPS, SPECIAL AWARDS, AND MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Students who wish to apply for Family Scholarships, Special Awards, and/or Memorial Scholarships should notify the Office of Student Financial Assistance by May 15. These scholarships are awarded in addition to other Tabor College awards.

Family Scholarships

Elden Boese Memorial Scholarship. Awarded to students preparing for missions or teacher education with preference to direct descendants of Elden F. Boese.

Tina Dick Memorial Scholarship. Preference to descendants of Tina Dick, given equal portion of the proceeds of the endowment. Second preference to a member of the Mountain Lake Mennonite Brethren Church. Third preference to a resident of Minnesota. Awards made at the discretion of the College.

Willard and Mary Schmidt Dahl Scholarship. Preference to church-related service.

Charlie Faul Memorial Endowed Scholarship. Preference to biological children of missionary parents; students interested in helping professions; descendants of Charlie F. and Carolina (Seibel) Faul through the great-great-grandchildren generation.

Jacob W. Friesen Memorial Scholarship. Preference to descendants of Rev. Jacob W. Friesen.

Anna B. Gaede Memorial Fund. Awards made at the discretion of the College.

Anna B. Gaede Scholarship. Preference to members of her extended family.

Menno S. Gaede Scholarship. Several annual awards are given for students with a 3.0 GPA, interest in athletics, and community involvement. One is given for science/mathematics major, other awards for any major.

Leo J. Goentzel Memorial Scholarship. Preference to descendants of the Leo J. Goentzel family or other students of high academic and moral standards.

Timothy James Harder Memorial Scholarship. Established for students who are physically disabled, or are in their junior or senior year of study preparing for careers serving the disabled, or qualifying family members. Given by his family in memory of Timothy James Harder.

Henry and Esther Gaede Lepp Scholarship. Preferences to members of the extended family. Students demonstrating academic potential and potential for leadership with preference to majors in business, teacher education, and natural science.

Vernon C. Penner Scholarship. Preference to members of his extended family and to pre-dental students.

D. D. and Thelma L. Regier Scholarship Fund. Preference to North American Baptist students through 1989-90. Thereafter, awards made at the discretion of the College, preference to descendants of the named scholarship.

Herbert C. Richert Scholarship. Primarily for descendants of Abraham J. Richert; preference to the Richert descendant of the highest classification of the College.

Emil A. and Gladys D. Thiessen Endowed Scholarship. Recipients must lead a Christ-centered life, participate in varsity basketball, and major in business.

Henry G. and Elsie Schmidt Toews Scholarship. Awards made at the discretion of the College to students possessing a commitment to Christian values. Preference to descendants of Henry G. or Else Schmidt Toews or to students who receive a minimum amount of need-based aid.

Heinrich and Helena Toews Scholarship. Preference to descendants of Heinrich and Helena Toews with financial need and potential for a positive contribution to the church, College, and larger community.

David and Martha Frantz Wiebe. Seventy-five percent of available funds primarily for direct descendants of David and Martha Frantz Wiebe. Beyond that, preference given to members of the Mennonite Brethren Church and students demonstrating potential for leadership, service, and/or performance in either music or speech and drama.

Special Awards and Memorial Scholarships. Lovella M. "Dolly" Adrian Memorial Scholarship.

Preference Christian ministry or biblical and religious studies majors. Commitment to Christ and Tabor College lifestyle covenant. Must be a full-time student.

Alumni Class of 1940 Scholarship Fund. Awards made at the discretion of the College.

Alumni Scholarship Fund. Need-based scholarship for returning students.

Sara Balzer Ministry Preparation Scholarship. Preference to students preparing for the ministry.

B. J. Braun Scholarship. For students preparing for missions or children of pastors and missionaries.

Class of 1996 Endowed Scholarship. To be given on an annual basis at the discretion of the Office of Student Financial Aid.

Gordon E. Ens Family Scholarship. Preference to students from families affiliated with the corporation. Next preference shall be given to students in pre-med, chemistry, or science in general.

Dean Deutschendorf Memorial Scholarship. Preference to students preparing for full-time, church-related service.

Dewitt-Wallace Reader's Digest Scholarship Fund. Available to most students. Preference for independent children of teachers, clergy, lawyers, doctors, engineers, business persons, and farmers.

John W. Dick, Rhoda Krause (Dick) Friesen and Gilbert D. Friesen Endowed Scholarship. Preference to biology, chemistry, business administration, and accounting majors.

Karl F. Ehrlich Memorial Scholarship. Preference to students in the music program as academic majors or performers demonstrating above-average academic potential, Christian character, and potential for leadership in the church and/or society.

Dr. A. C. Eitzen Scholarship Fund. Preference to students planning to enter medicine or science-related profession.

Laura C. Eitzen Scholarship Fund. Awarded to academically and personally deserving students.

H. S. and Emma Ewert Memorial Scholarship. Preference given to descendants of Henry S. Ewert.

Dr. and Mrs. George Franz Family Scholarship. Awarded to students with above-average academic potential, Christian character, and potential for leadership in the church and/or society.

Jacob E. and Ruth Franz Memorial Scholarship Fund. Provided to assist pre-ministerial students.

Alfred W. Friesen Endowed Scholarship. Preference to students who have a disability.

Jake and Selma Friesen Music Scholarship. Recipient to be selected by the Music Department.

Delma Funk Memorial Scholarship. For students showing a positive contribution to their chosen professions. Must be a full-time student and live according to the Tabor lifestyle covenant.

Wilmer and Esther Harms Endowed Scholarship. Must be a full-time student showing need determined by the College, state and federal guidelines. Exhibit high moral standards of honesty, integrity, and self-discipline.

Tina Cecilia Seibel Harms Scholarship Fund. For students preparing for Christian social or professional service – foreign students as well as American.

Bedelia Marie Heinrichs and Ada Elizabeth Stout Endowed Scholarship Fund. Awards made at the discretion of the College.

C. N. Hiebert Scholarship. Awards made at the discretion of the College.

Clarence and Fern Hiebert Endowed Scholarship. Preference to students with an interest in international service or missions.

Awards made at the discretion of the College.
The Hiebert Merit Award. To perpetuate the scholarship, faith, leadership, and desire to serve that characterized the founders of Tabor College. Endowed by the descendants of the Kornelius Hiebert (1835-1903) family. Awarded annually to two juniors (male and female) for their senior year.

Lando Hiebert Scholarship. Preference to students preparing for the ministry. Alternately designated to students from Canada and USA. Given to a freshman, the award continues for four years if student remains at Tabor.

Paul W. Hiebert Scholarship Fund. Preference to pre-ministerial students, those preparing for full-time Christian ministries, or those who demonstrate good potential for Christian impact in other professions and vocations.

Dwight and Adrienne Hodel Family Scholarship. Awarded to recipient(s) in the Presidential Leadership Program.

William J. Johnson Scholarship. Preference to juniors and seniors, chemistry students, and those considering a graduate program.

Viola W. Klassen-Jost Endowed Scholarship Fund. Awarded to full-time students enrolled in teacher education courses, who have need for financial assistance, and who exhibit high moral standards of honesty, integrity, and self-discipline.

Surya Kanthamma Scholarship. Preference to international students to assist with school expenses.

Mike Karber Scholarship Fund. Preference to students planning to enter the ministry or medical profession.

Maria Klaassen Memorial Scholarship. Preference to dependents of Mennonite pastors and/or missionaries.

Jonah Kliewer Endowed Scholarship. Preference to students who are music majors.

Elmer Bob Kroeker Endowed Scholarship. Awarded at discretion of Scholarship Committee.

Dr. George Franz and E. B. Kroeker Scholarship. Awarded to a freshman or sophomore majoring in science or pre-medicine. Award available to each recipient for one year. Established in the name of Dr. Franz by E. B. Kroeker.

Solomon L. Loewen Scholarship. Preference to juniors and seniors, biology students, and those considering a graduate program.

Men's Basketball Scholarship Endowment. Awarded according to the discretion of the Head Men's Basketball Coach.

Deena S. Miller Endowed Scholarship. Awarded on discretion of Scholarship Committee.

Andrew H. Nachtigall Family Endowed Scholarship. Preference to students majoring in the natural sciences, the mathematical sciences, or teacher education.

Ervin Nikkel Memorial Scholarship. Awarded to a freshman from Oklahoma or Kansas majoring in business. Established in the memory of Ervin Nikkel.

Abram and Lena Nikkel Scholarship. Awarded to recipient(s) in the Presidential Leadership Program.

D. C. Pauls Scholarship. Preference to students in fellowship with Zoar Mennonite Brethren Church in Inman, Kansas, actively pursuing a vocational career in ministry.

Bryan G. Penner Scholarship. Preference to a student noticeably demonstrating his/her devotion to God by ongoing involvement in Christian ministries. Next preference to a student enrolled in pre-medicine or a student who is the child of a missionary. Established by his family in memory of Bryan G. Penner.

Lois Penner Scholarship Fund. Preference to music students.

Olga Penner Endowed Scholarship. Preference to a junior or senior majoring in education, science or business. Have a GPA of 3.0 or higher and participation in campus activities.

Don C. and Frieda K. Peters Endowed Scholarship. Preference to a female who has completed her freshman year in good standing, majoring in the Natural Science department.

David L. Regier Endowed Scholarship. Awarded to students majoring in the business area.

Ryan Memorial Scholarship Fund. For graduates of Marion County high schools, with preference to students from eastern Marion County.

Emma Schlichting Scholarship. Preference to needy foreign students.

Sunshine Scholarship. Created anonymously as a memorial to a Tabor alumni. Preference to students planning a degree in Bible, or a career in missions or other nonprofit Christian organizations.

Aldo and Helga Vigliano Scholarship. Preference to foreign students.

J. W. Vogt Memorial Scholarship Fund. Provided for students demonstrating Christian commitment and an interest in ministry-related vocations.

Richard G. Wall Endowed Scholarship. Preference to biology students, and those considering a graduate program.

Robert Watson Memorial Scholarship. Established in memory of a deceased faculty member. Preference to students in Business.

John T. and Elma S. Wiebe Endowed Scholarship. Preference to students intending to enter church ministries or full-time Christian service.

Abraham Wiens Scholarship Fund. Awards made at the discretion of the College.

David B. Wiens Memorial Scholarship. Preference to a sophomore/junior/senior majoring in the mathematical sciences.

James William Wohlgemuth Scholarship. Awarded to a student who is disabled or has a handicap, is in good academic standing with Tabor College, and upholds appropriate lifestyle conditions.

Tabor College reserves the right to limit the total amount of college-awarded aid to individuals based on an aid-to-tuition ratio. No student may receive more than the cost of tuition in college-awarded aid and employee benefits unless granted an exception to this policy by official action of the Enrollment Management Committee.
Tabor College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, gender, religion, disability, or national or ethnic origin in its administration of its educational policies, federal, state, and institutional financial aid policies, scholarship programs, loan programs, athletic programs, admissions criteria, or any other College-administered programs.