

MAKE THE GRADES | STAY OUT OF TROUBLE | EARN COLLEGE TUITION

2026-27 OKLAHOMA'S PROMISE



WHO MAY APPLY

Applicants must be:

- Oklahoma residents.
- 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th grade students or 12th grade students no later than December 31 of the senior year; homeschool students must be age 13-17 and must apply prior to their 18th birthday. All students must apply prior to their official date of high school graduation.
- Students whose parents' federal adjusted gross income (AGI) does not exceed:
 - \$60,000 with 1 or 2 dependent children OR
 - \$70,000 with 3 or 4 dependent children OR
 - \$80,000 with 5 or more dependent children.

Special income provisions may apply to:

- Children of certified public classroom teachers employed in Oklahoma for a minimum of 10 years.
- Children adopted from certain court-ordered custody and children in the custody of court-appointed legal guardians.
- Taxable Social Security benefits based on the death or disability of the student's parent(s).

Contact the Oklahoma's Promise office for more information.

Additional documentation may be required.

HOW TO APPLY

Online at okpromise.org or get an application from your school counselor.

THE PROMISE

Upon completion of the program's requirements, you will earn:

- Tuition at an Oklahoma public two-year college or four-year university.
-OR-
- A portion of tuition at an accredited Oklahoma private college or university.
-OR-
- A portion of tuition for programs that qualify for federal financial aid at public career technology centers.

(The Oklahoma's Promise scholarship amount does not cover fees, books, supplies, or housing and food.)

GET MORE INFO



okpromise.org

okpromise@osrhe.edu

800.858.1840 or 405.225.9152

Ask your school counselor



OKPromise

A program created by the Oklahoma Legislature and administered by the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education



APPLY ONLINE TODAY!

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HIGH SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS

- Graduate from an Oklahoma high school or homeschool education program.
- Take the courses required for college admission (listed at the right) or the Core Pathway and achieve at least a 2.50 cumulative GPA in those courses.
- Achieve at least a 2.50 cumulative GPA for all coursework attempted in grades 9-12.
- Attend school regularly and do your homework.
- Stay away from drugs and alcohol.
- Don't commit criminal or delinquent acts.
- Provide information when requested.
- Meet with a school official to go over your school work and records on a regular basis.
- Apply for other financial aid during your senior year of high school.
- Take part in Oklahoma's Promise activities that will prepare you for college.

If you don't qualify for this program, see your counselor for information about additional scholarships, grants and student loans, and visit Oklahoma higher education's college planning website at OKcollegestart.org.

COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

- Prior to receiving any program benefit in college, the federal adjusted gross income (AGI) of the student's parents may not exceed \$100,000. Each year in college, Oklahoma's Promise students will be required to complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), which will be used to determine whether the federal AGI exceeds \$100,000. For any year the AGI exceeds \$100,000, the student will not be eligible to receive the program benefit. (The income for students who apply under the parent teacher provision will be based on family household size and the federal poverty level.)
- You must be an Oklahoma resident.
- You must be a U.S. citizen or lawfully present in the United States.
- You must meet regular admission standards for first-time entering students at the college or university to which you apply.
- You must start taking college courses within three years after you graduate high school.¹
- You may not use the award for noncredit remedial courses.
- You may not receive awards for more than five consecutive years after enrolling in college.¹
- You may not use the award for courses taken after you complete your bachelor's degree requirements.
- You may not receive award payments for more than 129 semester credit hours unless your degree program requires more hours.
- You must meet the college's Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) policy requirements for eligibility to receive federal financial aid.
- An Oklahoma's Promise college student who is suspended for more than one semester for conduct reasons will lose the scholarship permanently.

¹ Students on active military duty may be eligible for certain waivers of these requirements.

REQUIRED OK PROMISE COURSES^{2,3}

4 English

(grammar, composition, literature; should include an integrated writing component)

3 Lab Science

(biology, chemistry, physics or any lab science certified by the school district; general science with or without a lab may not be used to meet this requirement)

3 Mathematics

(from Algebra I, Algebra II, geometry, trigonometry, math analysis, pre-calculus, statistics and probability [must have completed geometry and Algebra II], calculus, Advanced Placement [AP] statistics)

3 History and Citizenship Skills

(including 1 unit of American history and 2 additional units from the subjects of history, economics, geography, government, non-Western culture)

2 Additional Units

(of subjects previously listed or selected from: computer science, foreign language, or any Advanced Placement course, psychology, sociology or any concurrent liberal arts and science course at a state system institution)

15 TOTAL REQUIRED UNITS

² Homeschool students or students graduating from a high school not accredited by the Oklahoma State Board of Education must also achieve a composite score of 22 or higher on the ACT test reported on an official test report issued by ACT (including superscores). ACT on-campus (residual) test scores do not qualify. (An equivalent score on the SAT or CLT exam will also be considered.)

³ Students who do not complete college admission requirements could be eligible for the Core Pathway scholarship based on high school graduation requirements. Both GPAs and conduct standards apply. It is available to be used at career technology centers only and is not transferable to a college.