



The Otterbein Advantage Scholarship

Curious about how you can fully embrace the power of **&**? The **Investing in You** suite of benefits programs is here to help you accomplish more and breathe easier. That's why we're proud to partner with Otterbein University to offer a special educational benefit – the advantage of a private university at public school prices.

Q. Why choose Otterbein?

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- According to the US News and World Report Best College 2022-2023:
 Otterbein was ranked top 10 in Midwest Regional University, Most Innovative Schools, and Best Undergrad teaching.
- 13:1 student to faculty ratio and average class size of 18 − 20.
- 21st century education, access to education built on Otterbein's innovative integrative studies curriculum, hands-on experiential education, and more that 60 undergraduate majors and 45+ minors.
- 96.3% of the class of 2022 reported that they were either employed, serving in the military, or in graduate school within six months of graduation.

Q. Who is eligible?

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- Bath and Body Works current active associates, their spouse/domestic partner, and their dependent children are able to take advantage of this transformative educational opportunity.
- Admissibility is strongly based off of academic performance and academic interest, then secondly extracurriculars, special circumstances, and accolades.

Q. What are the eligibility requirements?

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- Full and Part-time Associates must be verified as a Bath & Body Works employee and/or employee spouse/domestic partner/dependent at the time of admission.
 - Dependents must be under the age of 24, IRS dependents, and have not completed an undergraduate degree.
- Meet Otterbein admissibility criteria.
- For transfer students, registered for all classes for the term by August 1 for Fall semester, December 1 for Spring semester, or May 1 for Summer term, each year of enrollment.

Q. How do I apply?

A: Visit http://www.otterbein.edu/advantage and follow the site to Enroll now or use this link to apply http://www.otterbein.edu/advantage and follow the site to Enroll now or use this link to apply http://www.otterbein.edu/advantage and follow the site to Enroll now or use this link to apply https://www.otterbein.edu/advantage and follow the site to Enroll now or use this link to apply https://www.otterbein.edu/apply/

Q. What is the selection criteria?

A. Academic Performance

- Admitted students have a medium academic profile of 3.38-4.02 GPA, ACT Range 20-27, and SAT range of 960-1210
- Most academic programs are test optional besides the honors program, education, nursing, and competitive full tuition scholarships.
- Students with a GPA below 2.75 are encouraged to submit a test score

Q. What is the scholarship awarded amount and what percentage discount is that from full tuition cost?

- A. \$19,000 renewable for 8 semesters**. This scholarship represents a 55% discount off of Otterbein's tuition, as of 2024. Students net tuition price is \$15,424 before state, federal, or institutional need-based aid or loans.
- Students receive a 15% discount per credit hour for up to 9 credits per semester
- ** Students are responsible for additional costs that may include textbooks and supplies, mandatory technology and student life fees, and room and board if they choose to live on campus

Q. How is the scholarship renewed?





A. Scholarship is automatically added to financial aid each academic year that the student remains full time and maintains a minimum 2.75 GPA for undergraduates and 3.0 for graduate students. Dependents must maintain full-time student status.

Q. What is the selection process?

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- First-time freshmen apply to Otterbein through the Common App. Upon selecting Otterbein, they will be asked additional questions: Do you qualify for the Advantage Partnership and select Advantage Partner, Bath & Body Works.
- Transfer students may indicate interest in the advantage scholarships when speaking to their appointed counselor.

Q. Is there a limit to how many associates can be awarded the Advantage Scholarship?

A. There is currently no limit to the number of students that can be awarded the advantage scholarship.

Q. Who can I reach out to for more information?

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- Visit http://www.otterbein.edu/advantage and fill out the form to request more information.
- For questions about the scholarship reach out to Otterbein Advantage Scholarship contact:
 - Alumni Phanawn Bailey
 Coordinator Advantage Partnership
 Otterbein Office of Admission
 Email: bailey1@otterbein.edu

Phone: 614-823-1355

• For questions about your eligibility reach out to HR Direct (866) 473 – 4728.

Q. What do current and alumni Advantage Scholarship awardees say about Otterbein?

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- Otterbein stands out because It is smaller so there is more of a personal connection between professors and students. (Freshman, Undeclared)
- They want to understand you for who you are (Freshman, Exercise Science), Otterbein's education program is very good and supportive
- There are many opportunities to excel here (Freshman, Nursing)
- Otterbein felt like home when I visited. Combined with the scholarships given to me and the Education Program I knew it was the place for me (Maggie Pyle, Freshman, Nursing)
- Otterbein is affordable, convenient, and a good school to ease your way into being independent. (Freshman, Allied Health)

