

North Carolina Tuition Scholarship Agreement
Appalachian State University
The Graduate School

North Carolina tuition scholarships are funded through the UNC system and are subject to financial aid regulations. Please read the following statements, initial beside each statement, and sign the bottom of this agreement. By **initialing beside each statement** you agree that you have read and understand each statement. By **signing the document** you agree that you understand the terms for receiving, and your responsibilities for maintaining, the tuition scholarship as out-lined on this form.

____ The tuition scholarship I am receiving is only for the period as stated in my award letter.

____ Tuition scholarships do not automatically renew after the term specified in my award letter. I cannot apply for renewal. Only my program director or department chair can recommend me for reappointment.

____ If my graduate GPA drops below 3.3 I cannot continue to receive a tuition scholarship.

____ In addition to the tuition scholarship I must have an assistantship and/or other scholarships funded through Appalachian State University totaling at least \$1,000 in each semester that I have a tuition scholarship.

____ I must be enrolled in at least 9 semester hours for credit in each semester I have a tuition scholarship (courses numbered 5989/6989/7989 cannot be counted toward the required hours unless all program of study coursework is complete, in which case up to 3 hours may count).

____ I must complete at least 9 semester hours for credit in each semester I have a tuition scholarship. If I receive an incomplete grade in any of the 9 required hours I must finish the work prior to the start of the following semester.

____ I must enroll in the required number of hours by the end of the official add period (the first 5 days) during each semester in which I am awarded a tuition scholarship.

____ If I withdraw from classes before the end of the semester I must repay the university the prorated amount of the scholarship awarded to me for the semester.

____ If my other University support drops below \$1,000 during a semester in which I have a tuition scholarship I become ineligible for the tuition scholarship and I must repay the prorated amount of the scholarship awarded to me for the semester.

____ I cannot receive a tuition scholarship for more than two years and only for one post graduate degree at Appalachian State University.

____ I understand that the scholarship covers **only** the difference between in-state and out-of-state tuition—I am responsible for the in state tuition costs and for all other fees.

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Department: _____

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