

scholarships & awards

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criteria

amount

Kuyper Fellowship	28 ACT (1250 SAT) composite and 3.75 cumulative g.p.a OR #1 high school class rank; AND must attend Scholar Day on Feb. 6, 13, 20 or 27, 2010. Competitive. +	Full Tuition
Pella Rolscreen Fellowship	28 ACT (1250 SAT) composite and 3.75 cumulative g.p.a OR #1 high school class rank; AND must attend Scholar Day on Feb. 6, 13, 20 or 27, 2010. Competitive. +	\$18,000

Fellowships are Central's most prestigious academic awards. Fellows are accorded a special mentoring relationship with a faculty member, resulting in a senior honors project. The designation "Central College Fellow" becomes a permanent fixture on the transcript of all candidates who complete the honors project. Areas include academic research, leadership, service, and the visual and performing arts.

Presidential Scholarship	28 ACT (1250 SAT) composite and 3.75 cumulative g.p.a. OR #1 high school class rank	Up to \$13,000
Dykstra Scholarship	25 ACT (1130 SAT) OR 3.5 cumulative g.p.a. OR top 20 percent high school rank AND must attend Scholar Day on Feb. 6, 13, 20 or 27, 2010. Competitive. +	Half-Tuition
Dean's Scholarship	25 ACT (1130 SAT) OR 3.5 cumulative g.p.a. OR top 20 percent high school rank	Up to \$11,000
Cornerstone Scholarship	21 ACT (980 SAT) AND 3.0 cumulative g.p.a	Up to \$9,000
Central Foundations Award	Awarded to students who demonstrate potential for college success and does not meet the above academic criteria.	Amount varies
Multicultural Scholarship	Must be a member of an under-represented ethnic minority group. Demonstrate potential for involvement and leadership in campus and community activities.	Amount varies
Heritage Award	Must be a member of the Reformed Church in America OR be the child of an alum OR have a sibling attending or graduated from Central College. Only the Heritage Award may be added to an academic scholarship	One criterion – \$1,500 Two criteria – \$1,800 Three criteria – \$2,100
Reformed Church in America Denekas Scholarship	Awarded annually to selected students who are members of the Reformed Church in America (RCA). Preference based on demonstrated financial need.	\$10,000
Iowa Tuition Grant	Must reside in Iowa and demonstrate financial need as specified by the State of Iowa. FAFSA due to processor by July 1, 2010.	\$4,000

Central Awards

<i>award</i>	<i>criteria</i>	<i>amount</i>
Art Award	Students (majors and nonmajors) interested in continuing their study of art at the college level. Students must submit a portfolio and a letter of recommendation to the art faculty postmarked no later than Feb. 20, 2010.	Up to \$2,000
Communication Studies Award	Students (majors and nonmajors) interested in continuing their study of communication and/or participation in communication activities (newspaper or radio) at the college level. An interview with faculty and a letter of recommendation are required. Students may also submit a portfolio by Feb. 20, 2010.	Up to \$2,000
Community Service Award	Students interested in continuing their commitment to community service and leadership in community settings. A personal essay and interview are required.	Up to \$2,000
Creative Writing Award	Students (majors and nonmajors) interested in continuing their study of creative writing at the college level. Students must submit written works and a letter of recommendation to the English faculty postmarked no later than Feb. 20, 2010.	Up to \$2,000
Ministry and Mission Award	Students interested in campus ministries and demonstrate a high record of involvement in school, church and community. A personal essay, minister recommendation and interview are required.	Up to \$2,000
Modern Language Award (French, German, Spanish)	Students (majors and nonmajors) interested in continuing their study of language (French, German and/or Spanish) at the college level. A proficiency exam, oral interview and letter of recommendation are required.	Up to \$2,000
Music Award	Students (majors and nonmajors) interested in continuing their participation in music at the college level. An audition with the music faculty is required.	Up to \$2,000
Sustainability Award	Students committed to preserving and nurturing a more sustainable planet. A personal essay and interview are required.	Up to \$2,000
Theatre Award	Students (majors and nonmajors) interested in continuing their participation in theatre (acting or technical) at the college level. An audition/interview with the theatre faculty and a letter of recommendation are required.	Up to \$2,000

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT: Admission Office, Central College, 812 University St., Pella, IA 50219
 Phone: (toll free) 877-462-3687 or 641-628-5285, Fax: 641-628-5983, E-mail: admission@central.edu, www.central.edu

Please note:

1. Students may receive one "Central Award" in addition to their academic scholarship. Kuyper, Pella Rolscreen and Dykstra scholarship recipients are not eligible for Central Awards.
2. Students must be admitted to Central prior to their audition, interview and/or portfolio review.
3. **Audition/interview for music, theatre, communication studies, language, community service, ministry and mission and sustainability awards must be completed by Feb. 20, 2010.**
Interview dates are Saturday, Feb. 6, 13 and 20, 2010. An individual audition/interview may also be arranged.
4. Specific area requirements may be found on the Web at: www.central.edu/financialAid or by calling Dr. Terri Snyders Crumley toll free at 1-877-462-3687 or e-mail crumleyt@central.edu.