

**THE SCHOOL OF EXERCISE & NUTRITION SCIENCE  
SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTIONS**

**NUTRITION RELATED**

**A**

**The Doris S. Aldrich Endowed Leadership Award and Scholarship (Est. 1989)**

This scholarship was established by faculty, friends, and students of Professor Emeritus Doris Aldrich for her outstanding contributions to dietetics. Dr. Aldrich was a major player in the establishment of the Coordinated Program in Dietetics in 1975.

**Application Criteria:**

- GPA Good Standing
- Class Standing Junior or Senior in the Coordinated Program
- Load Hours 12 or more undergraduate credit hours
- Academic Merit
- Preference High GPA and demonstrated leadership skills

**Application Process:**

- Deadline April 3rd
- Application Application Form available through [Application Form Link](#)
- Chosen by Nutrition and Dietetics Faculty in coordination with the Office of Student Financial Aid.

**B**

**The Business Professionals Scholarship for the School of Nutrition and Dietetics (Est. 2000)**

**Application Criteria:**

- GPA Good Standing
- Class Standing Undergraduate Student majoring in Food and Environmental Nutrition
- Load Hours 12 or more undergraduate credit hours
- Academic Merit
- Financial Need
- Other: Interest in a career in business, industry, entrepreneurial ventures, or non-profit organizations.

**Application Process:**

- Deadline April 3rd
- Application Application Form available through [Application Form Link](#)
- Chosen by Nutrition and Dietetics Faculty in coordination with the Office of Student Financial Aid.

## **F**

### **The Dr. V. Joanne Fleming Endowed Scholarship in Exercise & Nutrition Sciences (Est. 2000)**

This scholarship was established by Dr. V. Crider-Fleming originally as a Family & Consumer Sciences Education Scholarship but is now revised (2021) to provide assistance to Exercise or Nutrition students planning a career in education.

#### **Application Criter**

- Academic Merit

**Application Process:**

- Deadline April 3rd
- Application



- Deadline April 6<sup>th</sup>
- Application Form available through [SDA Scholarship Form Link](#)
- Chosen by -

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### **The Marlene Toot Scholarship (2008)**

This scholarship was established by Marlene K. Toot, a professional who followed a lifelong commitment to a better community. Due to her passion for helping others achieve their dreams in higher education, she designed this scholarship to support a distinguished student seeking a degree in Dietetics/Nutrition.

#### **Application Criteria:**

- GPA Good Standing
- Class Standing Undergraduate or Graduate Student
- Load Hours 12 or more undergraduate credit hours or 9 or more graduate credit hours
- Academic Merit

#### **Application Process:**

- Deadline April 3rd
- Application Application Form available through [Application Form Link](#)
- Chosen by - Marlene Toot and the School of Nutrition and Dietetics Faculty.

## U

### **The University of Akron Nutrition and Dietetic Programs Advisory Board Endowed Scholarship (Est. 2004)**

This scholarship was established to recognize the importance and need for qualified dietitians in the healthcare communities throughout Ohio and the nation. An annual award of \$500 will be presented to a deserving student.

#### **Application Criteria:**

- GPA 3.0 or higher
- Class Standing Junior or Senior majoring

- Other Student must provide a track record of involvement in professional work or community activities related to the field and demonstrate leadership and teamwork.

**Application Process:**

- Deadline March 1st
- Application Application Form available through [Advisory Board Scholarship Form](#)Link
- Chosen by - The University of Akron Nutrition/Dietetic Programs Advisory Board.

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