

Scholarship Disbursement Rules

Scholarship monies awarded by Miss Louisiana’s Outstanding Teen (MLAOT) contestants can only be applied to approved educational expenses. Request for payment outside the guidelines of this document may be referred to the Miss Louisiana Organization Scholarship Chair for consideration of payment. Scholarship funds awarded at the local level must be exhausted prior to payment of those awarded at state competition.

Requests for scholarship payment

* Must be made within one year of contestant’s high school graduation, with the exception of request for payment of dual enrollment tuition. We will use July 31 of the year of following graduation as the cut-off date.
* Proper documentation must accompany all requests for payment.
* Allow 6-8 weeks for scholarship payment.

Full and Part Time students are eligible for scholarship payment. Examples of eligible expenses:

* Dual enrollment tuition for high school students (Request may be made prior to high school graduation)
* General tuition
* On campus room and board
* Off campus housing
* Books (for current semester only, these may be hardback or electronic)
* Student Loans
* Software required by course syllabus
* Laptop or tablet (special rules apply)

Examples of ineligible expenses:

* Parking tags/parking tickets
* Fines levied by institution
* Keys
* Deposits
* Utilities
* Preparatory materials or exams
* Sorority or club membership dues/fees

Questions regarding scholarship payment may be directed to the Miss Louisiana Organization Scholarship Chairperson. Request form for scholarship payment is located at [www.misslouisiana.org](http://www.misslouisiana.org)

I acknowledge that I have reviewed the rules for disbursement of MAOT scholarship funds.

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