NATIONAL MERIT FINALIST PACKAGE

FOR RESIDENTS ENTERING FALL 2020

Scholarship consideration is guaranteed to students who apply to OU by December 15, 2019; this package is available to admitted Finalists who name OU by NMSC's deadline. See **nationalmerit.org** for competition rules.

NATIONAL MERIT TUITION WAIVER — $24,000 (est. value)

- Waives 100% of resident tuition
- May be used for five years (fall, spring and summer)
- Must maintain a 2.0 cumulative GPA and be enrolled full-time
- **Can be used toward any graduate/professional program at OU if funds remain after completion of undergraduate degree. Student must be admitted to graduate program on own merit.**

OKLAHOMA ACADEMIC SCHOLARS PROGRAM — $22,000

- $2,750 per semester/$5,500 per year for four years to help offset the costs of fees, books, room and board
- Funded by the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education and is subject to change
- Must maintain a 3.25 cumulative GPA and be enrolled full-time
- **Can be used toward any graduate/professional program at OU if funds remain after completion of undergraduate degree. Student must be admitted to graduate program on own merit.**

PRESIDENT'S AWARD CASH STIPEND — $10,000

- $1,250 per semester/$2,500 per year for four years to help offset the cost of fees, books, room and board
- Must maintain a 3.25 cumulative GPA and be enrolled full-time
- **Can be used toward any graduate/professional program at OU if funds remain after completion of undergraduate degree. Student must be admitted to graduate program on own merit.**

NATIONAL MERIT CASH STIPEND — $5,000

- National Merit Finalists are offered one of three possible awards
- Total stipend includes any award funded by National Merit or a corporation
- Paid over a four-year period or as determined by National Merit
- Must maintain "good academic standing"

HOUSING SCHOLARSHIP — $5,500

- **Must live in the OU residence halls to receive this award. Available first year only.**

TECHNOLOGY & TEXTBOOK ALLOWANCE — $1,000

- One-time award given at beginning of first year
- Can be used for your choice – an iPad, Mac, PC, textbooks, etc.

RESEARCH & STUDY ABROAD STIPEND — $1,000

- Can be used for an approved undergraduate research experience or as a one-time travel-study stipend when you enroll full-time in one of OU's many partner universities worldwide

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Resident Total: $68,500

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All amounts are subject to change. This scholarship does not cover the full cost of attendance. If you receive outside scholarships, those awards will be added to the above $68,500 offer. Overall aid awarded by OU cannot exceed financial aid cost of attendance. Institutions are not notified of students' standing in the National Merit Competition beyond Semifinalist. If you are named a Finalist and applied to OU by 12/15/19, you must notify us so we can update your scholarship offering to the Finalist package above. This is dependent upon you naming OU as your college choice. It is your responsibility to notify us if you do NOT advance to a Finalist so you can be considered for other awards. Updated September 2019.