PART III
Honor and Music Scholarships

By completing an application for admission, you will automatically be considered for merit scholarships, with the exception of the Lehman Scholars Program (see below). Salem College offers merit awards to students of exceptional talent. These awards generally go to students with excellent GPA and SAT/ACT scores along with significant achievements in activities and service. Music scholarships are also available for incoming students with outstanding musical ability who intend to major in music. All students from the United States are eligible for Salem College scholarships. In addition, all scholarship recipients may apply for need-based aid. Students must apply and compete for these awards. Final candidates will be invited to the Salem College campus for interviews with the selection committee during Scholarship Weekend, Sunday and Monday, February 19-20, 2006. All recipients of scholarships will be notified by March 15. To be considered for Salem's full tuition awards, applications must be postmarked by January 2, 2006. Applications for all other scholarship must be postmarked by January 14, 2006. Applications received after January 14 will be considered for rolling admissions.

- Full-Tuition Scholarships
  The Ivory Name Endowed Scholarship is Salem's most prestigious full tuition award and is offered each year to two entering freshmen. The Dowes, Weyand, Wombolt, and Wiltshire awards are also full-tuition scholarships. These scholarships are designed to recognize and encourage young women of outstanding achievement and ability. Students are judged on the basis of superior academic performance and evidence of leadership, responsibility, and concern for others. The following characteristics are also considered: initiative, motivation, community involvement, and conviction. Approximately 50 students will be invited for the top scholarship competition, which begins on Saturday of Salem's Scholarship Weekend, February 19, and continues through Monday, February 21, 2005. Each award is a full-tuition scholarship ($14,770 in 2005-2006) and is renewable annually if the recipient maintains a 3.0 college GPA and is a full-time resident.

- Presidential Scholarship
  Presidential awards of $15,000 to $15,000 recognize entering freshmen for academic achievement, leadership, and service. Each award is renewable annually if the recipient maintains a 3.0 college GPA and is a full-time resident.

- Westmoreland Lowe Scholarship
  Westmoreland Lowe Scholarships are awarded to full-time day students who are highly motivated, exhibit leadership potential, and have strong academic records. These awards are worth $6,000 annually.

- Governor's School Scholarship
  Governor's School scholarships are awarded up to four freshmen who have attended a Governor's School summer session. Each award is worth $15,000 and is renewable annually if the recipient maintains a 3.0 college GPA and is a full-time resident.

- Heritage Scholarship
  Heritage scholarships are awarded in recognition of excellent academic achievement and significant extracurricular involvement during high school. These awards are worth $10,000 to $10,000 annually, with preference given to minority students. Recipients must be full-time resident students and must maintain a 3.0 college GPA to renew the scholarship each year.

- Salem Academic Scholarship
  Academic scholarships are awarded to several students each year who have demonstrated academic achievement. The awards are worth $5,000 to $10,000 per year and are renewable with a 3.0 college GPA.

- Glamley Leadership and Service Scholarship
  Glamley Scholarships are awarded to several students each year who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in leadership and service. Students with academic success are also considered. Each award is worth $5,000 to $10,000 per year and is renewable with a 3.0 college GPA. Recipients are also expected to participate in campus and community activities.

- Transfer Scholarship
  Awards of $1,000 to $1,000 are offered each year to entering transfer students who have demonstrated outstanding academic achievement at their previous institution. Scholarships are renewable annually if the recipient maintains a 3.0 GPA at Salem.

- Music Scholarships
  Music scholarships of $1,000 to $1,000 are awarded to incoming students who intend to major in music in recognition of their outstanding musical ability. Applicants must participate in auditions on Salem's campus during Scholarship Weekend or by appointment. In exceptional circumstances, applicants may submit recorded auditions. Preference from the student's music teacher is also required. Applicants are judged on the basis of general musicianship, technical proficiency, and trend of improvement as well as academic achievement andscholarship. Each of the scholarships is renewable annually provided the student maintains a 3.0 GPA in music courses and a 3.0 cumulative GPA.
  - The Ford, Cooper, and Berlin scholarships of $1,000 to $1,000 are awarded to new students each year.
  - The Christian-Gerger scholarship of $1,000 is awarded to several new students each year.
  - The Durbin Music Scholarship of $1,000 is awarded to several new students each year.
  - The Student-Music Scholarship of $1,000 is awarded to several new students each year.

- Lehman Scholars Program
  Students interested in majoring in biology, chemistry, mathematics, or psychology can apply to be a Lehman Scholar, which will provide them with assistance in a four-year and travel funds, special events, specialized courses, and a mentoring program. Students also will receive $100 for books. For more information and to download the Lehman Scholars Application, go to www.salem.edu/scholarships/lehman.php.