

### Exhibit 1. Hathaway Scholarship Requirements

Honors (\$1,680 per semester)	Performance (\$1,260 per semester)	Opportunity (\$840 per semester)	Provisional Opportunity (\$840 per semester)
<p>4 years Hathaway-approved Language Arts in grades 9-12 that include the standards: Reading, Writing, Listening, Speaking</p> <p>4 years Math – must take the following courses, which can occur before grade 9: Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, a Hathaway-approved additional course</p> <p>4 years Science – which includes at least 3 years of any of the courses listed and an additional approved course in grades 9-12: Biology I, Biology II, Geology I, Physics I, Physics II, Chemistry I, Chemistry II, Physical Science, Computer Science</p> <p>3 years Social Studies in grades 9-12 to include a combination of: World History, American History, Geography, American Government, Economic Systems and Institutions</p> <p>2 sequenced years of the same Foreign Language, which do not need to be back-to-back, one of which must be taken in grades 9-12.</p> <p>ACT Score of 25</p> <p>H.S. GPA of 3.5</p> <p>Additional Requirements: 2 years of either fine arts, career and technical education, or additional foreign language (non-sequenced) (9-12 grade only)</p> <p>Scholarship may be used at a WY Community College, University of Wyoming, or a combination of the two types of institutions (for Honors, Performance, and Opportunity scholarships)</p>	<p>Same requirements as Honors on language arts, math, science, social studies, foreign language coursework, and additional requirements.</p> <p>ACT Score of 21</p> <p>H.S. GPA of 3.0</p>	<p>Same requirements as Honors on language arts, math, science, and social studies coursework.</p> <p>No foreign language requirement (but can take as an additional requirement)</p> <p>ACT Score of 19</p> <p>H.S. GPA of 2.5</p> <p>Additional Requirements: 2 years of either fine arts, career and technical education, or 2 years of foreign language (sequenced) (9-12 grade only)</p>	<p>Must meet current high school graduation requirements in language arts, math (which must include at least two of these three courses: Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry), science, and social studies.</p> <p>ACT Score of 17</p> <p>H.S. GPA of 2.5</p> <p>Additional Requirements: 2 years of either fine arts, career and technical education, or 2 years of foreign language (sequenced) (9-12 grade only)</p> <p>Students may also qualify by taking the ACT Workkeys, a job skills test, with a score of 12 or better. Provisional Opportunity scholarship recipients must start at a WY Community College.</p>

**Exhibit 2. Minimum High School Graduation Requirements – Regional State Comparison**

Wyoming	Colorado	Idaho	Montana	Nebraska	North Dakota	South Dakota	Utah
<p>4 school years of English</p> <p>3 school years of mathematics</p> <p>3 school years of science</p> <p>3 school years of social studies, including history, American government, and economic systems and institutions</p> <p>Satisfactory performance on an examination of principles of the Constitution of the United States and the State of Wyoming as required by W.S. 21-9-102.</p> <p>Evidence of proficient performance, at a minimum, on the uniform student content and performance standards for the common core of knowledge and skills specified under W.S. 21-9-101(a).</p> <p>Source: Wyoming Department of Education, Chapter 31, Graduation Requirements</p>	<p>State graduation guidelines stipulate that students must demonstrate college or career readiness in English and math based on demonstration of competency on at least one measure such as the ACT, AP, SAT. For example, on the ACT, students need to score at 18 on ACT English and a 19 on ACT math. Other options include through AP, IB, or concurrent enrollment course performance, or capstone or industry certificate.</p> <p>There are no specific courses, or number of courses required by the state’s graduation guidelines (districts set their own guidelines based on many factors), and there are no legislated course requirements other than one course in Civics” “History and civil government of the United States and of the state of Colorado, pursuant to Colorado statute 22-1-104, Teaching of history, culture, and</p>	<p>46 credits (29 in core subjects and 17 in elective subjects)</p> <p>The 29 credits in Core Subject areas must include:</p> <p>9 credits Language Arts (8 English, 1 Speech)</p> <p>6 credits mathematics (including Algebra 1 and Geometry standards)</p> <p>6 credits science (4 lab)</p> <p>5 credits social studies (U.S. History, Economics, and American Government)</p> <p>2 credits Humanities (Interdisciplinary Humanities, Fine Arts, or Foreign Language)</p> <p>1 credit Health</p>	<p>20 units of study which include the following 13 units:</p> <p>4 units of English language arts</p> <p>2 units of mathematics</p> <p>2 units of science</p> <p>2 units of social studies</p> <p>1 unit of health enhancement, with ½ unit each year for two years</p> <p>1 unit of arts</p> <p>1 unit of career and technical education</p>	<p>200 credits with at least 80 percent from the core curriculum.</p> <p>40 credits in English</p> <p>30 credits in mathematics</p> <p>30 credits in science</p> <p>30 credits in social studies</p>	<p>22 credits required including:</p> <p>4 credits of English Language Arts from a sequence that includes literature, composition, and speech:</p> <p>3 credits of mathematics</p> <p>3 credits of science including life science and biology</p> <p>3 credits of social studies including US History, US Gov, Problems and Democracy</p> <p>1 credit PE and/or Health</p> <p>3 credits of Foreign Language; Native American Languages; Fine Arts; or Career and Technical Education courses</p> <p>Any 5 additional credits</p>	<p>22 credits of which 16.5 include (1 unit = 1 year of instruction):</p> <p>4 units of Language Arts (Writing: 1.5 units; Speech or Debate: .5 unit; Language Arts elective: .5 unit; Literature: 1.5 units of which .5 must be American Literature)</p> <p>3 units of mathematics (Algebra 1: 1 unit; Algebra II: 1 unit; Geometry: 1 unit)</p> <p>3 units of Lab Science (Biology: 1 unit; any Physical Science: 1 unit; Chemistry or Physics: 1 unit)</p> <p>3 units of Social Studies (U.S. History: 1 unit; U.S. Government: .5 unit; World History: .5 unit; Geography: .5 unit; Social Studies elective: .5 unit)</p> <p>1 unit of any combination of the following: Approved Career and Technical Education; Capstone Experience or Service Learning; World Language</p> <p>1 unit of Fine Arts</p>	<p>24 credits</p> <p>4 credits in English/Language Arts</p> <p>3 credits in mathematics (successful completion of Secondary Mathematics I, II, and III or higher; other courses such as Calculus can satisfy this requirement)</p> <p>3 credits in science (2 credits from the four science foundation areas: Earth Systems, Biological Science, Chemistry, or physics; 1 credit from the foundation courses or the applied or advanced science core list)</p> <p>3 credits social studies (1 credit U.S. History, .5 credits Geography, .5 credits Civilization, .5 credits U.S. Government and Citizenship, .5 credits General Financial Literacy)</p> <p>3 credits Directed Coursework (1.5 credits Fine Arts, 1 credit CTE., .5 credits computer</p>

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<p>“School years” is defined as the credit earned during a school year which is synonymous with a Carnegie Unit of study that reflects the instructional time provided in a class calculated by multiplying the number of minutes a district uses for a class by the number of pupil-teacher contact days in the district calendar as approved by the State Board of Education. This instructional time is usually between 125 and 150 hours in a calendar school year.</p>	<p>civil government.</p>					<p>½ unit of Personal Finance or Economics            ½ unit of Physical Education            ½ unit of Health or Health Integration             The remaining credits are from electives.</p>	<p>technology)             Physical Education (consists of various .5 credit courses)             6 credits required electives</p>

**Exhibit 3. Minimum High School Graduation Requirements – High Performing States Comparison**

<b>Wyoming</b>	<b>Indiana</b>	<b>Massachusetts</b>	<b>New Hampshire</b>	<b>New Jersey</b>	<b>Vermont</b>	<b>Virginia</b>
<p>4 school years of English</p> <p>3 school years of mathematics</p> <p>3 school years of science</p> <p>3 school years of social studies, including history, American government, and economic systems and institutions</p> <p>Satisfactory performance on an examination of principles of the Constitution of the United States and the State of Wyoming as required by W.S. 21-9-102.</p> <p>Evidence of proficient performance, at a minimum, on the uniform student content and performance standards for the common core of knowledge and skills specified under W.S. 21-9-101(a).</p> <p>Source: Wyoming Department of Education, Chapter 31, Graduation Requirements</p> <p>“School years” is defined as the credit earned during a school year which is synonymous with a Carnegie Unit of study that reflects the instructional time provided in a class</p>	<p>Students can choose between the Core 40 diploma, or the Core 40 with Honors, or Core 40 with Technical Honors. There is also an opt-out option, the General Diploma.</p> <p><i>Core 40 Diploma</i></p> <p>English/ Language Arts: 8 credits (Including a balance of literature, composition and speech).</p> <p>Mathematics: 6 credits in grades 9-12 (2 credits: Algebra I, 2 credits: Geometry, 2 credits: Algebra II, Or complete Integrated Math I, II, and III for 6 credits.</p> <p>Students must take a math course or quantitative reasoning course each year in high school).</p> <p>Science: 6 credits (2 credits: Biology I; 2 credits: Chemistry I or Physics I or Integrated Chemistry-Physics, 2 credits: any Core 40 science course).</p> <p>Social Studies: 6 credits (2 credits: U.S. History, 1 credit: U.S. Government, 1 credit:</p>	<p>All students must meet the Competency Determination (CD) standard, in addition to meeting all local graduation requirements.</p> <p><i>Competency Determination Graduation Requirement:</i></p> <p>Students must earn a scaled score of at least 240 on the grade 10 MCAS ELA and Mathematics tests, or earn a scaled score between 220 and 238 on these tests, or earn a score of Needs Improvement on a competency portfolio, and fulfill the requirements of an Educational Proficiency Plan (EPP).</p> <p>Students must also earn a scaled score of at least 220 on one of the high school MCAS Science and Technology/Engineering (STE) tests: Biology, Chemistry, Introductory Physics, or Technology/Engineering, or a score of Needs Improvement on a competency portfolio in one of these STE disciplines.</p>	<p>4 credits of English</p> <p>2 credits of Mathematics</p> <p>1 credit of Physical Sciences</p> <p>1 credit of Biological Sciences</p> <p>1 credit of US and NH History and Government</p> <p>0.5 credit of Basic Business and Economic Education</p> <p>One credit of Physical Education</p> <p>0.75 credit of Health Education</p> <p>0.5 credit of Arts Education</p> <p>0.5 credit of Computer Education</p> <p>Seven units of Electives</p>	<p>Language arts literacy: 20 credits</p> <p>Math: 15 credits</p> <p>Science: 15 credits</p> <p>Social studies: 15 credits</p> <p>Financial, economic, business and entrepreneurial literacy: 2.5 credits</p> <p>Health, safety and physical education: 3.75 credits per year</p> <p>Visual and performing arts: 5 credits</p> <p>Career-technical education: 5 credits</p> <p>World languages: 5 credits</p>	<p>The state of Vermont requires each student to complete at least 20 Carnegie units, including the following:</p> <p>Four years of English language arts</p> <p>Three years of Science</p> <p>Three years of Mathematics</p> <p>Three years of history, civics, and social sciences (including one year of U.S. history and government)</p> <p>One year of arts</p> <p>A year and a half of physical education</p>	<p>Virginia has two primary diploma options:</p> <p><i>Standard Diploma</i> A student must earn at least 22 standard units of credit by (1) passing required courses and electives, including:</p> <p>English: 4 units</p> <p>Mathematics, Laboratory Science, and History &amp; Social Sciences: 3 units each</p> <p>Health &amp; Physical Education: 2 units</p> <p>Foreign Language, Fine Arts or Career &amp; Technical Education: 2 units</p> <p>Economics and Personal Finance: 1 unit</p> <p>Electives: 4 units</p> <p>(2) earn at least six verified credits by passing end-of-course SOL tests or other assessments approved by the Board of Education.</p> <p>(3) earn a board-approved career and</p>

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<p>calculated by multiplying the number of minutes a district uses for a class by the number of pupil-teacher contact days in the district calendar as approved by the State Board of Education. This instructional time is usually between 125 and 150 hours in a calendar school year.</p>	<p>Economics, 2 credits: World History/ Civilization or Geography/ History of the World</p> <p>Directed Electives: 5 credits( World Languages, Fine Arts, Career and Technical Education)</p> <p>PE: 2 credits</p> <p>Health and Wellness: 1 credit</p> <p>Electives* 6 credits (College and Career Pathway courses recommended)</p> <p><i>Core 40 with Academic Honors</i> Includes above as well as additional math credit, language credit, and fine arts credit requirements, as well as performance requirements including 3.0 GPA and a certain scores on ACT or AP/IB/concurrent courses</p> <p><i>Core 40 with Technical Honors</i> Includes above as well as earning 6 credits in a state-approved College &amp; Career Pathway and one of the following:</p> <p>1. Pathway designated industry-based</p>					<p>technical education credential to graduate with a Standard Diploma; and</p> <p>(4) successfully complete one virtual course, which may be non-credit bearing.</p> <p><i>Advanced Studies Diploma</i></p> <p>(1) 26 standard units in: English, Math, Science and History and Social Sciences: 4 units each</p> <p>Foreign Language: 3 units</p> <p>Health &amp; Physical Education: 2 units</p> <p>Fine Arts or Career &amp; Technical Education: 1 unit</p> <p>Economics and Personal Finance: 1 unit</p> <p>Electives: 3 units</p> <p>(2) 9 verified units, and</p> <p>(3) successfully complete one virtual course</p>

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	certification or credential, or  2.Pathway dual credits from the approved dual credit list resulting in 6 transcribed college credits; as well as performance requirements including 3.0 GPA and a certain scores on ACT, Workkeys, Compass or AP/IB/concurrent courses					

**Exhibit 4. High School Graduate/New First-Year Student Admission Requirements to Enter a Public College or University- Regional States**

<b>Wyoming</b>	<b>Colorado</b>	<b>Idaho</b>	<b>Montana</b>	<b>Nebraska</b>	<b>North Dakota</b>	<b>South Dakota</b>	<b>Utah</b>
<p><i>University of Wyoming</i></p> <p>Cumulative, unweighted high school GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale)</p> <p>Minimum composite ACT score of 21 or SAT score of 1060 (math/critical reasoning combined)</p> <p><b>Completion of the success curriculum</b> while attending high school (this is the Hathaway Success Curriculum for the Honors and Performance Scholarships)</p> <p>Admission with Support is available if you submitted official ACT or SAT scores. You can have a cumulative, unweighted high school GPA of 2.5-2.99 or 2.25-2.49 and a minimum composite ACT score of 20 or SAT score of 1020 (math/critical reasoning combined).</p>	<p><i>University of Colorado</i></p> <p>Does not specify a minimum GPA or minimum ACT/SAT scores but the middle 50% of enrolled first-time freshman have a high school GPA of 3.43 - 4.0, an ACT composite core of 25-31, or a combined SAT total Math and Evidence-Based Reading &amp; Writing score of 1180 – 1350.</p> <p><b>Minimum Academic Preparation Standards for College of Arts and Sciences (17 units):</b></p> <p>4 units (years) English (including 2 of composition)</p> <p>4 units mathematics (includes at least 2 of Algebra, 1 of Geometry, and 1 of college prep math)</p> <p>3 units natural science (includes 2 of lab science, 1 of which must be either chemistry or physics)</p> <p>3 units social science (includes 1 of U.S. or world history and 1 of geography)</p>	<p><i>University of Idaho</i></p> <p>Students have to input their unweighted high school GPA and/or ACT or SAT scores via a weblink to see if they meet minimum admission requirements. A GPA of 3.0 met the minimum requirement without ACT and/or SAT scores. (It would take time going through the calculator to determine what is required if the GPA is 2.9 or below).</p> <p><b>Academic Core Requirements:</b></p> <p><b>English</b> 8-credit (4 years) minimum requirement; Composition, literature, or courses that integrate composition, language, and literature.</p> <p><b>Humanities &amp; Language</b> <b>2-credit (1 year) minimum requirement;</b> literature, history,</p>	<p><i>University of Montana</i></p> <p>Primary Requirements: An ACT composite score of 22, or a SAT combined score of 1120 (1540 for tests prior to March 2016), or a 2.50 cumulative grade-point average, or a class rank in the upper half of your high school graduating class.</p> <p><b>College Preparatory Requirements:</b> 4 years of English</p> <p>3 years of math, including Algebra I, Geometry and Algebra II. Students are encouraged to take a math class their senior year of high school.</p> <p>3 years of social studies, including one year of global studies, one year of American history and one year of government or another third-year course (i.e., economics, psychology, sociology).</p> <p>2 years of laboratory science. One must be</p>	<p><i>University of Nebraska-Lincoln</i></p> <p>Score 20 or higher on the ACT, writing portion not required. Or, score a total of 1030 or higher on the SAT Critical Reading and Math sections. Or, rank in the top half of your high school graduating class.</p> <p>All first-year applicants under the age of 23 are required to submit an official ACT or SAT score.</p> <p><b>Core Course Requirements (16 units)</b></p> <p>4 units of English: Units must include intensive reading and writing experiences.</p> <p>4 units of math: Algebra, Algebra II, Geometry, 1 additional unit that builds on knowledge and concepts learned in Algebra II</p> <p>3 units of social sciences: 1 unit drawn from American and/or world history, 1 additional unit drawn from history,</p>	<p><i>University of North Dakota</i></p> <p><b>High school GPA and ACT or SAT score:</b></p> <p>GPA: 3.5-4.0, minimum ACT or SAT* score of: 18 ACT or 940 SAT (math &amp; reading)</p> <p>GPA: 3.00 - 3.49, minimum ACT or SAT* score of: 20 ACT or 1020 SAT (math &amp; reading)</p> <p>GPA: 2.75 - 2.99, minimum ACT or SAT* score of: 22 ACT or 1100 SAT* (math &amp; reading)</p> <p><b>Successful completion of 15 units of high school core courses:</b></p> <p>English (4 units)</p> <p>Math (3 units of Algebra I or above)</p> <p>Lab Science (3 units)</p> <p>Social Studies (3 units)</p> <p>2 additional units from any category above (English, Math, Lab Science or Social Studies) or</p>	<p><i>University of South Dakota</i></p> <p>GPA of at least 2.6 (on a 4.0 scale) in all high school courses, Or ACT composite score of 21 or above (SAT 990), Or Rank in the upper 50% of your high school graduating class</p> <p><b>High school coursework requirements</b> (course must be completed with a “C” average or better):</p> <p>4 years of English (or ACT English sub-test score of 21 or above or AP English score of 3 or above)</p> <p>3 years of advanced mathematics (or ACT math sub-test score of 23 or above or AP Calculus score of 3 or above)</p> <p>3 years of laboratory science (or ACT science reasoning sub-test score of 20 or above or AP Science score of 3 or above)</p>	<p><i>University of Utah</i></p> <p>Does not specify a minimum GPA or minimum ACT/SAT scores but the middle 50% of enrolled first-time freshman have at high school GPA of 3.4-3.9, an ACT composite of 22-29, or a combined SAT score of 1140-1330. Transfer students must have a minimum GPA of 2.6.</p> <p><b>High School Core Requirements:</b></p> <p>4 years of English emphasizing composition and literature</p> <p>2 years of mathematics beyond elementary algebra (selected from geometry, intermediate algebra, trigonometry, college or advanced algebra, or calculus)</p> <p>3 years biological and/or physical science, two of which are required to be taken from the following: chemistry, physics and biology or human biology (one of the sciences)</p>

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	<p>3 units single foreign language</p> <p>1 unit academic elective</p>	<p>philosophy, foreign language, fine arts (history, theory, appreciation, and evaluation) and interdisciplinary humanities (related study of two or more of the traditional humanities disciplines). These courses should emphasize history, appreciation, theory, analysis, and/or critique.</p> <p>History courses beyond those required for state high school graduation may be counted. Foreign language study is strongly recommended.</p> <p><b>Math 6-credit (3 years) minimum requirement;</b> algebra I or applied math I, geometry or applied math II, and algebra II. (Applied math courses must be approved by the Idaho State Department of Education.); an additional two (2) credits are strongly recommended; other course work may include probability, discrete math,</p>	<p>earth science, biology, chemistry or physics. The second year may be one of those sciences or another approved college preparatory laboratory science.</p> <p>2 years chosen from the following: foreign language (preferably two years), computer science, visual and performing arts, or vocational education.</p> <p>In order to be fully admitted to the University of Montana (without conditions or provisions), students must demonstrate readiness in areas of mathematics and writing. Typically, students demonstrate their readiness by fulfilling at least one criterion in each of the following proficiency requirement sections:</p> <p><b>Math Proficiency Requirements</b></p> <p>A score of 22 on the ACT Math section</p> <p>or a score of 27.5 on the SAT Math Test (520 on SAT Math for tests prior to March</p>	<p>American government and/or geography, a 3rd unit drawn from any social science discipline</p> <p>3 units of natural sciences: At least 2 units selected from biology, chemistry, physics, earth sciences</p> <p>1 unit must include laboratory instruction</p> <p>2 units of foreign language: both units must be in the same language.</p> <p>Students who are unable to take 2 years of foreign language in high school may still qualify for admission.</p>	<p>world language (including foreign languages, Native American languages or American Sign Language)</p> <p>Additional factors will be considered, such as grade trends, course difficulty, GPA in core classes, etc.</p>	<p>3 years of social studies (or ACT social studies/reading subtest score of 20 or above or AP Social Studies score of 3 or above)</p> <p>1 year of fine arts (or AP Fine Arts score of 3 or above).</p>	<p>must include a laboratory experience)</p> <p>1 year, American history and government. (Processes and structure of democratic governance)</p> <p>Foreign language First and second year (level) of the same foreign language taken during grades 7 through 12</p> <p>Additional units: 4 years, from at least two of the following: history, English, mathematics beyond intermediate algebra, laboratory science, foreign language, social science, fine arts, technology and engineering education</p>



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		<p>analytic geometry, calculus, statistics, and trigonometry;</p> <p>Four of the required mathematics credits must be taken in the 10th, 11th, and/or 12th grades.</p> <p><b>Natural Science 6-credit (3 years) minimum requirement;</b>  anatomy, biology, chemistry, geology, earth science, physical science, physiology, physics, and zoology. A maximum of two (2) credits from vocational science courses may be counted if the courses are jointly approved by the Idaho State Department of Education (SDOE) and the State Department of Vocational Education (SDVE); Ecology will count if SDOE approved.  At least 2 credits must involve lab science experience.</p> <p><b>Social Science 5-credit (2 1/2 years) minimum requirement;</b> American government (state and local),</p>	<p>2016)</p> <p>or a score of 3 or higher on the AP Calculus AB or BC exam</p> <p>or completion of a Rigorous High School Core that includes four years of math with grades of C or higher</p> <p>or a score of 4 on the International Baccalaureate calculus exam</p> <p><b>Writing Proficiency Requirements</b></p> <p>A score of 18 on the ACT Combined English/ Writing section</p> <p>or a score of 19 on the new ACT Writing Test Subscore (score of 7 on old scale of 2-12)</p> <p>or a score of 25 on the SAT Writing/Language Test (440 on SAT Writing for tests prior to March 2016)</p> <p>or a score of 7 on the SAT Essay Subscore (for tests prior to March 2016)</p>				

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		<p>geography, U.S. history, world history, psychology, sociology, and economics.</p> <p>Approved consumer economics courses may be counted toward this requirement.</p> <p><b>Other College Preparation 3-credit (1 1/2 years) minimum requirement;</b> speech or debate (No more than one credit. Debate must be taught by a certified teacher); Studio/performing arts (art, dance, drama, and music); or foreign language (beyond any foreign language credit applied in the Humanities &amp; Language category).</p>	<p>or a score of 3 on the AP English Language or English Literature exam</p> <p>or a score of 50 on the CLEP Subject Exam in Composition</p> <p>or a score of 4 on the International Baccalaureate Language AI Exam</p> <p>If a student does not demonstrate full readiness prior to Orientation, students must attain full admission status by completing at least one college-level mathematics and college-level composition course with grades of C- or better before completing 32 credits or 3 semesters, whichever comes last.</p>				

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High Performing States**

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<p><i>University of Wyoming</i></p> <p>Cumulative, unweighted high school GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale)</p> <p>Minimum composite ACT score of 21 or SAT score of 1060 (math/critical reasoning combined)</p> <p><b>Completion of the success curriculum</b> while attending high school (this is the Hathaway Success Curriculum for the Honors and Performance Scholarships)</p> <p>Admission with Support is available if you submitted official ACT or SAT scores. You can have a cumulative, unweighted high school GPA of 2.5-2.99 or 2.25-2.49 and a minimum composite ACT score of 20 or SAT score of 1020 (math/critical reasoning combined).</p>	<p><i>University of Indiana Bloomington</i></p> <p>Applicants should complete at least 34 credits of college-preparatory courses, including:</p> <p>8 credits (semesters) of English, such as literature, grammar, or composition</p> <p>7 credits (semesters) of mathematics, including 4 credits of algebra and 2 credits of geometry (or an equivalent 6 credits of integrated algebra and geometry), and 1 credit of pre-calculus, trigonometry, or calculus</p> <p>6 credits (semesters) of social sciences, including 2 credits of U.S. history; 2 credits of world history/civilization/geography; and 2 additional credits in government, economics, sociology, history, or similar topics</p> <p>6 credits (semesters) of sciences, including at least 4 credits of laboratory sciences: biology, chemistry, or physics</p> <p>4 credits (semesters) of world languages</p> <p>3 or more credits (semesters) of additional college-preparatory courses;</p>	<p><i>University of Massachusetts Amherst</i></p> <p>Required high school units:</p> <p>English: 4</p> <p>Mathematics (Algebra II minimum): 4 including math in the senior year of high school</p> <p>Natural Science (3 labs): 3</p> <p>Social Science (one course in US history): 2</p> <p>Foreign Language: 2 of same language</p> <p>Electives (from areas above, arts and humanities, or computer science): 2</p> <p>Applicants to the College of Engineering, Isenberg School of Management, or the Computer Science major must have four math units including an advanced math course, such as Pre Calculus, Calculus or Trigonometry. Applicants to the College of Engineering must also have Chemistry and Physics.</p>	<p><i>University of New Hampshire</i></p> <p>Most first-year students accepted to a bachelor's degree program have completed rigorous coursework with solid B+ grades, or higher.</p> <p>Students should complete the following sequences of college preparatory coursework to be considered minimally* qualified for baccalaureate admission to the University:</p> <p>Four years of college preparatory English</p> <p>Three years of mathematics including Algebra I, Geometry and Algebra II</p> <p>Three years of science, two of which must be laboratory sciences</p> <p>Three years of social sciences (including U.S. History)</p> <p>Two years of a single foreign language (three years is preferred)</p>	<p><i>Rutgers University, New Brunswick</i></p> <p>Requirements for School of Arts and Sciences:</p> <p>English: 4 years</p> <p>Foreign Language: 2 years of one language</p> <p>Mathematics: 3 years, including algebra I, geometry, algebra II</p> <p>Science: 2 years</p> <p>Other Courses: 5 other academic courses</p> <p>Total: 16 academic courses</p> <p>Other Schools require additional course work including additional years of math and science depending on field</p>	<p><i>University of Vermont</i></p> <p>Minimum entrance requirements</p> <p>four years of English</p> <p>three years of mathematics (Algebra I, Algebra II and geometry (or equivalents))</p> <p>two years of the same foreign language (American sign language meets this requirement)</p> <p>three years of a natural or physical science, including a laboratory science</p> <p>three years of social sciences</p> <p>SAT/ACT Score Ranges for Middle 50% of Admitted Students*</p> <p>SAT EBRW: 600-690 SAT Math: 590-680 ACT: 27-32</p>	<p><i>Virginia State University</i></p> <p>3 units of mathematics that must include the full Algebra I curriculum and two additional courses at or above the level of Algebra I. It is strongly recommended that students complete Geometry, Algebra II, and a fourth higher level math course</p> <p>4 units of English</p> <p>2 units of Science (must include a laboratory science, i.e. Biology, Chemistry or Physics)</p> <p>2 units of Social Studies (History, Government, Civics, Geography)</p> <p>2 Units of Foreign Language recommended</p> <p>a minimum cumulative high school GPA of 3.0 (grades 9-11).</p> <p>evidence of strong performance in a challenging academic curriculum as demonstrated by a</p>

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	<p>additional mathematics credits are recommended for students intending to pursue a science degree and additional world language credits are recommended for all student</p> <p>No minimum GPA, but for fall 2017 the middle 50 percent range for GPA for admitted freshmen was 3.57–4.00.</p> <p>No minimum SAT or ACT, but for fall 2017 the middle 50 percent range of SAT scores (critical reading and math) for admitted freshmen was 1190–1360. The middle 50 percent range for the ACT composite was 26–31.</p>		<p>*Some academic programs require an additional year of preparation in subject areas beyond what is listed above, in particular 4 years of math for related fields.</p> <p>The average SAT combined score for Fall 2015 admissions was 1630 (all three sections). The average ACT composite score was 24</p>			<p>grade of B or better in core course.</p>

**Exhibit 6. Similar Scholarship Programs in Comparison States**

State	Program	Description	Eligibility Requirements (Academic)
<p><b>South Dakota</b></p>	<p>South Dakota Opportunity Scholarship  <a href="https://sdos.sdbor.edu/">https://sdos.sdbor.edu/</a></p>	<p>Authorized by the South Dakota Legislature with funding from the state of South Dakota’s Education Enhancement Trust Fund. Provides up to \$6,500 over four years to a qualifying student who attends an eligible higher education institution in South Dakota.</p> <p>Amounts:            \$1,300 – 1st year of attendance            \$1,300 – 2nd year of attendance            \$1,300 – 3rd year of attendance            \$2,600 – 4th year of attendance</p>	<p>Students must receive a “C” or higher on all coursework (1 unit = 1 year of instruction) including:</p> <p>4 units of English (courses with major emphasis on grammar, composition, or literary analysis may be included to meet this requirement)</p> <p>4 units of Algebra or Higher Mathematics (algebra, geometry, trigonometry, or other advanced mathematics, as well as accelerated or honors mathematics [algebra] at the 8th grade, shall be accepted). Not included are arithmetic, business, consumer, or general mathematics or similar courses. (Note: this is one more unit than what is required for HS graduation)</p> <p>4 units of Science, including 3 units of approved laboratory science (courses in biology, chemistry, or physics in which at least one regular laboratory is scheduled each week). (Note: this is one more unit than what is required for HS graduation)</p> <p>3 units of Social Studies (such as history, economics, sociology, geography, U.S. government, and similar courses).</p> <p>1 unit of Fine Arts (in art, theatre, or music, as well as approved extracurricular activity)</p> <p>2 units of either of the following or a combination of the two: Approved Career and Technical Education Courses, Modern or Classical Language</p> <p>½ unit of Personal Finance or Economics            ½ unit of Physical Education            ½ unit of Health or Health Integration</p> <p>ACT Composite Score of 24 or higher. If using SAT, the sum of the verbal and mathematics score must be at least 1090.</p> <p>Cumulative GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale)</p> <p>Curriculum requirements specified above are not</p>

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			required for any student who has received an ACT Composite Score of 28 and meets the ACT college readiness benchmark scores equaling or exceeding 18 for English, 22 for Reading, 22 for Math, and 23 for Science.
Utah	<p>Regents' Scholarship  <a href="https://stepuputah.com/files/RS ProgramGuide18.pdf">https://stepuputah.com/files/RS ProgramGuide18.pdf</a></p>	<p>The Regents' Scholarship encourages Utah high school students to take a college prep curriculum above and beyond Utah high school graduation requirements and is merit-based. The scholarship is funded by the state of Utah and administered by the State Board of Regents. There are 11 colleges and universities where the scholarship may be used.</p> <p>There are three types of awards:</p> <p><i>Base:</i> Up to \$1,000, one time</p> <p><i>Exemplary Academic Achievement:</i> up to \$1,250 per semester, renewable for up to 4 semesters</p> <p><i>Utah Education Savings Plan (UESP) Supplemental Award:</i> up to \$400 matching funds, one-time</p> <p>A combination of awards is also possible.</p>	<p><i>Base Award:</i></p> <p>Complete required courses in grades 9-12 with a grade no lower than a "C" (see more detail on pp. 4-9 of the Guide of courses that qualify):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4 credits of English</li> <li>4 progressive credits of Mathematics</li> <li>3.5 credits of Social Science</li> <li>3 credits of lab-based Science, especially one each of Biology, Chemistry, and Physics</li> <li>2 progressive credits of the same World Language</li> <li>Cumulative H.S. GPA of 3.0</li> <li>Submit at least one ACT test score</li> </ul> <p><i>Exemplary Academic Achievement Award:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must qualify for the Base Award (earning no grade lower than a "B" in the required courses)</li> <li>Cumulative H.S. GPA of 3.5</li> <li>Submit ACT score of 26</li> </ul> <p><i>Utah Education Savings Plan Supplemental Award:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must qualify for the Base Award plus</li> <li>Be a beneficiary of a UESP account (with stipulations regarding amount contributed to the account each year during ages of 14-17).</li> </ul>

