

Missionary Scholarships

At our core, Southern Baptists exist for the purpose of cooperating for the sake of sending missionaries around the world. Our mission is to bring the light of the Gospel to all nations and peoples of the world, and we are committed to lowering financial barriers to that service while providing the very best theological education to prepare our missionaries for more faithful service.

IMB Missionaries

For more information on Southwestern's IMB scholarships for both current missionaries and students in process with the IMB, please visit our [IMB Scholarship webpage](#).

NAMB Current Missionary Scholarship

The NAMB Current Missionary Scholarship is available to degree-seeking graduate and doctoral students who are endorsed by NAMB and in good standing with the seminary. Incoming students can apply upon acceptance for enrollment, and current students must apply annually during the Spring semester for the following academic year.

This scholarship covers tuition only (no fees) up to a maximum of 15 hours per semester for the Fall and Spring semesters only, and is administered in the following way:

Master's Studies	50% tuition	Up to 3 years of study
PhD Studies	30% tuition	Up to 4 years of study
DMin Studies	20% tuition	Up to 3 years of study

Students must submit verification of endorsement, with dates of service, prior to the start of each academic year. Failure to submit verification in a timely manner may result in a delay of the scholarship being applied to your account and additional fees being assessed. Verification letters can be emailed to sfs@swbts.edu and must be received by our office before the scholarship can be applied to the student's account. If an applicant resigns from NAMB, the scholarship will be forfeited. Scholarships cannot be applied retroactively and may not be combined with another institutional scholarship.

To apply for this scholarship, please fill out the general financial aid application that opens on March 1st. The deadline for current students is May 1st and the deadline for new, incoming students is August 15th. Late submissions will not be considered.

Children of Current Missionaries

The Children of Current Missionaries Scholarship is a full tuition scholarship available to the children of Southern Baptist missionaries who are either endorsed by NAMB or currently serving with the IMB. Students must be under 30 years of age, degree-seeking, have an established 3.0 GPA, and take full-time hours on the Fort Worth campus (no online courses, including FLEX courses, are eligible). Failure to maintain scholarship requirements throughout the academic year may result in reduction or removal of the scholarship. Incoming students can apply upon acceptance for enrollment, and current students must apply annually during the Spring semester for the following academic year.

The scholarship covers on-campus tuition only (no fees) up to a maximum of 15 hours per semester for the fall and spring semesters only. This scholarship is available for the completion of one undergraduate degree and one master's level degree.

Undergraduate Degree	100% tuition	Completion of one degree Max 4 years
Master's Degree	100% tuition	Completion of one degree Max 3 years

Students must submit verification of their parents' employment, with dates of service, prior to the start of each academic year. Failure to submit verification in a timely manner may result in a delay of the scholarship being applied to your account and additional fees being assessed. Verification letters can be emailed to sfs@swbts.edu and must be received by our office before the scholarship can be applied to the student's account. If the applicant's parents resign from the IMB or NAMB, the scholarship will be forfeited. Scholarships cannot be applied retroactively and may not be combined with another institutional scholarship.

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Returning Journeyman

The Returning Journeyman Scholarship is available to students returning from a 24-month assignment with the IMB. Students must be degree-seeking with an established 3.0 GPA and taking full-time hours (9 or more hours for graduate students) on the Fort Worth campus (no online courses, including FLEX courses are eligible). Failure to maintain scholarship requirements throughout the academic year may result in reduction or removal of the scholarship. Incoming students can apply upon acceptance for enrollment, and current students must apply annually during the Spring semester for the following academic year.

Students not previously enrolled in a degree-seeking program at Southwestern must enroll at SWBTS within **three years** of field service to be eligible for the scholarship, and students **must stay enrolled in consecutive semesters** to continue to receive the scholarship.

This scholarship covers on campus tuition only (no fees) up to a maximum of 15 hours per semester for the fall and spring semesters only, and is administered in the following way:

Returning Journeyman	100% tuition for 1st year of study	50% tuition for years 2-3 of study
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Returning Journeymen applicants must complete 24 months of service with the IMB and provide an official verification of service from the IMB prior to the first term of enrollment. Failure to submit verification in a timely manner may result in a delay of the scholarship being applied to your account and additional fees being assessed. Verification letters can be emailed to sfs@swbts.edu and must be received by our office before the scholarship can be applied to the student's account. Scholarships cannot be applied retroactively and may not be combined with another institutional scholarship.

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2+2 Program

Please see the FAQ section on our [IMB Scholarship webpage](#) for more information.