

Request for National Merit 5th Year Stipend

To request the 5th year stipend available to National Merit Scholars (Finalists).

Name _____ UIN _____

National Merit Scholars (Finalists) are eligible to receive a supplemental fifth year award if:

- Four calendar years since your date of enrollment has passed and all eight (8) payments of your National Merit Recognition Award have been utilized; **and,**
- You are in good standing for your National Merit Recognition Award (≥ 3.5 cumulative GPR); **and,**
- You will be enrolled full-time during the semester(s) to which the 5th Year Stipend is applied (excluding your final graduating semester when less than full time enrollment is allowed); **and,**
- You are still considered an undergraduate who has not completed your degree program; **and,**
- You will not have graduated and re-enroll in another degree program.

Students enrolled in a full fifth year may be eligible for \$1,500 per semester for two (2) semesters, totaling \$3,000. If you graduate in the fall semester, you are eligible to receive only the \$1,500 for that semester.

I have read, understand, and will comply with the requirements of the National Merit 5th Year Stipend.

Signature _____ Date _____

This form should be submitted to Scholarships & Financial Aid. You may email the form to scholarships@tamu.edu or upload the form via the Status page of your Financial Aid portal on Howdy (<https://howdy.tamu.edu>)