

CATALOG ADDENDUM 2025-2026

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Current Language

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Students are automatically considered for merit scholarships and grants upon admission to CST. The number of merit scholarships and grants given and value of each can change annually, and doctoral scholarships are allocated at discretion of faculty in that discipline. Merit scholarships are communicated in writing by the admissions office and recorded in a student's financial aid award letter. Merit scholarship agreements are entered into by institution and student and are governed by policies noted on merit scholarship letter and this catalog. In general, to retain merit scholarships students must have and maintain 2.8 for MA and 3.0 for PhD/DMin and register at least half time. Please note, students awarded Presidential, Deans or Korean Leadership scholarships come with their own academic performance and extracurricular activities requirements as outlined on scholarship letter.

Addendum Rewrite

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All admitted students are automatically considered for merit scholarships and grants. Awards are communicated in writing by the Admissions Office and recorded in the student's financial aid award letter. The number and value of awards vary annually, and doctoral scholarships are allocated at the discretion of faculty in the relevant discipline.

Merit scholarships and grants are formal agreements between the institution and the student, governed by the policies stated in the award letter and in this catalog. To retain merit scholarships and grants, students must: (1) maintain a cumulative GPA of **2.8** for MDiv, MTS, and MA programs, and **3.0** for PhD, DMin, and SpD programs; (2) remain enrolled at least half-time. Scholarships and grants are valid only within the statute of limitations for the student's degree program.

Students awarded **Presidential, Dean's, or Korean Leadership Scholarships** must also meet additional requirements for academic performance and extracurricular involvement, as specified in their individual scholarship letters.