



Dear \_\_\_\_\_.  
(name of graduate student)

Welcome to Panther Land! You have been admitted to the \_\_\_\_\_.  
(name of the program)

We are excited to have you continue your academic journey with Prairie View A&M University (PVAMU). This letter outlines the terms and conditions of your academic funding.

**PVAMU Doctoral Tuition and Fee Scholarship:** The PVAMU Doctoral Tuition and Fee Scholarship provides financial support to full-time students pursuing doctoral degrees. This scholarship covers tuition and fees for eligible students. To apply, both new and continuing students must complete the scholarship application form and submit all required documents through their respective departments for processing. Doctoral students who have previously received the scholarship must maintain satisfactory academic progress to remain eligible for continued support. The scholarship only applies to credits that count toward your degree. Additionally, eligibility for this scholarship requires holding an assistantship position.

*Scholarship Requirements:*

- ❖ Must be enrolled full-time (minimum of nine (9) semester credit hours during the fall and spring, and six (6) hours during the summer) in a doctoral program.
- ❖ Must be in good academic standing with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00.
- ❖ Must be employed on campus, preferably in a Graduate Assistantship position.
- ❖ Must submit a complete application packet, which includes the following documents:
  - Completed PVAMU Doctoral Tuition and Fee Scholarship Application
  - Employment offer letter
  - Copy of current term enrollment
  - Copy of the university tuition and fee statement\*
- \* Students who are anticipating an out-of-state tuition waiver should turn in a fee bill only after the out-of-state waiver is applied to their account.
- ❖ Recipients cannot receive this scholarship beyond four (4) academic years and/or eight (8) semesters (not including summer).

**PV Opportunity Graduate Student Scholarship:** The PV Opportunity Graduate Student Scholarship provides tuition and fee financial assistance to enrolled domestic doctoral students. Scholarships may be renewed for subsequent semesters with evidence of continued enrollment and good academic standing. The scholarship will only cover a maximum of 18 dissertation hours.

*Scholarship Requirements:*

- ❖ Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident.
- ❖ Must submit a complete application packet, which includes the following documents:
  - Completed PV Opportunity Graduate Student Scholarship Application
  - Copy of the course schedule
  - Copy of the institution's tuition and fee statement
- ❖ Must be in good academic standing with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00.
- ❖ Must be enrolled in a minimum of one (1) semester credit hour of graduate-level coursework.

*Submission Instructions and Deadline:*

Applications must be submitted electronically to the Office of Graduate Studies by the specified deadlines:

- Fall: August 10
- Spring: January 4

Submit applications via email to [gradadmissions@pvamu.edu](mailto:gradadmissions@pvamu.edu) with the subject line "PV Opportunity Scholarship Application."

*Scholarship Renewal:*

The PV Opportunity Graduate Student Scholarship is renewable for one additional semester if the following criteria are met:

- The student must be in good academic standing with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 at the end of the current semester.
- Registration for the next semester must be complete by the end of the current semester.
- A tuition and fee statement must be submitted by the end of the current semester.

**Graduate Assistantship (Research/Teaching):** Applicants must be enrolled as full-time doctoral students at Prairie View A&M University and be in good academic standing.

**PVAMU Doctoral Out-of-State Tuition and Fee Waiver:** The PVAMU Doctoral Out-of-State Tuition and Fee Waiver covers tuition and fees for full-time enrolled students pursuing a doctoral degree. New and continuing students must complete the application and submit all required documents to the Office of Graduate Studies. Maintaining satisfactory academic progress and meeting all eligibility criteria is essential for continued financial support. Your funding package is:

A.

\_\_\_\_\_ offering \_\_\_\_\_  
(name of funding) (annual amount)

from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ with satisfactory academic progress,  
(start-date) (end-date)

it is renewable until \_\_\_\_\_ or completion of degree requirements. Subject to the annual  
( month/year)  
budget approvals.

Name of the University official \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_, Date \_\_\_\_\_  
(university official)

**B.**

\_\_\_\_\_ offering \_\_\_\_\_  
(name of funding) (annual amount)  
from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ with satisfactory academic progress,  
(start-date) (end-date)  
it is renewable until \_\_\_\_\_ or completion of degree requirements. Subject to the annual  
( month/year)  
budget approvals.  
Name of the University official \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_, Date \_\_\_\_\_  
(university official)

**C.**

\_\_\_\_\_ offering \_\_\_\_\_  
(name of funding) (annual amount)  
from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ with satisfactory academic progress,  
(start-date) (end-date)  
it is renewable until \_\_\_\_\_ or completion of degree requirements. Subject to the annual  
( month/year)  
budget approvals.  
Name of the University official \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_, Date \_\_\_\_\_  
(university official)

If you have any questions regarding degree requirements, funding, or need clarification on your academic progress, please contact your department's Graduate Program Coordinator or the Office of Graduate Studies. We are here to support you every step of the way and are committed to your success.

I have read and accept this award \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print Graduate Student Name)

Graduate Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_, Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_, Date \_\_\_\_\_  
(Dean, Graduate Studies)