SCHOLARSHIP BENEFITS

• Up to eight semesters of funding.
  • Georgia residents: a Tuition and Fees Scholarship (valued about $12,500 annually*).
  • Out-of-state students: A Tuition Waiver (valued about $21,000 annually and reducing cost to in-state rate).

• Retreats focused on developing scholars as citizens of Georgia Tech and the larger world.

• A pre-enrollment Tech Trek (offered by Outdoor Recreation Georgia Tech).

• Access to special speakers, employment opportunities, dinners, and receptions.

• Involvement in a close-knit student community complete with peer mentoring and staff support.

• Specialized mentoring from professional staff in the Office of Special Scholarships including guidance in applying for prestigious national fellowships.

* The package assumes the scholar has received the Zell Miller Scholarship independently from the state of Georgia.
AN INVESTMENT, NOT A REWARD

We are looking for students who recognize the Gold Scholarship is not a reward for four years of accumulated achievements, but rather an investment in a lifetime of accomplishments.

QUALIFYING

About 20,000 high school seniors are expected to apply for admission by the Early Action deadline each year (October 15); 325 of those will be selected as semifinalists for Stamps President’s and Gold Scholarships in mid-January. The semifinalist pool of students will participate in an interview locally or by video conference. All semifinalists will be asked to submit additional documentation, including a resume.

Around 100 finalists will be named in February and invited to campus for additional activities and interviews. Those who choose to attend Georgia Tech the next fall will join the Office of Special Scholarships community as either a Gold or Stamps President’s Scholar.

Kate Schaffer
Third-Year Gold Scholar

“Gold Scholars are passionate about all of their pursuits – both academic and otherwise. I come away from every conversation with a Gold Scholar more informed and more inspired. Being a part of this dynamic community of learners has enriched my Georgia Tech experience.”

Benjamin Ahn
Second-Year Gold Scholar

“Whether it’s whitewater rafting, sharing coffee, or high-fiving on the way to class, I’ve loved being in such a supportive community of high-achieving, talented scholars from all different majors and of all different ages. This inspires me to be a better student and a better person. A class is a class, no matter what school you go to, but being a part of the Gold Scholar community has been one of the unique, special parts of my college experience.”