## **Jackson State Success & Innovation Scholarship Scoring Rubric**

## For Fall 2025 Applicants

Socio-Economic Status	Age 23+	1 <sup>st</sup> Generation College Student — (Yes, if your parents/guardians have <u>not</u> earned a 4-year bachelor's degree)	Military Service	Retention of Student – Time to Completion
30 points max	20 points	10 points	10 points	30 points max
Unmet Need 10000 or more - 30 pts 5000 to 9999 - 20 pts 1000 to 4999 - 10 pts 1 to 999 - 5 pts	Age at the time of scholarship application.	Self-identify on the scholarship application.	Self-identify on the scholarship application.	Retention of Student – Time to Completion (30 points) 0-15 credit hours left to obtain degree (30 pts) 16-30 credit hours left to obtain degree (25 pts) 31-45 credit hours left to obtain degree (20 pts) 46 or more credit hours left to obtain a degree (10 pts)
Students on Financial Aid Suspension are not eligible. Financial need considers all financial assistance applied to the JSCC student account. Students with zero Unmet financial needs determined by Financial Aid will get zero points for need.				For retention, use the degree works proposal for hours remaining toward a degree program. The goal is to award the highest points to students with the fewest hours remaining in their degree program. This scholarship is only for courses that are required for a degree.  Students with a degree (Associate or higher) are NOT eligible for this scholarship.  Eligibility is limited to 8 semesters of award with a maximum of 63 credit hours.
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