

Federal Academic Competitiveness Grant (AC Grant) Year 2 – Second Year Students
\$1300 award for Sophomore Grade Level
Rules as of July 1, 2009

Students must meet the following eligibility criteria:

- Have a grade level of sophomore
- Be enrolled at least half-time
- Pell Grant Census Date is used to determine enrollment status
- Federal Pell Grant Recipient
- Completed high school after January 1, 2005
- Has “financial need” as defined by federal regulations (No overaward tolerance)
- Has not previously received a 2nd year AC Grant...can only receive grant for one year
- Cumulative GPA of at least a 3.0 by the end of the freshman grade level (the semester in which the student progresses to sophomore standing)
- Transfer student provisions (transferring to JMU after completing one academic year) - Begin enrollment at JMU after completing their freshman grade level with a cumulative GPA for the courses accepted by JMU of at least a 3.0