PRIVATEER PLEDGE

Starting Fall 2020, UNO will offer the Privateer Pledge, a promise that the University will fill the unmet financial need for tuition and fees of eligible New Orleans students. All gift aid is applied, which includes but is not limited to TOPS, LA Go Grant, Pell Grant, SEOG, Institutional and Private Donor Scholarships. If eligible for the Privateer Pledge, a notation will be made on the student’s award package for the aid year after a review is completed by Office of Student Financial Aid and Scholarships.

- **Eligibility Requirements:**

  Student must reside in Orleans Parish and have graduated from a school in Orleans Parish. In addition, students must:

  - Meet admissions requirements.
  - Pell eligible
  - Family income of $60,000 or less per year
  - Admitted, filed FAFSA and completed all necessary additional documentation (i.e. verification by May 15th)
  - Enrolled full-time for fall by July 1, 2020
  - Recipient signs contract agreeing to fulfill the following semester requirements:
    - Maintain a 2.0 overall GPA
    - Enroll full-time
    - Meet with academic advisor twice per semester
    - Attend 95% of classes

- **Maintenance Requirements:**

  - Meet satisfactory academic progress as defined by the Department of Education (SAP Policy).
  - Continuous full-time enrollment (fall and spring semesters)
  - Maintain a 2.0 GPA

The University of New Orleans reserves the right to modify the policy that governs these awards.