The University of Massachusetts (UMass) is offering 2+ scholarships to provide recognition of and financial assistance to outstanding students. The scholarships will be awarded to sophomore, junior, or senior level students.

Students selected for the **Putnam UMass Scholarship** must meet the following minimum qualifications:

- Be currently enrolled full-time at one of the sponsoring UMass campuses - Amherst, Boston, Dartmouth, or Lowell
- Be a matriculated undergraduate student
- Have an overall GPA of 3.0

- Submit the following:
  1. Completed and signed Scholarship Application Form
  2. Resume
  3. Current Transcript (unofficial is acceptable)
  4. Letter of Recommendation (optional)
  5. Essay addressing the below questions. Please answer questions on a separate page(s) and attach to the application. Please limit each answer to a maximum of 500 words and include your name on each page.
    - Why have you chosen your current course of study at UMass?
    - Choose a person or persons you admire and explain why.
    - Describe how being awarded the **Putnam UMass Scholarship** will help you achieve your educational and career goals.

Form revised: 10/24/14

**Application Deadline Date:** March 15, 2016

To submit completed application: Scan and email application to scholarships@uml.edu  
**OR** Fax to 978-934-3009 **OR** drop off at The Solution Center

*Please include your name and student ID on your essay and submit it with this application and your transcript.*