

A Closer Look

Doctor of Optometry Traditional vs. Accelerated Scholars Program

Traditional

\$162,040

Total cost of degree
based on 2018-19 tuition.

4 years

15-months of clinical externships

17-week
Semesters

145

Class Size

Accelerated Scholars

\$123,300

Total cost of degree
based on 2018-19 tuition.

3 years

12-months of clinical externships

12-week
Quarters

12-14

Class Size



Accelerated Scholars Application Criteria

- **3.5+** Cumulative GPA*
- **330+** OAT Academic score*
- Must have a **completed Bachelor's degree**
- **Multiple Mini-Interview (MMI)** | 8-10 interviews
- Applicants must have **100 hours of patient care interaction** prior to enrollment

(*GPA and OAT scores are evaluated on a case-by-case basis)

Scholarships are available for both programs.