Launched in 2014, the Austin E. Knowlton Memorial Scholarship supports a student from Ohio with up to $18,000 in financial aid over four years. Preference is given to students who are interested in majoring in mathematics or a related field. Students who receive the Knowlton Scholarship their first year will have the scholarship renewed in subsequent years provided they demonstrate sufficient academic progress. 

To apply to Kenyon College and be considered for the Austin E. Knowlton Memorial Scholarship, please contact us. See information on the opposite side.

AUSTIN E. “DUTCH” KNOWLTON

Austin E. “Dutch” Knowlton was the owner and chairman of the Knowlton Construction Company, an organization started in Bellefontaine, Ohio, in 1937 and whose predecessors dated back to 1906. Mr. Knowlton, through his company, was responsible for over 600 major and significant construction projects in Ohio and the Midwest, including school buildings, hospitals, libraries and post offices. Mr. Knowlton was a 1927 graduate of Bellefontaine High School and of The Ohio State University, class of 1931, where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Architectural Engineering. He became an avid sportsman with a 50-year interest in saddle-bred horses, an original founding partnership of the Cincinnati Bengals where he served as chairman, a major ownership interest for many years in the Cincinnati Reds, and a trusteeship of the Little Brown Jug Society for harness racing in Delaware, Ohio. Mr. Knowlton also was a leading philanthropist with the Ohio State School of Architecture named in his honor.
Superb professors who get to know you personally. Smart and creative students who form lifelong friendships. Small classes where nobody is anonymous. A grounding in the traditional liberal arts and sciences: the best preparation for life. Interdisciplinary programs and perspectives, because knowledge is about connections. Flexible requirements, so you can explore, experiment, and take some risks. Challenge. Kenyon professors set high standards, and help you meet them. Collaboration, one-on-one with professors and other students. Relationships, the lifeblood of everything here, both in and out of class. Beauty. Come visit and see for yourself. Fun. See “smart,” “creative,” “friendships” above.

KENYON AT A GLANCE

HISTORY
Founded in 1824, Kenyon is the first private college in Ohio.

ENROLLMENT
1,600 (53% women, 47% men) from 50 states and 33 foreign countries.

STUDENT-FACULTY RATIO
10:1

DEGREE OFFERED
Bachelor of Arts

CAMPUS
1,200 acres, on the National Register of Historic Places

ACADEMIC PROGRAM
Liberal arts and sciences, including majors in all traditional fields, plus interdisciplinary programs.

OFF-CAMPUS STUDY
More than 150 approved programs in over 50 countries, including Kenyon programs in England, Belize, and Italy.

STUDENT LIFE
From a capella to Zen, from poetry to politics, students energize the campus, benefiting from excellent facilities and College support.

ADMISSIONS
Kenyon selects for admission top students who are academically and extracurricularly engaged community members.

FINANCIAL AID
About 66% of students receiving financial aid, which includes both need-based aid and academic scholarships.