

Washington State Financial Aid Programs

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Public Purpose	Program	Anticipated Expenditures	Estimated Recipients
Need-Based/ Access	Washington College Grant Need-based grant for resident undergraduates and apprentices whose current income is at or below 100% of median family income. Washington College Grant Apprenticeships	\$428 million	91,500
	Need-based grant for resident students in approved apprenticeship programs whose current income is at or below 100% of median family income	\$2 million	600
	College Bound Scholarship Need-based grant for low-income undergraduates whose current income is at or below 65% of median family income	\$14.8 million	17,800
	Washington Bridge Grant Stipend to supplement higher education financial support, beyond tuition and fees, for low-income students who are WCG-eligible but not College Bound-eligible	\$27.6 million	53,600
	State Work Study Part-time employment opportunities for low- and middle-income undergraduate and graduate students. Funds include about \$5 million in employer contributions.	\$12.8 million	4,200
	Passport to Careers Scholarships and support services for eligible former foster youth.		
	Passport to College Promise Program Scholarships to students	\$5.12 million	1,260
	Passport to College Promise Incentive Grant Program Funding for institutions to provide support services	\$1.79 million	1,200
	Passport to Apprenticeship Opportunities Funding for students pursuing apprenticeships and pre-apprenticeships	\$342,000	70
	Supplemental Education and Transition Plan (SETUP) Funding for college preparation support and postsecondary plan initiation.	\$343,000	280
Merit	American Indian Endowed Scholarship Competitive scholarship for high-achieving, low-income resident students who have close social and cultural ties to an American Indian tribe or community within the state.	\$12,000	10
	Washington Award for Vocational Excellence (WAVE) Competitive scholarship for high-performing Career and Technical Education (CTE) students to help pay the cost of postsecondary expenses.	\$1.138 million	190
Targeted Workforce	Washington Health Corps Loan repayment assistance for health professionals serving in critical shortage areas.		
	State Health Program (SHP) State-only funds. Funds obligated 2022-23 to be disbursed over three year service obligation	\$8.8 million	130
	Behavioral Health Program (BHP) State-only funds. Funds obligated 2022-23 to be disbursed over three year service obligation	\$6 million	100
	Federal Health Program (FHP) Federal/State match funds. Funds obligated 2022-23 to be disbursed over two-year service obligation	\$1.5 million	25
	Nurse Educator Program (NEP) State-only funds. Funds obligated 2022-23 to be disbursed over two-year service obligation	\$3 million	50
	Aerospace Loan Program Loan program for the certificate training program.	\$89,000	10
	Teacher Conditional Scholarships and Grant Programs Supports prospective and current teachers to obtain credentials and shortage-area endorsements.		
	Alternative Routes to Teacher Certification Condtional scholarship designed to provide financial aid to encourage people to become teachers through an alternative route certification program	\$800,000	100
	Pipeline for Paraeducators Conditional scholaship designed to support paraeducators and recruting Washington Teachers alumni who wish to become teachers by providing financial aid for the completion of an Associate of Arts Degree	\$48,000	12
	Educator Retooling Conditional Scholarship Supports Washington State certified educators looking to add a shortage area endorsement to their certificate	\$276,000	90
	Teacher Shortage Conditional Scholarship Need-based conditional scholarship that is designed to encourage persons to become teachers and to retain these teachers in shortage areas	\$1.79 million	225
	Student Teacher Grant Program Need-base grant that supports student teachers at Title 1 public schools in Washington State	\$552,000	70
	National Guard Grant Supports new recruits and current servicemembers to obtain an AA, BA, or certificate.	\$1.125 million	370