



Iowa's Financial Aid - By the Numbers

200 members serving **561,288** students

► **State Scholarships**
27,246 awards made
for over **\$61.8** million

There are several types of state scholarships, which are appropriated by the State of Iowa. The students are not required to pay this money back.

► **Federal CWS**
8,369 awards made
for over **\$13.9** million

Federal College Work Study (CWS) provides part-time jobs for students with financial need, allowing them to earn money to help pay for education expenses.

► **Federal SEOG**
25,986 awards made
for over **\$16.1** million

Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG) is for undergraduates with exceptional financial need.

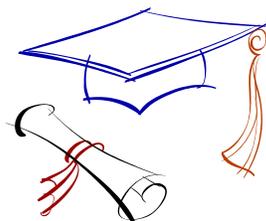


► **Federal Direct Loans**
535,736 awards made
for over **\$2.57** billion

Federal Direct Loans are low-interest loans for eligible students. By contacting the Financial Aid Offices at participating schools, eligible students can access loans offered directly through the U.S. Department of Education.

► **Perkins Loans**
16,368 awards made
for over **\$30.4** million

Federal Perkins Loans are low-interest loans for both undergraduate and graduate students with financial need.



► **Institutional Scholarships**
194,168 awards made
for over **\$1** billion

Institutional Scholarships are given based on financial need and/or academic success. The students are not required to pay this money back.

► **Institutional CWS**
37,974 awards made
for over **\$170.2** million

Institutional College Work Study (CWS) provides part-time jobs for students on campus around the state.

► **Federal Pell Grant**
220,365 awards made
for over **\$748.8** million

Federal Pell Grants are based on financial need and do not have to be paid back.



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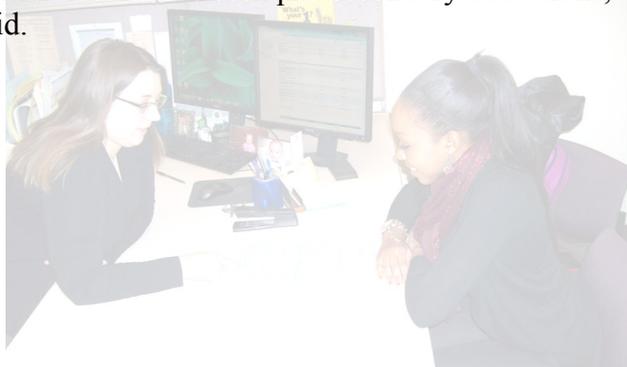


serving higher education students in Iowa since 1967...

The Iowa Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators is a dynamic organization serving practitioners, users, and providers of student financial aid programs serving individuals who seek postsecondary educations, while fostering and promoting sound statements of financial aid.

Thanks to financial aid I am able to go to college, and thanks to my financial aid advisor I am able to understand the complex process of applying for financial aid.

-Lauren Dubas, Student



The Iowa Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (IASFAA) is a private, not for profit organization that has existed for over 45 years. IASFAA provides an Iowa network of financial aid practitioners with the resources and training necessary to manage student financial aid programs. Annually, IASFAA members administer billions of dollars of financial assistance to over 500,000 students in the state of Iowa.

Our ultimate goal is to assist individuals who seek higher education, while fostering and promoting sound statements of financial aid. Our members represent over 45 of Iowa's colleges and universities, lending institutions, software and data routing providers, and loan servicers and government agencies.

The members of IASFAA have a wealth of knowledge and access to data that could prove to be very valuable to our elected officials. IASFAA wishes to be a source of information and partner in matters that concern financial assistance programs that impact Iowa students.

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2013-2014 IASFAA President



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