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**HIGHER EDUCATIONAL AIDS BOARD**

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**2020-21 TES PROGRAM ANNUAL REPORT**



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The Honorable Mark Born, Co-Chair  
Joint Committee on Finance  
State Capitol, Room 308 East  
Madison, WI 53708

The Honorable Howard Marklein, Co-Chair  
Joint Committee on Finance  
State Capitol, Room 316 East  
Madison, WI 53707

Dear Representative Born and Senator Marklein:

Enclosed is the 2020-2021 Annual Status Report for the Technical Excellence Scholarship Program. Submission of this report follows Section 39.415(8) of the Statutes which requires a yearly report regarding the Technical Excellence Scholarship Program. In addition to presenting final 2020-2021 data, preliminary data is included for the freshmen who will enroll in 2021-2022 as the seventh class of scholars since the inception of the program.

If you have any questions about this report or about the Technical Excellence Scholarship Program, please feel free to contact me by e-mail at [connie.hutchison@wi.gov](mailto:connie.hutchison@wi.gov) or phone at 267-2206.

Sincerely,

Connie Hutchison, PhD  
Executive Secretary

CC: Senator Kooyenga  
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<b>TECHNICAL EXCELLENCE SCHOLARS WISCONSIN TECHNICAL COLLEGES 2020-2021 ACADEMIC YEAR</b>					
	Freshman Scholars	Sophomore Scholars	Junior Scholars	Total Scholars	Scholarship Amount
Blackhawk	15	14	8	37	\$18,873
Chippewa Valley	41	35	14	90	75,861
Fox Valley	86	54	9	149	130,304
Gateway	29	18	11	58	41,067
Lakeshore	18	12	5	35	33,753
Madison College	57	35	19	111	92,260
MATC-Milwaukee	40	19	11	70	51,193
Mid-State	16	9	3	28	26,438
Moraine Park	26	10	8	44	39,940
Nicolet	3	6	2	11	6,751
Northcentral	35	21	12	68	50,870
Northeast WI	42	50	28	120	80,044
Southwest WI	23	11	2	36	35,740
Waukesha	49	47	25	121	77,629
Western	34	22	7	63	58,002
WI Indianhead	21	12	7	40	32,064
<b>Total</b>	535	375	171	1,081	\$850,789

Note: Table I shows actual net spent amounts and the scholars with those net spent amounts.

<b>Table II</b>				
<b>General Scholar Data</b>				
	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021
Total Scholarships Available	875	1,909	1,928	1,928
Total Scholars Enrolled In-State	784	870	939	1,081
Total Freshman Scholarships Available	875	701	701	701
Scholars Enrolled as Freshmen in Wisconsin	484	538	560	535
Alternate Scholarship Recipients	7	7	18	4
% of Eligible Freshmen Enrolled In-State	55%	76%	79%	76%

<b>Table III</b>	
<b>Preliminary Data – 2021-2022 Freshman Scholars as of August 8, 2021</b>	
Total Freshman Scholarships Available	700
Alternate Scholarships (of 700 Available Scholarships)	0
Total Scholars Enrolled in Wisconsin Institutions	417
Percentage of Scholars Enrolled in Wisconsin Institutions	59%
Scholars Who Declined the Scholarship	15
Scholars Who Have Not Yet Specified College Choice	268