

**North Carolina Education Lottery Scholarship
Third Annual Report
October 2009**

The North Carolina Education Lottery commenced in March 2006 and the North Carolina State Education Assistance Authority (Authority) began identifying recipients for the North Carolina Education Lottery Scholarship in February 2007 for the 2007-08 academic year. The 2008-09 academic year was thus the second academic year in which recipients were funded with lottery proceeds.

The North Carolina Education Lottery Scholarship is designed to ensure that eligible students whose families can afford to contribute less than \$5,000 toward the student's education will receive at least a certain minimum amount of grant funding when combined with the Federal Pell Grant. For the 2008-09 year, the minimum amount was \$2,500.

Students apply for the Education Lottery Scholarship by completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) which is required to be considered for all federal and state need-based aid. Consideration for the scholarship occurs automatically based on data on the FAFSA, and students are notified of their eligibility by the institutions to which they apply. Funds are disbursed to the institutions upon confirmation from each institution that the student is enrolled.

By statute, the eligible institutions in North Carolina include:

- University of North Carolina Constituent Institutions as defined in G.S. 116-2(4)
- North Carolina Community Colleges as defined in G.S. 115D-2(2)
- Private non-profit institutions as defined in G.S. 116-22(1) or 116-43.5(a)(1)
- Hospital schools as defined in G.S. 131E-16(14) or schools of nursing affiliated with a nonprofit postsecondary institution as defined in G.S. 116-22(1).

The Authority receives funds quarterly from the North Carolina Education Lottery Commission and places the funds in a trust fund for the benefit of eligible students.

For the 2008-09 academic year, all 30,172 eligible students received funding totaling \$33,557,825, with an average scholarship of \$1,112.

2008-09 Funds Disbursed to Students by Institution

University of North Carolina

Appalachian State University	1,424,736	4.25%
East Carolina University	1,871,530	5.58%
Elizabeth City State University	307,617	0.92%
Fayetteville State University	526,769	1.57%
NC A & T State University	984,471	2.93%
NC Central University	787,993	2.35%
NC State University	1,858,398	5.54%
UNC Asheville	319,650	0.95%
UNC Chapel Hill	1,003,742	2.99%
UNC Charlotte	1,855,524	5.53%
UNC Greensboro	1,562,576	4.66%
UNC Pembroke	692,744	2.06%
UNC School of the Arts	35,446	0.11%
UNC Wilmington	884,050	2.63%
Western Carolina University	741,808	2.21%
Winston-Salem State University	739,115	2.20%

UNC Total	\$15,596,169	46.48%
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North Carolina Community Colleges

Alamance Community College	253,244	0.75%
Asheville Buncombe Technical Community College	300,657	0.90%
Beaufort County Community College	107,082	0.32%
Bladen Community College	61,620	0.18%
Blue Ridge Community College	113,666	0.34%
Brunswick Community College	137,522	0.41%
Caldwell Community College & Technical Institute	388,993	1.16%
Cape Fear Community College	527,064	1.57%
Carteret Community College	110,132	0.33%
Catawba Valley Community College	402,551	1.20%
Central Carolina Community College	188,877	0.56%
Central Piedmont Community College	978,444	2.92%
Coastal Carolina Community College	220,444	0.66%
College of the Albemarle	112,365	0.33%
Craven Community College	159,671	0.48%
Davidson County Community College	232,276	0.69%
Durham Technical Community College	181,455	0.54%

Edgecombe Community College	136,401	0.41%
Fayetteville Technical Community College	687,537	2.05%
Forsyth Technical Community College	381,450	1.14%
Gaston College	288,964	0.86%
Guilford Technical Community College	879,687	2.62%
Halifax Community College	113,835	0.34%
Haywood Community College	167,156	0.50%
Isothermal Community College	175,206	0.52%
James Sprunt Community College	91,097	0.27%
Johnston Community College	280,740	0.84%
Lenoir Community College	230,661	0.69%
Martin Community College	28,501	0.08%
Mayland Community College	73,688	0.22%
McDowell Technical Community College	93,851	0.28%
Mitchell Community College	203,648	0.61%
Montgomery Community College	48,100	0.14%
Nash Community College	113,406	0.34%
Pamlico Community College	6,016	0.02%
Piedmont Community College	132,189	0.39%
Pitt Community College	525,095	1.56%
Randolph Community College	155,425	0.46%
Richmond Community College	97,502	0.29%
Roanoke-Chowan Community College	17,706	0.05%
Robeson Community College	130,725	0.39%
Rockingham Community College	154,239	0.46%
Rowan-Cabarrus Community College	530,500	1.58%
Sampson Community College	97,132	0.29%
Sandhills Community College	224,973	0.67%
South Piedmont Community College	135,013	0.40%
Southeastern Community College	192,224	0.57%
Southwestern Community College	173,796	0.52%
Stanly Community College	165,764	0.49%
Surry Community College	283,532	0.84%
Tri-County Community College	96,867	0.29%
Vance-Granville Community College	273,817	0.82%
Wake Technical Community College	596,186	1.78%
Wayne Community College	257,745	0.77%
Western Piedmont Community College	316,737	0.94%
Wilkes Community College	275,530	0.82%
Wilson Community College	120,148	0.36%
Community College Total	\$13,653,872	40.69%

Independent Colleges and Universities

Barton College	111,258	0.33%
Belmont Abbey College	141,491	0.42%
Bennett College	19,153	0.06%
Brevard College	34,922	0.10%
Cabarrus College of Health Sciences	46,841	0.14%
Campbell University	352,528	1.05%
Catawba College	138,732	0.41%
Chowan University	51,110	0.15%
Davidson College	19,547	0.06%
Duke University	38,803	0.12%
Elon University	101,513	0.30%
Gardner Webb University	280,475	0.84%
Greensboro College	91,488	0.27%
Guilford College	163,339	0.49%
High Point University	182,910	0.55%
Johnson & Wales University-Charlotte	126,602	0.38%
Johnson C Smith University	56,031	0.17%
Lees McRae College	113,828	0.34%
Lenoir Rhyne University	148,623	0.44%
Livingstone College	64,478	0.19%
Louisburg College	46,060	0.14%
Mars Hill College	145,957	0.43%
Meredith College	212,684	0.63%
Methodist University	114,557	0.34%
Montreat College	84,530	0.25%
Mount Olive College	355,967	1.06%
NC Wesleyan College	73,342	0.22%
Peace College	88,455	0.26%
Pfeiffer University	143,486	0.43%
Queens University of Charlotte	112,498	0.34%
Salem College	69,605	0.21%
Shaw University	195,882	0.58%
St Andrews Presbyterian College	43,797	0.13%
St. Augustine's College	61,703	0.18%
Wake Forest University	69,495	0.21%
Warren Wilson College	20,163	0.06%
Wingate University	150,223	0.45%

Independent Colleges and Universities Total	\$4,272,076	12.73%
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Hospital Schools and Other Eligible Colleges

Carolinas College of Health Sciences	17,937	0.05
Mercy Nursing School	2,795	0.01
Roanoke Bible College	14,976	0.04
Hospital Schools and Other Eligible Colleges Total	\$35,708	0.10%

Total of All Colleges and Universities	\$33,557,825	100.00%
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NOTE: Percentage totals are rounded to the nearest hundreth.