Special Education Scholarships for Children with Disabilities Administered by the State Education Assistance Authority Annual Report October 1, 2014

The Special Education Scholarships for Children with Disabilities program reimburses parents/guardians for the education expenses for children who require a specialized instructional curriculum and attend a nonpublic school. The maximum grant for the 2014 spring semester was \$3,000.

Among the eligibility requirements in the first year of the program, a student must have attended a public school in the fall 2013 semester OR if enrolled in a private school, the student's parent must have claimed and been allowed the North Carolina tax credit for special education expenses of a child in a private school. As of the date of this report, parents are still submitting NC income tax returns or submitting amended returns claiming the tax credit for their 2013 fall semester expenses; thus the numbers in this report are preliminary.

The State Education Assistance Authority processed scholarship reimbursement for 235 students totaling \$654,616 as of June 30, 2014.

The following tables summarize the ages and grades of the recipients:

<u>Age</u>	Student Count	Grade Level	Student Count
6	2	Kindergarten	22
7	17	First Grade	19
8	19	Second Grade	15
9	24	Third Grade	27
10	22	Fourth Grade	27
11	27	Fifth Grade	28
12	32	Sixth Grade	33
13	26	Seventh Grade	18
14	24	Eighth Grade	17
15	14	Ninth Grade	18
16	12	Tenth Grade	6
17	10	Eleventh Grade	2
18	3	Twelfth Grade	3
19	3		
Total	235	Total	235

Most of the reimbursements were for tuition; however, nine students incurred special education and related expenses in the areas noted below.

Types of related services covered:

Counseling Services
Medication Services
Occupational Therapy
Parent Counseling and Training
Physical Therapy
Psychology Services
Recreation
Speech Language Pathology Services
Transportation

Students were enrolled in the following nonpublic schools:

School	Students
A Little Bit of Johnathan's House Christian Sch - Angier	1
ABC of NC Child Development Center - Winston-Salem - NC	1
Agape Christian Academy - Asheboro - NC	1
Alamance Christian School - Graham - NC	2
All Saints Academy - Wake Forest - NC	3
Anath Christian Academy - Rutherfordton - NC	1
Atlas International School - Raleigh - NC	1
Brisbane Academy - Charlotte - NC	2
Carmel Christian School - Matthews - NC	1
Carolina Day School - Asheville - NC	4
Central Academy at Lake Park - Indian Trail - NC	3
Charlotte Preparatory School - Charlotte - NC	1
Charlotte United Christian Acad - Charlotte - NC	3
Chesterbrook Academy of Raleigh - Raleigh - NC	1
Cornerstone Christian Academy - Hickory - NC	1
Cornerstone Christian Academy - Statesville - NC	1
Covenant Day School - Matthews - NC	2
Crossway Academy - Charlotte - NC	1
Cyzner Institute - Charlotte - NC	1
Dream Big Christian Academy K-12 - Dunn - NC	1
First Assembly Christian School- Concord-NC	1
Flaming Sword Christian Academy – Fayetteville NC	11
Fletcher Academy - Raleigh - NC	13
Fletcher School - Charlotte - NC	9
Franciscan Catholic School - Raleigh - NC	1
Friendship Christian School - Raleigh - NC	6

Gaston Day School - Gastonia - NC	1
Grace Christian School - Sanford - NC	1
Great Accomplishments Academy - Pikeville - NC	5
Greensboro Day School - Greensboro - NC	1
Hayworth Christian School-High Point-NC	1
Hickory Baptist Christian School - Charlotte - NC	3
Hickory Grove Christian School- Charlotte- NC	1
Hill Center - Durham - NC	1
Hill School of Wilmington - Wilmington - NC	3
Hobgood Academy - Hobgood - NC	1
Home Schools	6
Hopewell Academy - Cary - NC	2
Immaculata Catholic School - Durham - NC	1
Immaculata Catholic School - Hendersonville - NC	2
Jarvisburg Christian Academy - Jarvisburg - NC	2
Johnathan's House Christian Acad - Kipling - NC	4
Johnathan's House Christian School - Raeford - NC	4
Jordan Lake School of the Arts - Apex - NC	1
Just Right Academy - Chapel Hill - NC	1
Lake Norman Christian School - Davidson - NC	1
Learn with the Best School - Cary - NC	2
Liberty Christian Academy - Fayetteville - NC	2
Liberty Christian Academy - Ellenboro - NC	1
Light of Wisdom School-Asheville-NC	1
Longleaf Academy - Southern Pines - NC	6
Manus Academy - Charlotte - NC	2
Mintz Christian Academy - Roseboro - NC	2
Morganton Day School - Morganton - NC	1
Mount Zion Christian Academy - Durham - NC	1
Mountain Island Day School –Charlotte-NC	1
Myrtle Grove Christian School - Wilmington - NC	1
Neuse Christian Academy - Raleigh - NC	2
New Independence Academy - Pikeville - NC	4
Noble Academy - Greensboro - NC	13
North Hills Christian School - Salisbury - NC	1
North Raleigh Christian Academy - Raleigh - NC	1
O'Neal School - Southern Pines - NC	1
Oasis Day School - Wilmington - NC	3
Our Children's Community School - Greensboro NC	3
Philips Academy - Charlotte - NC	6
Piedmont School - High Point - NC	15
Rainbow Mtn. Children`s Sch Asheville - NC	2
Redeemer School - Winston Salem - NC	1
Reflections of Christ Christian Acad - Hildebran	1
Rejoice Community School-Wake Forest-NC	1

Rising Star Christian Academy- Wake Forest-NC	1
Rising Star Christian School - Smithfield - NC	2
Rockfish Christian Academy-Raeford-NC	1
Salem Baptist Christian School - Winston-Salem -	3
Southside Christian School - Clayton - NC	1
St. Ann Catholic School - Charlotte - NC	3
St. John's Lutheran Day Sch Winston-Salem - NC	3
St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Sch - Apex - NC	2
St. Patrick's Catholic School - Charlotte - NC	1
St. Patrick's Catholic School - Fayetteville - NC	1
St. Timothy's School - Raleigh - NC	1
Summit School - Winston-Salem - NC	6
Talented Tenth Boys Acad of NC - Charlotte - NC	1
The John Crosland School - Charlotte - NC	2
Tri-City Adventist Junior Academy - High Point -	1
Trilogy School - Raleigh - NC	2
Tutor All School - Elizabeth City - NC	1
Vance County Learning Center - Henderson - NC	3
Veritas Christian Academy - Fletcher - NC	1
Victory Baptist Church School-Henderson-NC	1
Victory Christian Academy - Gastonia - NC	1
Victory Christian School - Sylva - NC	1
Village Christian Academy - Harrisburg - NC	2
Wesleyan Christian Academy - High Point - NC	3
Willow Tree Community School - Boiling Springs -	<u>2</u>
Total	235