



## Make the Grade, Earn the Score... and Graduate!

APPLICATION OPENS

OCTOBER 1, 2020

The **Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program** was created to establish a lottery-funded scholarship program to reward any Florida high school graduate who merits recognition of high academic achievement. The graduate must enroll in a degree program, certificate program or applied technology program at an eligible Florida public or private postsecondary education institution.

- STEP 1** – Submit FFAA online at [www.FloridaStudentFinancialAidsg.org](http://www.FloridaStudentFinancialAidsg.org).
- STEP 2** – Review the Requirements for the Scholarships.
- STEP 3** – Complete Required 16 High School Course Credits with the Required GPA.
- STEP 4** – Complete Required Service Hours.
- STEP 5** – Achieve the Required Composite ACT or Combined SAT.
- STEP 6** – Enroll in Postsecondary Institution.

### FAS Florida Academic Scholars Award

**100% Scholarship Coverage** of Tuition and Applicable Fees  
\$300 for both fall and spring semesters for additional educational expenses  
Students attending a public institution will have tuition and applicable fees covered. Students attending a nonpublic institution will receive a comparable amount as noted in the Private Award Chart.

**3.5  
GPA**

3.5 GPA in the required 16 college preparatory credits calculated by Bright Futures (not rounded):  
4 – English (three must include substantial writing)  
4 – Mathematics (at or above the Algebra I level)  
3 - Natural Science (two must have substantial laboratory)  
3 - Social Science  
2 - World Language (sequential, in same language)

2020-21 Graduates:  
**ACT 29/SAT 1330**

**100**  
Community  
Service Hours

### FMS Florida Medallion Scholars

**100% Scholarship Coverage** of Tuition and Applicable Fees  
Beginning in fall 2021, FMS students enrolled in an associate degree program at a Florida College System institution will receive 100% of tuition and specific fees.

**3.0  
GPA**

3.0 GPA in the required 16 college preparatory credits calculated by Bright Futures (not rounded):  
4 – English (three must include substantial writing)  
4 – Mathematics (at or above the Algebra I level)  
3 - Natural Science (two must have substantial laboratory)  
3 - Social Science  
2 - World Language (sequential, in same language)

2020-21 Graduates:  
**ACT 25/SAT 1210**

**75**  
Community  
Service Hours

# GSV Florida Gold Seal Vocational Scholars Award

**30** Community Service Hours

**3.0 GPA**

3.0 GPA in the non-elective high school courses.  
Take at least 3 full credits in a single Career and Technical Education program.

ACT 19 Reading, 17 English, 19 Math  
SAT 24 Reading, 25 Writing/Language, 24 Math  
P.E.R.T. 106 Reading, 103 Writing, 114 Mathematics

Achieve the required minimum 3.5 unweighted GPA in the career education courses.

# GSC Florida Gold Seal CAPE Scholars Award

**30** Community Service Hours

Graduated with a standard high school diploma or its equivalent

Earn a minimum of 5 postsecondary credit hours through CAPE industry certifications that articulate for college credit.

Eligible CAPE Certifications:

<http://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/7525/urlt/goldstandardarticulationindex.xls>

Enroll as a degree or certificate-seeking student at a Florida institution in at least 6 non-remedial semester credit hours.



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AWARD AMOUNTS Gold Seal Vocational Scholars (GSV) & Gold Seal CAPE Scholars (GSC)	Credit Hour Award		Clock Hour Award
	Semester	Quarter	
Career Certificate Program (PSAV)	\$39	\$26	\$1.30
Applied Technology Diploma Program (ATD)	\$39	\$26	\$1.30
Technical Degree Education Program (AS, AAS, CCC)	\$48	\$32	\$1.60
Bachelors of Science (BS)* Bachelors of Applied Science (BAS)*	\$48	\$32	

\* GSC recipients who earn a qualifying A.S. or A.A.S degree may receive an award toward a qualifying B.S. or B.A.S. degree.

## Other Ways to Qualify:

Non-Traditional Students may qualify for Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Programs.

### Students Participating in a Home Education (HE) Program

### General Educational Development (GED) Students

### Out-of-State (OOS) Students

### Mid-Year Graduates

Please visit <https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org> or call 888-827-2004 for more information.

Academic or Merit Recognition Program	College Entrance Exams by High School Graduation Year (ACT®/SAT®)		Service Hours	Bright Futures Award
	2020 - 2021	2021-2022		
AICE - Curriculum	29/1330	29/1330	100 hours	FAS
	25/1210	25/1210	75 hours	FMS
International Baccalaureate (IB) - Curriculum	29/1330	29/1330	100 hours	FAS
	25/1210	25/1210	75 hours	FMS
National Merit® Finalists and Scholars			100 hours	FAS
			75 hours	FMS
National Hispanic Scholars			100 hours	FAS
			75 hours	FMS
Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE) - Diploma			100 hours	FAS
			75 hours	FMS
International Baccalaureate (IB) - Diploma			100 hours	FAS
			75 hours	FMS