

**IOWA COLLEGE STUDENT AID COMMISSION**  
**Iowa Vocational-Technical Tuition Grants**  
**Annual Report – FY 2012**

Iowa Code, section 261.17.7(d), requires that the Iowa College Student Aid Commission submit an annual report on the Iowa Vocational-Technical Tuition Grant Program as follows:

261.17

7. The commission shall administer this program and shall:
  - d. Make an annual report to the governor and general assembly.

The Iowa Vocational-Technical Tuition Grant provides grant assistance of up to \$1,200 to students enrolled in career education and career option programs of study at Iowa's community colleges. The program encourages students to study in programs critical to economic growth in Iowa.

The maximum award is based on a tiered system, with the goal of covering each recipient's tuition, fees, and book costs with a combination of Federal Pell Grant funds, Iowa Vocational-Technical Tuition Grant funds, and the Expected Family Contribution. In Fiscal Year 2012, 3,037 students received Iowa Vocational-Technical Tuition Grant awards averaging \$729.

**Iowa Vocational-Technical Tuition Grant**

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Recipients</u>	<u>Average Award</u>
2008	3,397	\$817
2009	3,211	\$836
2010	2,912	\$851
2011	2,966	\$825
2012	3,037	\$729