

STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES**Summary of 2020-21 State Funded Financial Aid Programs for Community College Students**

The N.C. Community College Grant Program – Since 1991, the State Board of Community Colleges has been authorized by G.S. 115D-40.1(c) to approve disbursement of need-based financial assistance to community college students. During the 2020-21 fiscal year, 20,057 students received \$14,314,094 in Community College Grants. This represents a decrease of 2260 students and a decrease of \$5,014,429 from the \$19,328,523 disbursed during 2019-20. These grants are based upon the eligibility guidelines which are standard federal financial aid methodology. They are targeted at students who receive little or no Pell assistance and are below the Hope Scholarship Tax Credit threshold. The average award for students from this funding source was \$713.67.

Targeted Assistance – Since 2001, the State Board of Community Colleges has been authorized by G.S. 115D-40.1(b) to allocate no more than ten percent (10%) of the funds appropriated for Financial Assistance for Community College students to:

- (1) Students who do not qualify for need-based assistance but who enroll in low-enrollment programs that prepare students for high-demand occupations, and
- (2) Students with disabilities who have been referred by the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation and are enrolled in a community college.

During the 2020-21 fiscal year, colleges self-reported Targeted Assistance Funds totaling \$433,476 were awarded at 52 colleges that requested assistance for students in credit programs and non-credit programs. (Attached Spreadsheet)

Less Than Half Time – Since 2003, the State Board of Community Colleges has authorized “*The Less than Half-Time*” program which provides need-based assistance to students enrolled 6 hours or less (less than half-time) in certificate, diploma, or associate degree programs. During the 2020-21 fiscal year, colleges self-reported the Less than Half-Time Grant program provided \$75,517 in assistance to 33 colleges. (Attached Spreadsheet)

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**North Carolina Community College
Targeted Assistance and Less Than Half Time
Fund Expenditure
(As Reported by Colleges)**

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Colleges	College Allocation	Targeted Assistance			Less than Half Time			Total Awarded	Unexpended Funds
		# Students	Total Awarded	Avg. Award	# Students	Total Awarded	Avg. Award		
Alamance	\$9,554.00	19	\$ 8,566.00	\$ 450.84	11	\$ 988.00	\$ 89.82	\$ 9,554.00	\$0.00
Asheville-Buncombe	\$12,554.00	43	\$ 10,199.00	\$ 237.19	8	\$ 2,355.00	\$294.38	\$ 12,554.00	\$0.00
Beaufort County	\$4,007.00	24	\$ 2,987.00	\$ 124.46	9	\$ 1,020.00	\$113.33	\$ 4,007.00	\$0.00
Bladen	\$4,737.00	12	\$ 4,737.00	\$ 394.75	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,737.00	\$0.00
Blue Ridge	\$4,553.00	21	\$ 4,133.00	\$ 196.81	4	\$ 420.00	\$105.00	\$ 4,553.00	\$0.00
Brunswick	\$4,190.00	0	\$ -	\$ -	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$4,190.00
Caldwell	\$8,069.00	42	\$ 7,079.00	\$ 168.55	8	\$ 990.00	\$123.75	\$ 8,069.00	\$0.00
Cape Fear	\$18,778.00	29	\$ 14,500.00	\$ 500.00	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 14,500.00	\$4,278.00
Carteret	\$5,036.00	8	\$ 4,527.00	\$ 565.88	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,527.00	\$509.00
Catawba Valley	\$10,358.00	0	\$ -	\$ -	31	\$ 3,390.00	\$109.35	\$ 3,390.00	\$6,968.00
Central Carolina	\$10,412.00	6	\$ 10,412.00	\$ 1,735.33	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,412.00	\$0.00
Central Piedmont	\$41,738.00	93	\$ 41,738.00	\$ 448.80	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 41,738.00	\$0.00
Cleveland	\$6,954.00	42	\$ 6,324.00	\$ 150.57	5	\$ 630.00	\$126.00	\$ 6,954.00	\$0.00
Coastal Carolina	\$12,249.00	28	\$ 12,249.00	\$ 437.46	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 12,249.00	\$0.00
College of the Albemarle	\$4,651.00	11	\$ 4,651.00	\$ 422.82	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,651.00	\$0.00
Craven	\$8,062.00	42	\$ 8,062.00	\$ -	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 8,062.00	\$0.00
Davidson-Davie	\$10,673.00	3	\$ 3,230.00	\$ 1,076.67	62	\$ 6,600.00	\$106.45	\$ 9,830.00	\$843.00
Durham	\$11,031.00	46	\$ 11,031.00	\$ 239.80	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 11,031.00	\$0.00
Edgecombe	\$8,406.00	6	\$ 5,453.00	\$ 908.83	16	\$ 2,953.00	\$184.56	\$ 8,406.00	\$0.00
Fayetteville	\$38,121.00	34	\$ 33,000.00	\$ 970.59	46	\$ 5,121.00	\$111.33	\$ 38,121.00	\$0.00
Forsyth	\$9,406.00	126	\$ 9,406.00	\$ 74.65	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 9,406.00	\$0.00
Gaston	\$12,376.00	0	\$ -	\$ -	60	\$ 6,360.00	\$106.00	\$ 6,360.00	\$6,016.00
Guilford	\$34,481.00	49	\$ 25,860.75	\$ 527.77	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 25,860.75	\$8,620.25
Halifax	\$3,187.00	14	\$ 3,187.00	\$ 227.64	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,187.00	\$0.00
Haywood	\$4,425.00	37	\$ 4,085.00	\$ 110.41	3	\$ 270.00	\$ 90.00	\$ 4,355.00	\$70.00
Isothermal	\$5,533.00	9	\$ 3,150.00	\$ 350.00	15	\$ 2,010.00	\$134.00	\$ 5,160.00	\$373.00
James Sprunt	\$4,727.00	12	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 333.33	6	\$ 727.00	\$121.17	\$ 4,727.00	\$0.00
Johnston	\$8,649.00	18	\$ 7,929.00	\$ 440.50	8	\$ 720.00	\$ 90.00	\$ 8,649.00	\$0.00
Lenoir	\$6,627.00	10	\$ 5,880.00	\$ 588.00	4	\$ 475.00	\$118.75	\$ 6,355.00	\$272.00
Martin	\$2,244.00	12	\$ 2,094.00	\$ 174.50	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00	\$ 2,244.00	\$0.00
Mayland	\$2,809.00	11	\$ 2,389.00	\$ 217.18	4	\$ 420.00	\$105.00	\$ 2,809.00	\$0.00
McDowell	\$2,983.00	8	\$ 2,563.00	\$ 320.38	4	\$ 420.00	\$105.00	\$ 2,983.00	\$0.00
Mitchell	\$6,229.00	12	\$ 3,349.00	\$ 279.08	22	\$ 2,580.00	\$117.27	\$ 5,929.00	\$300.00
Montgomery	\$2,484.00	32	\$ 1,644.00	\$ 51.38	8	\$ 840.00	\$105.00	\$ 2,484.00	\$0.00

**North Carolina Community College
Targeted Assistance and Less Than Half Time
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(As Reported by Colleges)**

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Colleges	College Allocation	Targeted Assistance			Less than Half Time			Total Awarded	Unexpended Funds
		# Students	Total Awarded	Avg. Award	# Students	Total Awarded	Avg. Award		
Nash	\$8,114.00	32	\$ 8,114.00	\$ 253.56	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 8,114.00	\$0.00
Pamlico	\$1,959.00	6	\$ 982.00	\$ 163.67	6	\$ 977.00	\$162.83	\$ 1,959.00	\$0.00
Piedmont	\$2,949.00	4	\$ 1,301.00	\$ 325.25	15	\$ 1,648.00	\$109.87	\$ 2,949.00	\$0.00
Pitt	\$26,748.00	35	\$ 18,362.21	\$ 524.63	15	\$ 8,385.79	\$559.05	\$ 26,748.00	\$0.00
Randolph	\$7,299.00	14	\$ 7,299.00	\$ 521.36	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 7,299.00	\$0.00
Richmond	\$9,373.00	10	\$ 3,591.00	\$ 359.10	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,591.00	\$5,782.00
Roanoke-Chowan	\$2,865.00	6	\$ 1,540.00	\$ 256.67	16	\$ 1,325.00	\$ 82.81	\$ 2,865.00	\$0.00
Robeson	\$7,074.00	6	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 333.33	39	\$ 5,070.00	\$130.00	\$ 7,070.00	\$4.00
Rockingham	\$4,458.00	16	\$ 4,301.00	\$ 268.81	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,301.00	\$157.00
Rowan-Cabarrus	\$14,813.00	14	\$ 14,813.00	\$ 1,058.07	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 14,813.00	\$0.00
Sampson	\$4,480.00	19	\$ 4,090.00	\$ 215.26	4	\$ 390.00	\$ 97.50	\$ 4,480.00	\$0.00
Sandhills	\$9,022.00	15	\$ 9,022.00	\$ 601.47	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 9,022.00	\$0.00
South Piedmont	\$4,381.00	0	\$ -	\$ -	32	\$ 3,390.00	\$105.94	\$ 3,390.00	\$991.00
Southeastern	\$4,811.00	5	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 600.00	5	\$ 1,811.00	\$362.20	\$ 4,811.00	\$0.00
Southwestern	\$6,258.00	8	\$ 5,947.00	\$ 743.38	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,947.00	\$311.00
Stanly	\$7,003.00	0	\$ -	\$ -	57	\$ 5,880.00	\$103.16	\$ 5,880.00	\$1,123.00
Surry	\$6,810.00	14	\$ 6,810.00	\$ 486.43	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 6,810.00	\$0.00
Tri-County	\$3,510.00	11	\$ 1,755.00	\$ 159.55	15	\$ 1,755.00	\$117.00	\$ 3,510.00	\$0.00
Vance-Granville	\$7,010.00	14	\$ 7,010.00	\$ 500.71	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 7,010.00	\$0.00
Wake	\$44,820.00	48	\$ 44,820.00	\$ 933.75	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 44,820.00	\$0.00
Wayne	\$9,047.00	25	\$ 8,297.00	\$ 331.88	8	\$ 750.00	\$ 93.75	\$ 9,047.00	\$0.00
Western Piedmont	\$5,121.00	12	\$ 5,121.00	\$ 426.75	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,121.00	\$0.00
Wilkes	\$7,086.00	46	\$ 6,886.00	\$ 149.70	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 6,886.00	\$0.00
Wilson	\$4,696.00	0	\$ -	\$ -	33	\$ 4,696.00	\$142.30	\$ 4,696.00	\$0.00
Total	\$550,000.00	1219	\$433,475.96	\$ 355.60	580	\$75,516.79	\$130.20	\$ 508,992.75	\$40,807.25