

Table 5.0a of the 2008 ISAC Data Book
Specialized Scholarship and Grant Programs
Award and Payout Summary FY2004-FY2008

Program	2004		2005		2006		2007		2008	
	# Awards	\$ Payout	# Awards	\$ Payout	# Awards	\$ Payout	# Awards	\$ Payout	# Awards	\$ Payout
Merit Recognition Scholarship Program *	4,491	\$4,426,000	5,458	\$5,372,000	--	--	--	--	--	--
Illinois Veteran Grant Program	11,815	19,211,591	11,511	19,217,037	12,030	19,234,583	11,781	\$19,176,749	11,462	\$19,223,139
Illinois National Guard Grant Program	2,001	\$4,497,343	1,698	\$4,216,713	1,962	\$4,447,013	1,821	\$4,462,432	1,897	\$4,470,595
Dependents' Grant Programs	74	\$270,430	69	\$349,997	67	\$342,569	71	\$454,447	74	\$469,426
Student-to-Student Grant Program	2,983	\$949,992	3,427	\$949,576	3,250	\$949,951	3,080	\$949,975	3,028	\$949,994
Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship Prog	1,082	\$1,582,501	1,074	\$1,589,986	1,054	\$1,536,868	1,037	\$1,545,500	1,067	\$1,571,593
Higher Education License Plate Program	212	\$53,100	206	\$51,650	207	\$51,750	211	\$52,000	207	\$51,675
Optometric Education Scholarship Program	10	\$50,000	10	\$50,000	10	\$50,000	10	\$50,000	10	\$50,000
Bonus Incentive Grant Program *#	1,252	\$649,880	399	\$219,000	1,071	\$648,820	942	\$648,920	427	\$322,220
Monetary Award Program Plus**	--	--	--	--	--	--	59,700	\$26,564,500	--	--
Veterans' Home Nurse Loan Repayment Program	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	18	\$44,313
<u>Teacher Programs</u>										
IL Future Teachers Corp Program	1,053	\$6,256,882	555	\$3,770,517	557	\$3,795,464	564	\$3,824,127	549	\$3,823,541
Minority Teachers of IL Scholarship Prog	631	\$2,959,477	607	\$2,817,073	604	\$2,866,965	601	\$2,891,974	583	\$2,715,787
IL Teacher/Child Care Providers Ln Repay Prog #	29	\$148,886	48	\$230,791	102	\$497,639	112	\$485,146	111	\$498,926
Nurse Educator Scholarship Program	--	--	--	--	--	--	28	\$446,792	79	\$1,202,133
Nurse Educator Loan Repayment Program	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	54	\$239,686
Illinois Scholars (Golden Apple)	346	\$3,514,300	345	\$3,020,000	345	\$3,020,000	349	\$3,200,000	342	\$2,900,000

* Awards provided to top 2 1/2 percent of high school graduating classes in FY1998 and FY1999, top 5 percent beginning in FY2000, and changed to top 3 1/2 percent in FY2003. The MRS Program was expanded in FY2001 to include students whose college admission test scores were in the 95th percentile of the state's scores or who ranked in the top 5 percent of their high school class. The MRS Program has not been funded since the 2005-06 academic year.

*# No appropriation was initially made for the BIG Program for FY2005. The lack of initial funding led to a reduction in the number of claims.

** The Monetary Award Program Plus was authorized only for the 2006-07 academic year.

Payout in FY2004 includes \$11,448 in administrative expenses.