

NYS Scholarships for Academic Excellence

Information about eligibility, award amount, duration, award calculation, and revocation is explained in the link below:

<https://www.hesc.ny.gov/pay-for-college/financial-aid/types-of-financial-aid/nys-grants-scholarships-awards/nys-scholarships-for-academic-excellence.html>

Important Notes:

There is no application process, as this is awarded based on selection criteria set forth by the Scholarships for Academic Excellence. A high school must use uniform criteria for the selection of scholarship nominees, applicable to all competing students, such criteria to be in accordance with the requirements.

- ESM uses Method B: Rank in class
 - Class rank of students at the end of their junior year
 - In the case of a tie, the high school may determine rank order by lottery among individuals having the same class rank.
 - The number of scholarship winners is determined by the New York State Education Department based on the number of scholarships available.