



### **Florida Gold Seal Vocational Scholars Disbursement History**

The Florida Gold Seal Vocational Scholars (GSV) award has not experienced the same growth as the Florida Academic Scholars and Florida Medallion Scholars awards. Student academic criteria to earn the GSV award differ from the 15 college preparatory courses. GSV students must meet the required:

- 3.0 GPA on the core credits required for high school graduation,
- 3.5 GPA in a minimum of three vocational courses in one vocational program,
- Test scores to qualify for a GSV award. The required test scores are available at [www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/ssfad/bf/gsvrequire.htm](http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/ssfad/bf/gsvrequire.htm)

The chart on the next page shows the GSV Scholars disbursement history.

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Academic Year	Total Disbursed Scholarships	% Change from Previous Year	% Change from 1997	Total Disbursed Funds	% Change from Previous Year	% Change from 1997	Average Cost per Award	% Change from Previous Year	% Change from 1997
1997-98	10,665			\$10,431,788			\$978		
1998-99	9,335	-12%	-12%	\$10,049,353	-4%	-4%	\$1,077	10%	10%
1999-00	6,309	-32%	-41%	\$7,588,704	-24%	-27%	\$1,203	12%	23%
2000-01	4,102	-35%	-62%	\$5,052,404	-33%	-52%	\$1,232	2%	26%
2001-02	2,986	-27%	-72%	\$3,493,754	-31%	-67%	\$1,170	-5%	20%
2002-03	2,626	-12%	-75%	\$3,242,029	-7%	-69%	\$1,235	6%	26%
2003-04	2,599	-1%	-76%	\$3,411,112	5%	-67%	\$1,312	6%	34%
2004-05	2,615	1%	-75%	\$3,609,404	6%	-65%	\$1,380	5%	41%
2005-06	2,799	7%	-74%	\$4,067,923	13%	-61%	\$1,453	5%	49%
2006-07	1,502	-46%	-86%	\$2,221,381	-45%	-79%	\$1,479	2%	51%
2007-08	1,606	7%	-85%	\$2,426,919	9%	-77%	\$1,511	2%	55%
2008-09	1,636	2%	-85%	\$2,659,540	9%	-75%	\$1,626	7%	66%
<b>Total</b>	<b>47,144</b>			<b>\$55,594,771</b>			<b>\$1,179</b>		