

Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program
Florida Gold Seal CAPE Scholarship (GSC)
2018-19

Initial Eligibility Requirements (As determined by the Department of Education)

1. Submit the Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) by August 31 of senior year of high school,
2. Earn a minimum of 5 postsecondary credit hours through CAPE industry certifications that articulate for college credit, and
3. Complete at least 30 service hours.

Eligible CAPE Certifications:

<http://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/7525/urlt/goldstandardarticulationindex.xls>

Requirements to Receive an Award (As determined by your postsecondary institution)

1. Evaluated by Office of Student Financial Assistance (OSFA) as meeting the initial eligibility requirements,
2. Graduated with a standard high school diploma or its equivalent,
3. Be a Florida resident and U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen, and
4. Enroll as a degree- or certificate-seeking student at a Florida institution in at least 6 non-remedial semester credit hours.

Note: If not funded the year after graduating from high school, student must apply within 2 years of graduating from high school to have the award reinstated.

Scholarship Restrictions

Until a student has earned an eligible associate degree, Gold Seal CAPE (GSC) scholarships may only be used at postsecondary institutions that offer an applied technology diploma, technical degree education program (associate in applied science or associate in science), or a career certificate program.

Upon completion of an eligible associate degree program, a GSC Scholar may also receive an award for a maximum of 60 credit hours toward an eligible baccalaureate degree.

Renewal Requirements (As determined by grade and hours submitted by your postsecondary institution)

Students must earn the number of credit hours based on their enrollment type per term.

For detailed information, please refer to the Bright Futures Student Handbook.

These eligibility requirements are subject to change with each legislative session.

The student is responsible for tracking application and award status online, and ensuring that funding for an academic year is accurate by contacting their institution's financial aid office.

**Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program
Florida Gold Seal Vocational Scholarship (GSV)
2018-19**

Initial Eligibility Requirements (As determined by the Department of Education.)

1. Submit the Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) by August 31 of senior year of high school,
2. Achieve the required weighted 3.0 GPA in the non-elective high school courses,
3. Take at least 3 full credits in a single Career and Technical Education program,
4. Achieve the required minimum 3.5 unweighted GPA in the career education courses,
5. Complete 30 service hours, and
6. Achieve the required minimum scores on one of the college entrance exams per the chart below.

Exam Type	Sub-test	Required Score
ACT*	Reading	19
	English	17
	Mathematics	19
SAT* (Prior to March 1, 2016)	Critical Reading	440
	Mathematics	440
SAT* (March 1, 2016 and thereafter)	Reading Test	24
	Writing and Language Test	25
	Math Test	24
Postsecondary Education Readiness Test (P.E.R.T.)	Reading	106
	Writing	103
	Mathematics	114

Required test scores follow those established by Rule 6A-10.0315, Florida Administrative Rule.

Requirements to Receive an Award (As determined by your postsecondary institution.)

1. Evaluated by Office of Student Financial Assistance (OSFA) as meeting the initial eligibility requirements,
2. Graduated with a standard high school diploma or its equivalent,
3. Be a Florida resident and U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen, and
4. Enroll as a degree- or certificate-seeking student at a Florida institution in at least 6 non-remedial semester credit hours.

Note: If not funded the year after graduating from high school, student must apply within 2 years of graduating from high school to have the award reinstated.

Scholarship Restrictions

GSV may only be used at postsecondary institutions that offer an applied technology diploma, technical degree education program (associate in applied science or associate in science), or a career certificate program.

Renewal Requirements (As determined by grade and hours submitted by your postsecondary institution.)

1. Students must earn the number of credit hours based on the student's enrollment type per term, and
2. Students must maintain a minimum cumulative 2.75 GPA (unrounded and unweighted).

For detailed information, please refer to the Bright Futures Student Handbook.

These eligibility requirements are subject to change with each legislative session.

The student is responsible for tracking application and award status online, and ensuring that funding for an academic year is accurate by contacting their institution's financial aid office.

Brevard Public Schools Industry Certifications Substituting for Math or Science Credit Toward Graduation

Industry certifications that lead to college credit may substitute for up to two mathematics credits toward high school graduation and one science credit toward high school graduation. The IC mathematics waivers may not be used to substitute for Algebra 1 or Geometry requirements. The IC science waiver may not be used to substitute for the Biology 1 requirements specified in s.1003.4282 FS.

The Florida Course Code Directory lists the waiver names and numbers. You may wish to visit the Course Code Directory webpage at:

<http://www.fldoe.org/articulation/CCD/>

1200998 Industry Certification Math Waiver 1 (MA subject code)

1200999 Industry Certification Math Waiver 2 (MA subject code)

2000999 Industry Certification Science Waiver (EQ subject code).

Cert Code	Certification Title	# of Credits
ADESK002	Autodesk Certified User - AutoCAD	3
ADESK008	Autodesk Certified User – Revit Architecture	3
ADESK011	Autodesk Certified User - Autodesk Inventor	3
ADESK024	Autodesk Certified Professional - Inventor	3
ADOBE010	Adobe Certified Associate (ACA) Web Communication using Adobe Dreamweaver	3
ADOBE011	Adobe Certified Associate (ACA) Rich Media Communication Using Adobe Flash	3
CARCH002	Chief Architect Certified Apprentice	3
CPREC001	Child Development Associate	9
FDMQA030	911 Public Safety Telecommunicator	3
FEDAA013	FAA Ground School	3
HVACE001	HVAC Excellence Employment Ready - Heat Pump	4
HVACE002	HVAC Excellence Employment Ready - Air Conditioning	4
HVACE011	HVAC Excellence Employment Ready - Electrical	4
INTUT001	Quickbooks Certified User	3
MICRO017	Microsoft Office Specialist Master	3
MICRO069	Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) Bundle Certification (3 of 6)	3
MICRO080	Microsoft MTA - HTML5 Application Development Fundamentals	3
MSSCN001	MSSC Certified Production Technician (CPT)	15
NATEX001	Air Conditioning Service Technician	3
NCATT003	Aerospace/Aircraft Assembly (AAA)	9
NCCER018	NCCER HVAC - Level 1	3
NIASE076	ASE Auto Maintenance and Light Repair (G1)	3
NRAEF002	National ProStart Certificate of Achievement	3
NRAEF003	Certified Food Protection Manager (ServSafe®)	3
PROSO017	CIW JavaScript Specialist	3
PROSO020	CIW Site Development Associate	3
PROSO027	CIW Advanced HTML5 & CSS3 Specialist	3
SOLID003	Certified Solidworks Associate - Academic (CSWA-Academic)	3