

Wyoming Profile

Why State Grants Matter

State grant programs have the potential to make college possible for many students who could not otherwise afford to enroll. Grant policies vary widely across states in terms of their funding levels, whether they are based on financial or academic criteria or a combination of the two, and which students and institutions are eligible.

Wyoming Residents

23%

of Wyoming residents have a B.A. degree

75%

of Wyoming students attend an in-state college

\$52,359

Median household income in Wyoming (2010)

Colleges in Wyoming – Grants, Funding and Tuition

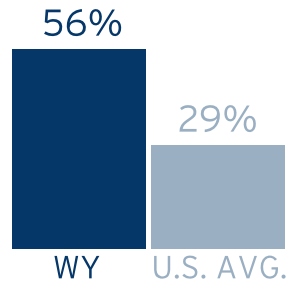
\$13,786,863

in student aid funds disbursed by

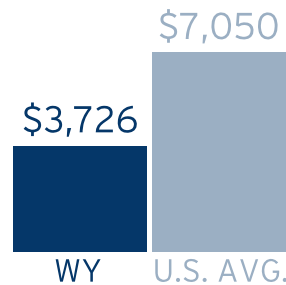
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state grant programs.

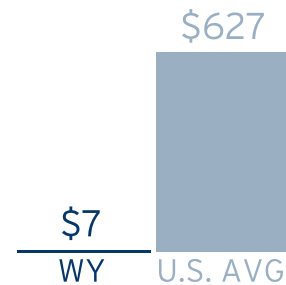
% funding of publics from state/local gov, 2008-2009



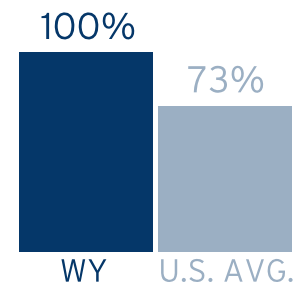
Tuition and fees, four-year public colleges, 2009-2010



Avg. state grant aid per student, 2009-2010



% grant aid based on need, 2009-2010



Largest Two Grant Programs in Wyoming

(See Appendix B of the full report for a complete listing of grant programs)

Hathaway Scholarship

Funds disbursed:
\$13,621,921

Number of recipients:
5,813

% of dollars disbursed by sector:

% of all state grants:
99%

Avg. aid per recipient:
\$2,343

DATA
UNAVAILABLE

Eligibility criteria:
Financial, Academic

LEAP

Funds disbursed:
\$164,942

Number of recipients:
274

% of dollars disbursed by sector:

% of all state grants:
1%

Avg. aid per recipient:
\$602

PUBLIC 100%
PRIVATE 0%
FOR-PROFIT 0%

Eligibility criteria:
Financial