## Summary of Middle Class Scholarship Awards and Program Changes<sup>a</sup>

## Recipients and Costs by Segment<sup>a</sup>

Segment	Recipients	Cost	Average Cost Per Recipient
California State University	69,332	\$40,384,277	\$582
University of California	16,688	17,428,435	1,044
Totals	86,020	\$57,812,712	\$672

## Eligibility Changes<sup>b</sup>

Start Year	New Rule
2015-16	Excludes students whose household assets exceed \$150,000. The asset ceiling does not include primary residences and funds in retirement accounts.
2016-17	Moving forward, requires income and asset ceilings to be adjusted for inflation.
2016-17	Moving forward, prohibits recipients from receiving assistance for more than the equivalent of four years (or, in some cases, five years) of full-time attendance. Exceptions are made for students in five-year teacher preparation programs and some engineering programs, among others.

## **Funding Changes**<sup>b</sup> (In Millions)

Budget Year	Original Appropriation <sup>c</sup>	New Appropriation		
2014-15	\$107	\$62 <sup>d</sup>		
2015-16	\$152	\$82		
2016-17	228	116		
2017-18	305	159		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> For the 2014-15 academic year, as of June 3, 2015. In 2014-15, the maximum award amount is 14 percent of tuition at CSU (\$766) and UC (\$1,707). Students with household income less than or equal to \$100,000 receive the maximum award. Students with household income of \$100,000 to \$150,000 receive an award that is graduated downward for each \$1,000 increase in income.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> As enacted by Chapter 22, Statutes of 2015, SB 81 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> As authorized under the implementing legislation—Chapter 50, Statutes of 2013, AB 94 (Committee on Budget).

d Reflects estimated expenditures as of May 2015.