Eligible New Jersey Institutions

Technical/Vocational Schools	County Colleges
Atlantic County Institute of Technology	Atlantic Cape Community College
Bergen County Technical School	Bergen Community College
Burlington County Institute of Technology	Brookdale Community College
Cape May County Technical School District	Camden County College
Career & Technical Institute of Camden County College	County College of Morris
Cumberland County Technical Education Center	Cumberland County College
Essex County Vocational Technical Schools	Essex County College
Gloucester County Institute of Technology	Hudson County Community College
Hudson County Schools of Technology	Mercer County Community College
Hunterdon County Polytech	Middlesex County College
Mercer County Technical Schools	Ocean County College
Middlesex County Vocational & Technical Schools	Passaic County Community College
Monmouth County Vocational School District	Raritan Valley Community College
Morris County Vocational School District	Rowan College at Burlington County
Ocean County Vocational Technical School	Rowan College at Gloucester County
Passaic County Technical Institute	Salem Community College
Sussex County Technical School	Sussex County Community College
Union County Vocational Technical Schools	Union County College
Warren County Vocational Technical School	Warren County Community College
Proprietary Schools	
Eastwick College	
Ho-Ho-Kus School of Trade*	

*Affiliated with Eastwick College of Nutley

The following programs listed are just some of the programs that may be available. Please check with the institution you wish to attend or visit www.njgrants.org for more information.

- Architectural Building Construction Technology
- Architectural Engineering Technology
- Building Construction Technology
- Building Maintenance
- Carpentry
- Civil Construction Engineering Technology
- Civil Engineering Technology
- Computer Aided Drafting and Design Technology
- Construction Management Technology
- Construction Supervision
- Construction Technology
- Electrical Trades
- Electronics Engineering Technology
- Engineering
- Engineering Science
- Engineering Technology
- Environmental Control Technology
- Fiber Optic Technical Specialist
- General Engineering Technology
- Heating/Refrigeration/Air Conditioning/Ventilation
- Industrial Technology
- Landscape/Design/Build
- Masonry
- Network Engineering Technology
- Plumbing
- Quality Assurance Technology
- Solar Energy Technology
- Surveying Technology
- Sustainable Energy Technology
- Technical Studies
- Welding

For additional information, call your County College Financial Aid Office
or the HESAA Customer Care Line
Monday through Thursday – 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.,
Friday – 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at
609-584-4480 or visit **www.njgrants.org**.

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Governor's Industry Vocations Scholarship
for Women & Minorities

In 2013, New Jersey introduced the Governor's Industry Vocations Scholarship (NJ-GIVS), which pays up to $2,000 per year or up to the cost of tuition, less any federal, State, or institutional aid in an eligible certificate or degree program at one of New Jersey's eligible institutions. The scholarship is funded by the Schools Development Authority (SDA) and administered in partnership with HESAA. The award benefits women and minority students pursuing a certificate or degree program in a construction-related field.

According to N.J.S.A 52:18A-240, the Schools Development Authority must set aside a portion of the revenues from its construction contracts for training programs for women and minority group members.

- Male award recipients will be required to prove they have registered with the Selective Service System. Registration is included within the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

- New Jersey grants and scholarships are limited to New Jersey residents. A New Jersey resident must have resided in the State for at least 12 consecutive months immediately prior to receiving the award.

- Students must have a high school diploma or GED equivalent to be eligible.

NOTE: Eligible non-citizens must reside in New Jersey for 12 consecutive months after receiving permanent resident status from United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) to meet the State residency requirement.

To receive an NJ-GIVS award, you must be a female or a minority group member.

- As defined at N.J.A.C. 17:46-1.2, "'Minority' means a person who is: 1) Black, which is a person having origins in any of the black racial groups in Africa; or 2) Hispanic, which is a person of Spanish or Portuguese culture, with origins in Mexico, South or Central America, or the Caribbean Islands, regardless of race; or 3) Asian American, which is a person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, Indian Subcontinent, Hawaii or the Pacific Islands; or 4) American Indian or Alaskan native, which is a person having origins in any of the original peoples of North America."

- You must file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and have an annual household income below $60,000.

- Your award may be used at any of New Jersey's 19 county colleges, county vocational technical schools or a proprietary trade school provided the school is affiliated with an institution that is eligible to participate in the New Jersey Tuition Aid Grant (TAG) program.

- New Jersey grants and scholarships are limited to U.S. citizens and eligible non-citizens who have received approval from the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) to remain in the U.S. on a permanent basis.

AWARD - PAYMENT - RENEWAL

After classes start and HESAA receives confirmation of your enrollment status and you are meeting the school's standard of satisfactory academic progress, payment will be sent to your college, vocational, or proprietary school.

The award is renewable for one year depending on the availability of SDA funds and the program in which you are enrolled. To renew for a second year, you must continue to meet all eligibility requirements and:

1. **Complete an NJ-GIVS application at www.njgrants.org**
2. **File a FAFSA**
3. **Enroll at an eligible institution**
4. **Maintain satisfactory academic progress**