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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 202

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAXIMUM SCHOLARSHIP AWARD AMOUNT  
A STUDENT MAY RECEIVE UNDER THE ARKANSAS WORKFORCE  
CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER  
PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

TO AMEND THE MAXIMUM SCHOLARSHIP AWARD  
AMOUNT A STUDENT MAY RECEIVE UNDER THE  
ARKANSAS WORKFORCE CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP  
PROGRAM.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-85-305(b)(2), concerning the maximum scholarship award a student may receive under the Arkansas Workforce Challenge Scholarship Program, is amended to read as follows:

(2) Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, the maximum scholarship award a student may receive in an academic year shall be the lesser of:

(A) ~~Eight hundred dollars (\$800)~~ One thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500); or

(B)(i) The cost of the certificate program or program of study.

(ii) The cost of a certificate program or program of study shall include:

- (a) Tuition, fees, or other charges;
- (b) Textbooks or other course materials; and



(c) Equipment needed for a course.