

Adult Learner Scholarships

award year 2011-12

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Awarding Process

Decentralized Process

- Academic and Administrative Units (42 agents)
- Approximately 4,400 scholarships

“For the Future”

- 90% completed
- Maturation timeline

Awarding Process

Applications

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a comprehensive list of
application requirements

Academic College	First-year students	Upper-class students
College of Agricultural Sciences	Application: Yes Deadline: 4/30	Application: Yes Deadline: 4/30
College of Arts and Architecture	Application: No	Application: No
Smeal College of Business	Application: No	Application: Yes Deadline: 4/30
College of Communications	Application: Yes Deadline: 4/15	Application: Yes Deadline: 4/15
College of Earth and Mineral Sciences	Application: No	Application: Yes Deadline: 4/15
College of Education	Application: Yes Deadline: 4/1	Application: Yes Deadline: 4/1
College of Engineering	Application: No	Application for college-wide scholarships: No Application for department scholarships: Yes

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Awarding Process

Student standing

- First year, continuing, or transfer student

Preference and Components

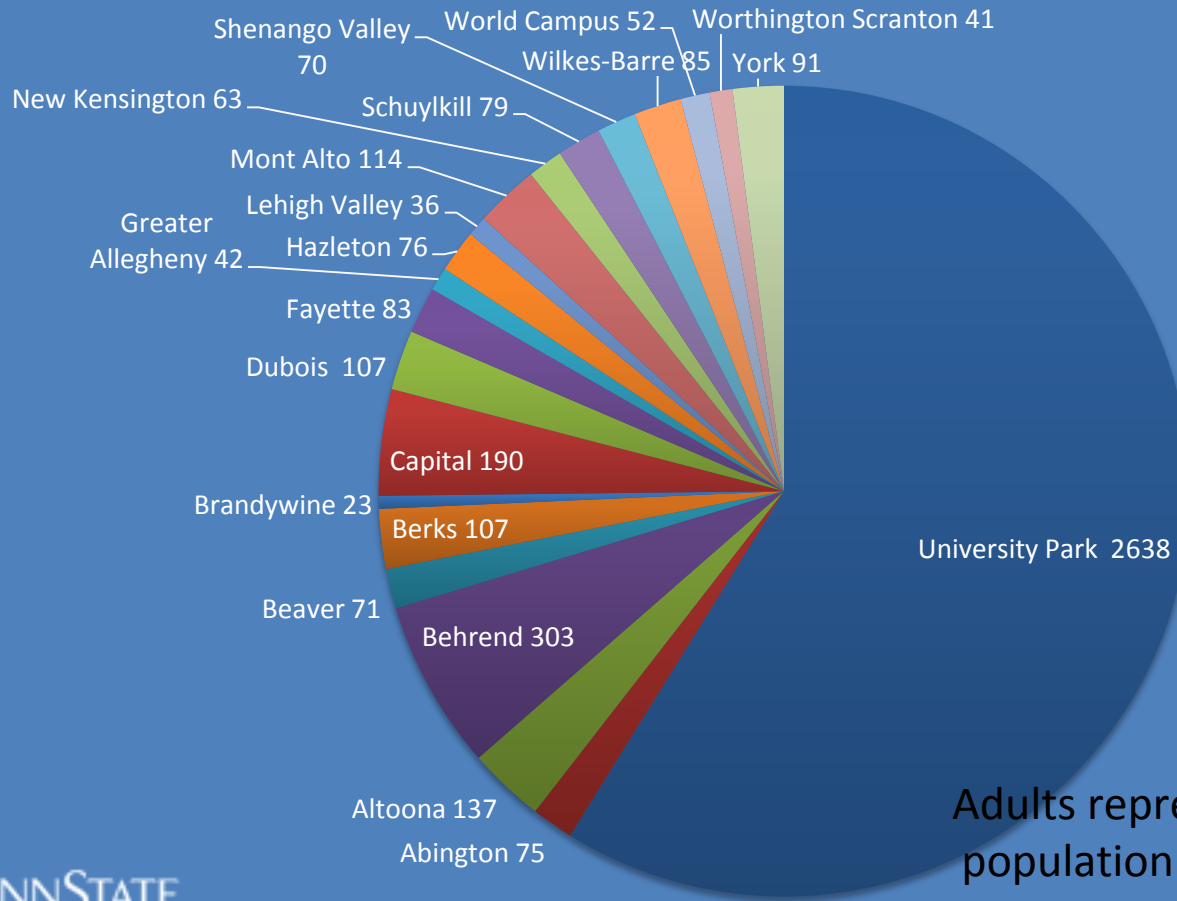
- major, academic standing, financial need (as defined by the FAFSA)

Kinds of Scholarships

- Many kinds of scholarships and programs
- Trustee Program

Trustee Scholarships Recipients

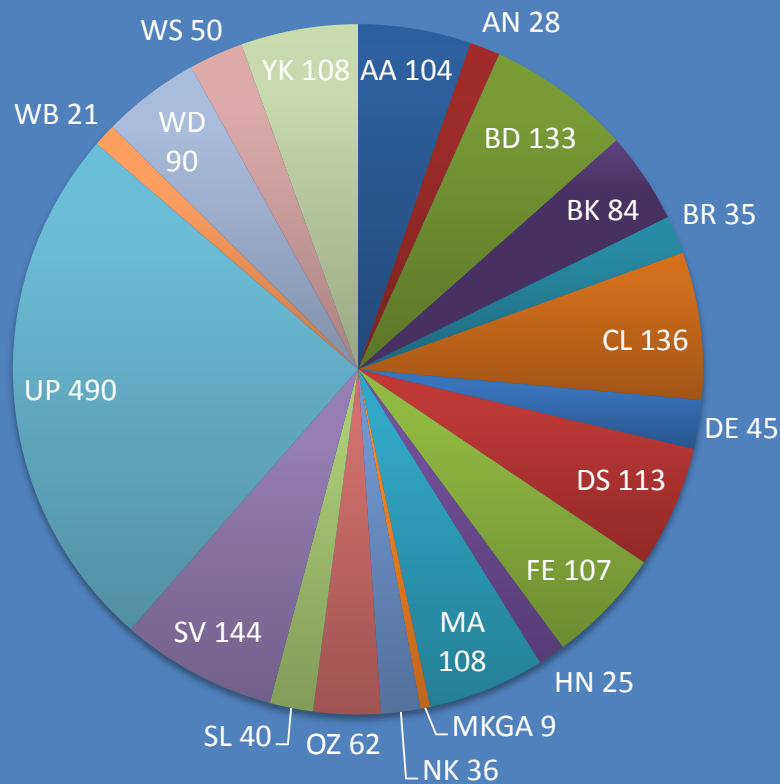
Frequency of Award by Campus



Adults represent 18% of the total population awarded in this group

University Scholarship Recipients with the Adult Learner Indicator

Frequency of Awards by Campus Location



1,968 total students awarded

Scholarship Opportunities for World Campus

Application process

- Trustee Scholarships
 - Trustee Scholarship Fund for the World Campus
 - Penn State Alumni Association Trustee
 - Steven and Brenda Schlotterbeck Trustee
 - Friends of the Military Trustee*
 - Joseph Daley Jr. Trustee
 - Logue Family Trustee Scholarship*
 - Tunno Family Trustee Scholarship
- Samuel Shaner Memorial Award for Military Students*
- Alexander P Fletcher Navy Student Award in the Penn State World Campus*
- Fischer Family Scholarship for Continuing and Distance Education
- Penn State Outreach Advisory Board Scholarship in the World Campus
- Jane Ireland Student Fund
- Military Annual Fund for World Campus*

*donor preference for military students

Scholarship Opportunities for Adults in the Commonwealth

Application Process

Opportunities

- Fischer Family Scholarship for Continuing and Distance Education
- Osher Foundation Reentry Scholarship
- Suzanne Seamans Memorial Scholarship
- GFWC State College Woman's Club Centennial Scholarship*
- FACES-Financial Assistance for Continuing Education Students*

* UP students only

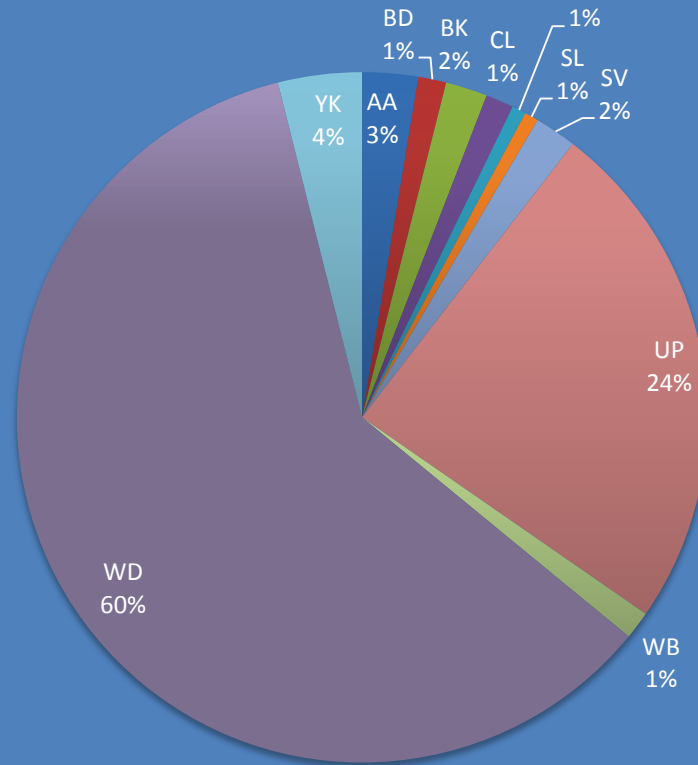
Adult Learner Recipients Profiles

Scholarships Awarded through Outreach

- Average GPA 3.44
- 79 Female/ 59 Male (138)
- Average age 35.2
- Average award \$1,170

Adult Learner Recipients Profiles

Frequency of Campus Location



Total awarded
\$161,461

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