

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

WTCS 8/30/2019

LRB Number 19-3910/1	Introduction Number SB-359	Estimate Type Original
Description funding for Wisconsin grants for University of Wisconsin System students and technical college students and making an appropriation		

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Senate Bill 359 would increase the Wisconsin Technical College System (WTCS) Wisconsin Grants appropriation which is administered by the Higher Education Aids Board by 18 million dollars. The 2018-19 appropriation for WTCS Wisconsin Grants was 22.9 million dollars.

Wisconsin Grants provide grant assistance to undergraduate, Wisconsin residents enrolled at least half-time in degree or certificate programs at University of Wisconsin, Wisconsin Technical Colleges, Tribal institutions and Wisconsin Association of Independent Colleges and Universities. Awards are based on financial need. Eligibility cannot exceed ten semesters.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications