

**Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation
Recommended Budget Improvement
2010-2011**

Establish Recurring TSAA Support from State Appropriations

For the 2009-10 academic year, the Legislature appropriated \$3,200,000 in non-recurring state funds for the TSAA program. This will fund approximately 1,600 students. Requesting an improvement of \$3,200,000 in state funding will only replace these expiring funds and will allow a continuation of approximately the same number of students to continue to receive the awards in the 2010-11 academic year as in the in current year. Current year state appropriations for the TSAA program are \$49,362,500, which will be reduced to \$46,162,500 without an increase in funding.