

HANDOUT 4

**Arkansas Department of Higher Education
Academic Challenge Scholarship - Traditional
First Year Student Data**

Academic Year	Year End Status	Student Count	Student Percent	High School GPA	ACT	College GPA	Parent Income	Avg Earned Hours	GPA - % of successful	ACT - % of successful	Income - % of successful
2011	Awarded	6,862	59.7%	3.53	23.8	3.14	\$76,749	29.3			
2011	Dropped	4,639	40.3%	3.06	21.4	1.98	\$53,446	20.1	86.7%	89.9%	69.6%
2011	Total	11,501	100.0%	3.295	22.6	2.56	\$65,098	24.7			
2012	Awarded	7,290	59.8%	3.50	23.6	3.13	\$77,851	29.3			
2012	Dropped	4,897	40.2%	3.05	21.2	2.02	\$54,823	20.0	87.1%	89.8%	70.4%
2012	Total	12,187	100.0%	3.28	22.40	2.58	\$66,337	24.65			
2013	Awarded	7,730	60.1%	3.53	23.5	3.16	\$82,314	29.2			
2013	Dropped	5,142	39.9%	3.05	20.8	2.00	\$55,287	20.2	86.4%	88.5%	67.2%
2013	Total	12,872	100%	3.29	22.2	2.58	\$68,801	24.7			
2014	Awarded	7,614	59.7%	3.54	23.5	3.21	\$88,372	29.5			
2014	Dropped	5,144	40.3%	3.09	21.0	2.06	\$58,741	20.9	87.3%	89.4%	66.5%
2014	Total	12,758	1	3.32	22.3	2.635	\$73,557	25.2			
2015	Awarded	7,885	62.7%	3.57	23.6	3.30	\$90,675	29.5			
2015	Dropped	4,682	37.3%	3.09	21.0	2.02	\$63,596	20.3	86.6%	89.0%	70.1%
2015	Total	12,567	100%	3.33	22.3	2.66	\$77,136	24.9			