

Alaska Performance Scholarship

House Education Committee

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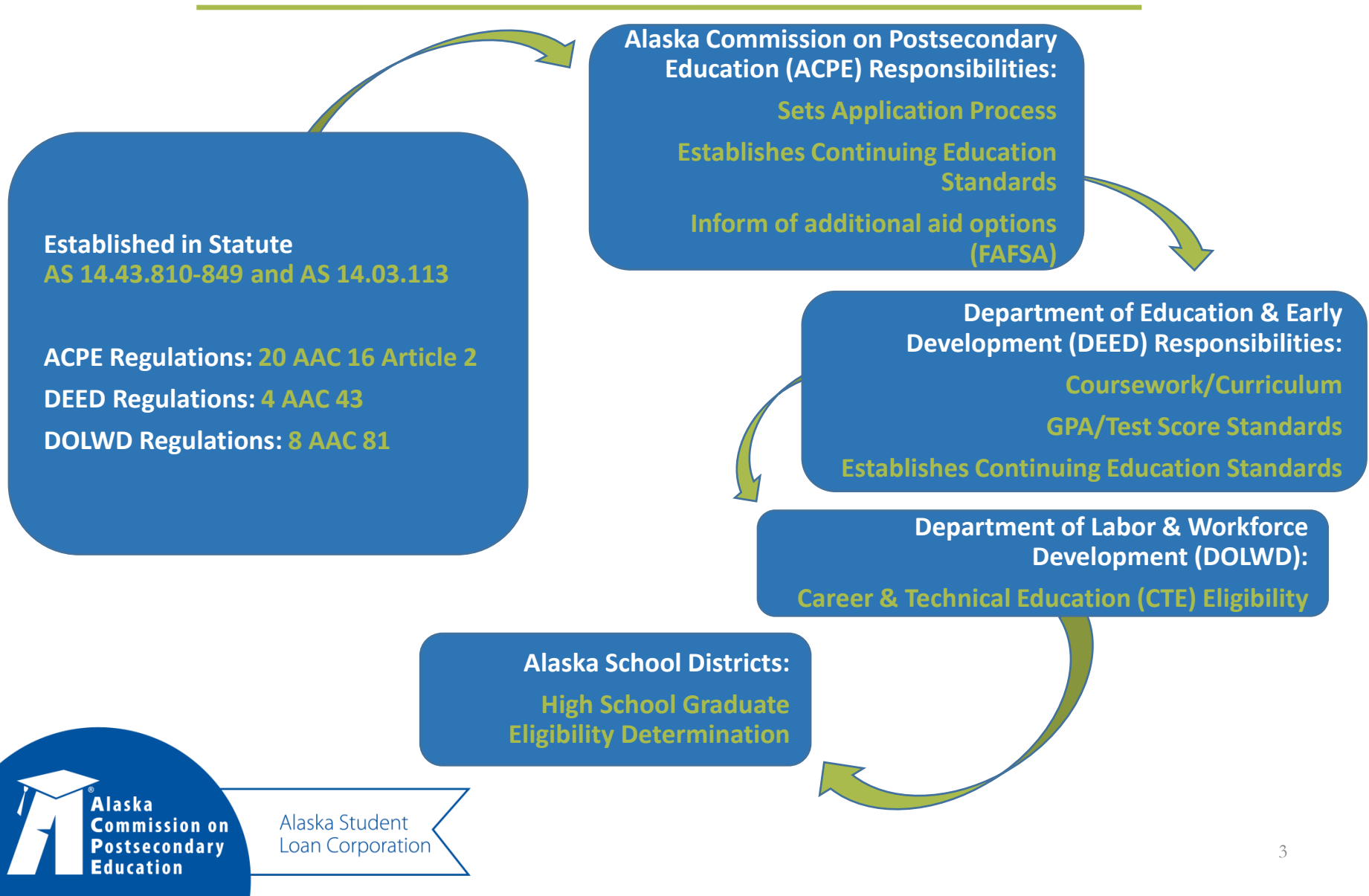
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Alaska Student
Loan Corporation

Alaska Performance Scholarship (APS) Administration

APS Roles & Responsibilities



Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education's (ACPE) Role

ACPE administers the Alaska Performance Scholarship program.

ACPE sets initial and continuing eligibility requirements; application process; award computation; award disbursement; institutional participation and responsibility; complaints and appeals.

APS Resources Available

aps.alaska.gov

Alaska Performance Scholarship
Earn up to \$19,020 for your education

Level	Amount	Requirements
Level 1	\$4,755/yr	High School GPA 3.5 ACT 25, SAT 1200, WorkKeys* specified curriculum
Level 2	\$3,566/yr	High School GPA 3.0 ACT 25, SAT 1130, WorkKeys* specified curriculum
Level 3	\$2,378/yr	High School GPA 2.5 ACT 21, SAT 1060, WorkKeys* specified curriculum

ALASKA PERFORMANCE SCHOLARSHIP
To apply for the APS and other financial aid opportunities, students must complete a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) by June 30th of each year. VEDF: studentaid.org

Required Curriculum (for all levels)
Students can choose either curriculum option:

Option 1: Math & Science Curriculum	Option 2: Social Studies
Science (4 credits)	Science (3 credits)
Math (4 credits)	Math (1 credit)
Social Studies (4 credits)	Social Studies (4 credits)
Language Arts (4 credits)	Language Arts (4 credits)
World Language (2 credits)	World Language (2 credits)

REWARD OFFERED
UP TO \$19,020*
FOR ALASKA'S HARD WORKING HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

*Eligible students can earn up to \$4,755 per academic year for four years (eight semesters) to use within six years of high school graduation.

TO BE ELIGIBLE, STUDENTS MUST:

1. Take a specific, rigorous high school curriculum
2. Earn a minimum 2.5 GPA
3. Meet qualifying scores on college or career readiness exams

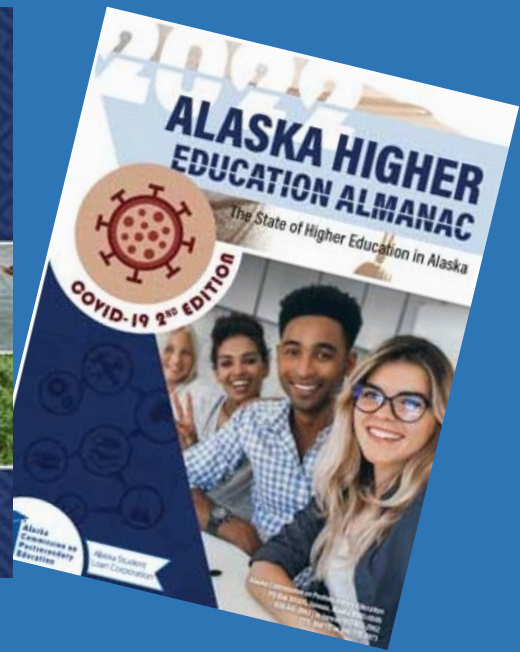
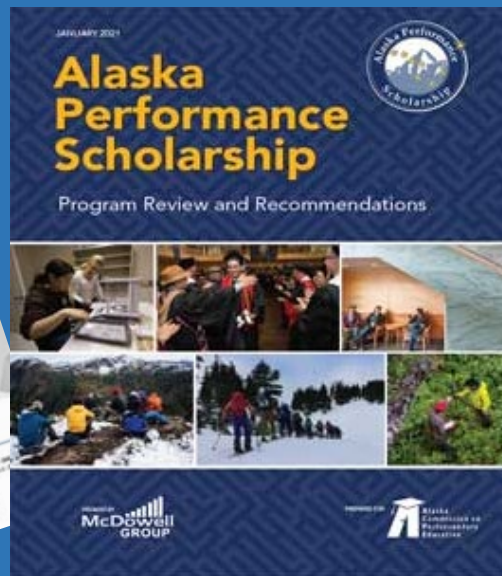
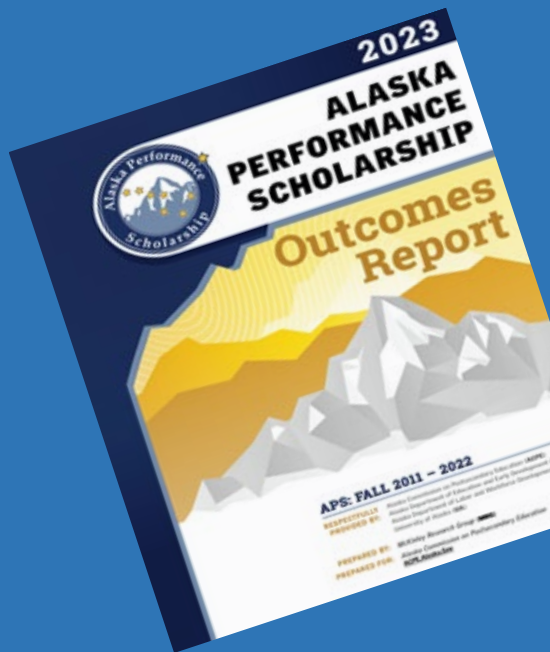
THREE AWARD LEVELS are offered & any future Alaska high school graduate may become eligible!

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APS Reports by ACPE

acpe.alaska.gov/reports



APS Information Distribution

ACPE distributes information about the Alaska Performance Scholarship through:

- Presentations (in person & virtual)
- APS Website
- Print material
- Press Releases
- Newsletters
- Email communications
- Reports
- Stakeholder Listening Sessions
- Alaska Career Information System (AKCIS)
- Alaska Student Aid Portal (ASAP)

APS Resource Links

- Alaska Performance Scholarship Website: aps.alaska.gov
- Alaska Performance Scholarship Curriculum: <https://acpe.alaska.gov/Portals/3/APS/Pubs/APS-Award-Checklist-9.2022.pdf>
- Alaska Performance Scholarship FAQs: https://acpe.alaska.gov/Portals/3/APS/Pubs/APS_FAQs.pdf
- Alaska Performance Scholarship Press Releases: https://acpe.alaska.gov/Press_Releases
- Alaska Student Aid Portal (ASAP): <https://acpestudentaidportal.alaska.gov/ASAP>
- Alaska Career Information System (AKCIS): <https://acpe.alaska.gov/AKCIS>
- APS Reports: <https://acpe.alaska.gov/Reports>

Thank you! Questions?

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