

The numbers tell it

How the Step Up For Students Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program is providing educational opportunities for low-income schoolchildren in kindergarten through 12th grade.

As of December 31, 2011

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Consecutive years that scholarship students have achieved the same test score gains as students of all income levels nationally



20.5

Percent annual growth rate of enrollment in the past seven years

56

Percent of students live in one-parent households

72.5

Percent of students are African-American, Hispanic or multiracial

84

PERCENT OF FLORIDA LEGISLATORS VOTED TO STRENGTHEN THE TAX CREDIT PROGRAM IN 2011

95

Percent of parents rated their children's new schools "excellent" or "good" in a state survey



97

PERCENT OF ALL CORPORATE CONTRIBUTIONS GO DIRECTLY TO THE SCHOLARSHIPS

212

National ranking by *The Chronicle of Philanthropy* for garnering the most private support in 2010

1,185

PRIVATE SCHOOLS SERVED SCHOLARSHIP STUDENTS IN 2011-12

\$4,011

Maximum scholarship for 2011-12

5,521

PARENTS, STUDENTS AND EDUCATORS RALLIED AT THE CAPITOL IN 2010 TO SUPPORT THE SCHOLARSHIP

\$24,250

Average annual household-of-four income - only 12.3 percent above poverty

38,032

SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED IN THE 2011-12 SCHOOL YEAR

218,499

Scholarships awarded to low-income students since 2002

\$36.2

MILLION SAVED FOR TAXPAYERS IN 2008-09, ACCORDING TO AN INDEPENDENT REPORT



\$900

million contributed by the corporate community since 2002

10 years of opportunity

In 2012, Step Up For Students celebrates 10 years of bringing learning options to the parents of economically disadvantaged and academically struggling schoolchildren through the Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program.

Their success is our cause.

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