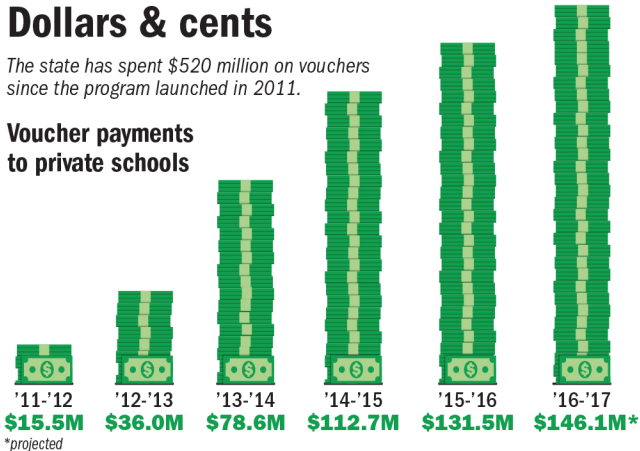


# Dollars & cents

The state has spent \$520 million on vouchers since the program launched in 2011.

## Voucher payments to private schools



\*projected

## Voucher eligibility

Students who qualify for reduced-price school lunches can receive the higher of two voucher awards. Students whose families earn 100 percent to 150 percent of that reduced-lunch guideline receive the lesser voucher.

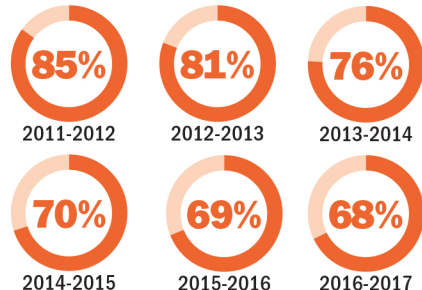
### Average actual voucher award 2016-2017

	Kindergarten	Grades 1-8	Grades 9-12
Higher	\$5,704	\$5,612	\$5,724
Lesser	\$3,041	\$3,051	\$3,072

### Income guidelines 2016-2017

	Family of 2	Family of 3	Family of 4	Family of 5
Higher	\$29,637	\$37,296	\$44,955	\$52,614
Lesser	\$44,456	\$55,944	\$67,433	\$78,921

### Percentage of students receiving the higher voucher



Sources: Indiana Department of Education, IBJ research