

Performance-Based Funding 2025-2026

Budget & Finance Committee

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Performance Funding – A Look Back



2012

Chair Colson charged the Budget & Finance Committee with creating a performance-based funding model

2012-13

Budget & Finance Chair Tom Kuntz led the development of the model

Jan. 2014

Board approved a model under Chair Hosseini's leadership

2016

Chair Hosseini supported the creation of section 1001.92, Florida Statute – State University System Performance-Based Incent

Sept. 2016

Board Regulation 5.001 – Performance-based funding created

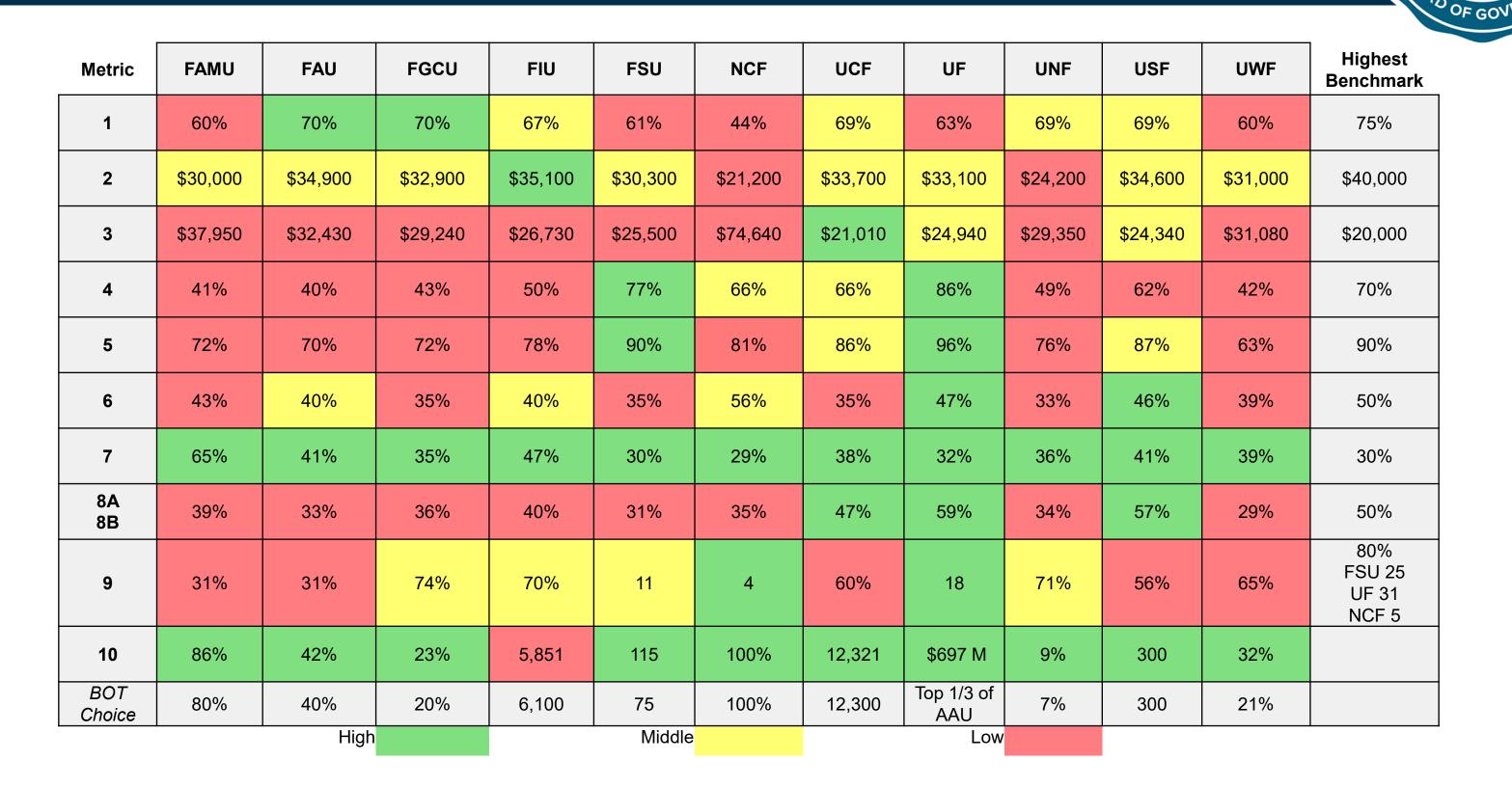
Performance-Based Funding Metrics



1. Percent of Bachelor's Graduates Employed (Earning \$43,200+) or Continuing their Education 10 points	6. Bachelor's Degrees Awarded in Areas of Strategic Emphasis 10 points
2. Median Wages of Bachelor's Graduates Employed Full- Time 10 points	7. University Access Rate (Percent of Undergraduates with a Pell-grant) 10 points
3. Average Cost to the Student (Net Tuition per 120 Credit Hours) 10 points	8a. Graduate Degrees Awarded in Areas of Strategic Emphasis 10 points 8b. Percent of Newly Admitted FTICs with a HS GPA of 4.0 or Higher (NCF only) 10 points
4. Four Year Graduation Rate (Full-time FTIC) 10 points	9a. Three Year Graduation Rate for FCS AA Transfer Students 5 points 9b. 6-Year Graduation Rate for Students Awarded Pell Grants 5 points
5. Academic Progress Rate (2 nd Year Retention with GPA Above 2.0) 10 points	10. Board of Trustees Choice 10 points

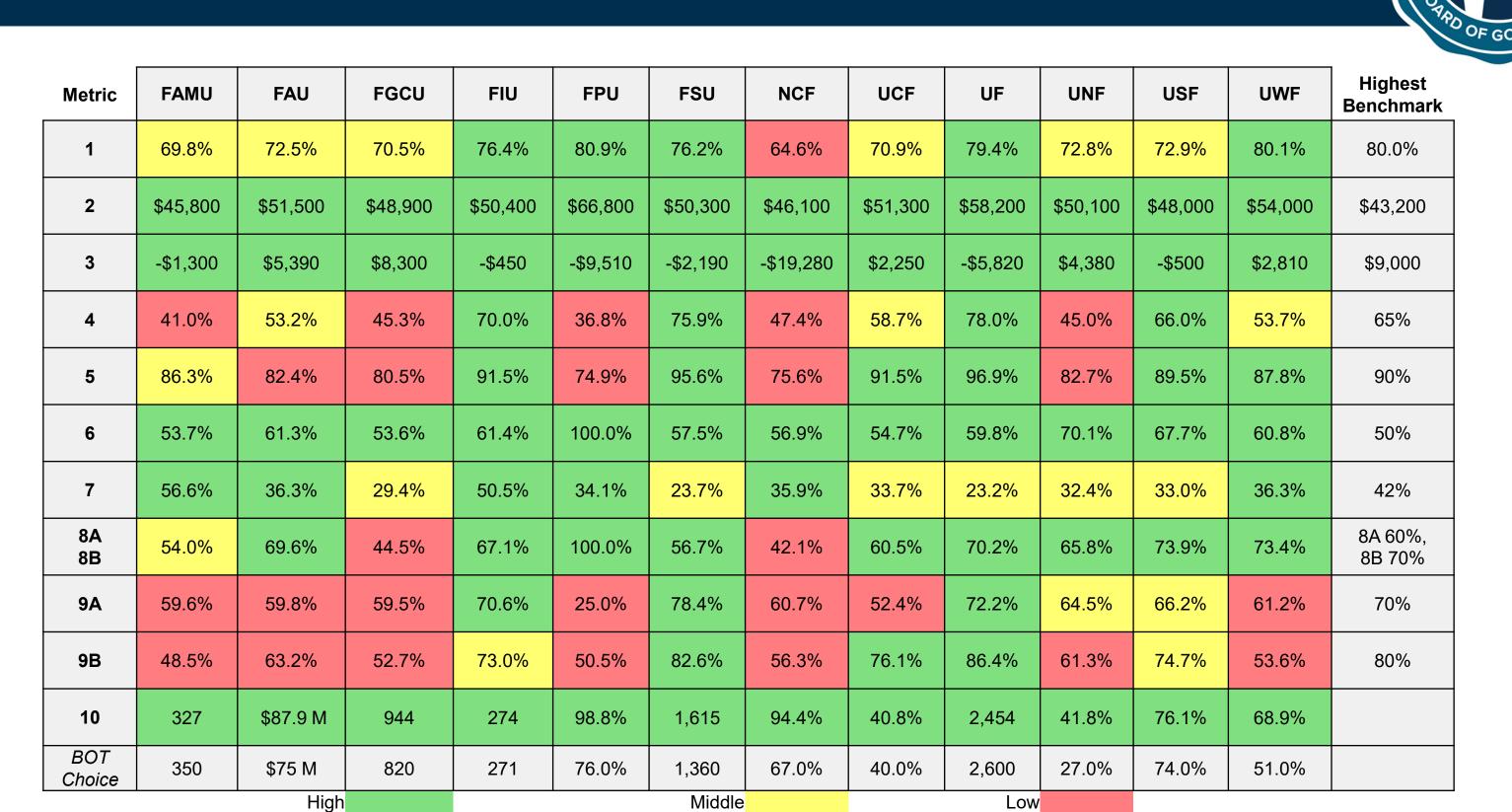
Year 1 of Performance Funding

Excellence Scores



Year 12 of Performance Funding

Excellence Scores

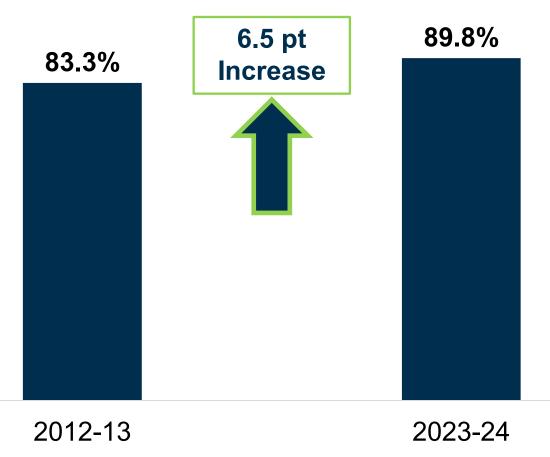


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Performance Funding Improvement Retention and Graduation Rates



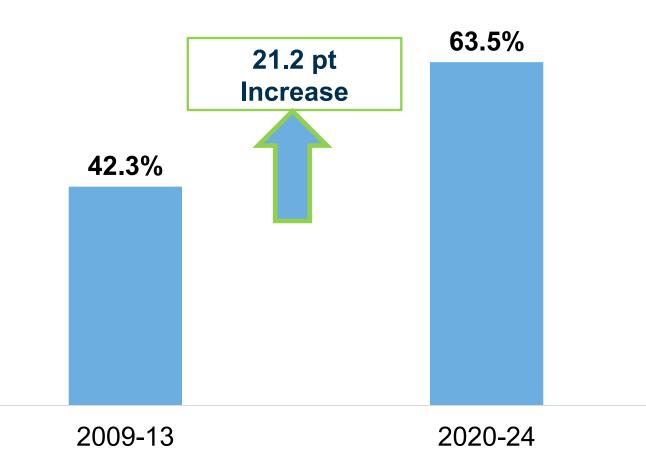
Metric 5: Academic Progress Rate 2nd Year Retention w/ GPA above 2.0



Notable improvements:

- FAMU: increase from 81.8 to 86.3
- NCF: increase from 64.9 to 75.6
- UNF: increase from 77.7 to 82.7

Metric 4: 4 Year Grad Rate



Notable improvements:

- FAMU: increase from 35 to 41
- FIU: increase from 64.9 to 70
- UWF: increase from 48.1 to 53.7

Performance Funding Improvement

Exceeding Goals



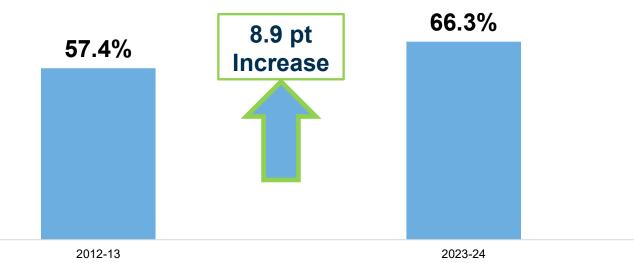
Metric 6: Percent of Bachelor's Degree Awarded in Programs of Strategic Emphasis



\$15,110 98% Decrease \$270

Metric 3: Average Cost to the

Metric 8a: Percent of Graduate Degrees Awarded in Programs of Strategic Emphasis



Metric 2: Median Wages of Bachelor's Graduates Employed Full Time

2013-14



2023-24

Changes to Metrics Approved October 2024



Metric 9b1 – Academic Progress Rate, 2nd Year Retention for FTIC with a Pell Grant (Alternative metric for Florida Polytechnic University)

- Metric was created for FL Poly to replace Metric 9b (Six-Year Graduation Rate for Students who are Awarded a Pell Grant in their First Year) until FL Poly had two-year's worth of data to participate in Metric 9b.
- Board approved removing Metric 9b1 from the model and included FL Poly in Metric 9b.

Regulation 5.001 – Institutional Investment Less than 60 points



- Minimum point threshold of 60 points
- If less than 60 points, the institutional investment is held in reserve by the Board
 - University submits an Improvement Plan to the Board in August for approval
 - University submits a monitoring report to the Board in December and May
 - December monitoring report will be considered at the January Board meeting
 - If approved, up to 50% of institutional investment will be released
 - May monitoring report will be considered at the June Board meeting
 - If approved, the balance of the institutional investment will be released
 - If not approved, remaining institutional investment goes to the 3 institutions that demonstrate the most improvement on the metrics

Regulation 5.001 – State Investment 2 Consecutive Years of Decline



- An institution with a lower score than the previous year's score for 2 consecutive years must submit a Student Success Plan (Plan)
 - The State Investment is held in reserve by the Board
- Plan submitted to the Board for consideration at the September meeting
 - If approved by the Board, up to 50 percent shall be released
- A monitoring report shall be submitted at a time designated by the Chancellor
- The monitoring report shall be considered by the Board during the March meeting
 - If approved by the Board, up to the remaining balance of the State Investment shall be released
 - If not approved, the balance of the state investment shall be distributed to the top 3 scoring institutions

Regulation 5.001 – State Investment Less than 70 points



- An institution with a score lower than 70 is only eligible to receive up to 50% of their State Investment. The other 50% shall be distributed to the top 3 scoring institutions
- The institution with a score lower than 70, must submit a Student Success Plan (Plan)
- Plan is submitted to the Board for consideration at the August meeting
 - o If approved by the Board, up to half of the 50% shall be released
- A monitoring report shall be submitted at a time designated by the Chancellor
- The monitoring report shall be considered by the Board during the March meeting
 - If approved by the Board, up to the balance of the 50% of the State Investment shall be released
 - If not approved by the Board, the balance shall be distributed to the top 3 scoring institutions

2025-26 Performance Funding Scores



Univ.	2024 Score	2025 Score	Status
FAMU	72	83	Increase
FAU	84	76	Watchlist
FGCU	63	67	Below 70
FIU	96	96	Top 3
FL Poly	74	74	Same Score
FSU	89	91	Top 3 (tie)
NCF	71	80	Increase
UCF	85	87	Increase
UF	92	94	Top 3
UNF	76	81	Increase
USF	89	89	Same Score
UWF	84	91	Top 3 (tie)

Top 3: The remaining funds of each institutions' state's investment shall be distributed to the top three scoring institutions (including ties) based on the total number of points of the top three scoring eligible institutions. **FIU, UF, FSU and UWF tie for top 3.**

Drop (2 years): If a university's score decreases for 2 consecutive years, the university may receive up to 100% of their allocation of the state investment after presenting/ implementing a student success plan. No scores dropped 2 consecutive years.

Watch List: If a university's score decreases for 2 consecutive years, the university may receive up to 100% of their allocation of the state investment after presenting/ completing a student success plan. Universities on the watch list have a drop in score for 1 year. FAU is on the watchlist.

Score below 70: If a university's score is lower than 70 points, the university may receive up to 50% of their allocation of the state investment after presenting/ implementing a student success plan. **FGCU's score dropped below 70 for the second year in a row.**

Student Success Plans



- FGCU shall:
 - Submit a student success plan to the Board for consideration at the **September** 2025 meeting. The plan should specify the activities and strategies for improving the institution's performance metrics.
- If the plan is approved:
 - **FGCU shall receive up to 25%** of their eligible state's investment at the time of approval.

Univ.	Initial Allocation	Eligible Allocation
FGCU	TBD	TBD

- The Board will monitor the progress on implementing the activities and strategies specified in the plan.
- A monitoring report will be considered by the Board at the <u>March</u> 2026 meeting and if it is determined that the institution is making satisfactory progress on implementing the plan, FGCU shall receive up to the remaining balance of their eligible state's investment.
- If the institution fails to make satisfactory progress, they shall not have its eligible amount of state's investment restored.
- Any state investment funds remaining shall be distributed to the top three scoring institutions (FIU, UF, FSU and UWF) based on the total number of points of the top three scoring eligible institutions (including ties).

