

NEED HELP SAVING FOR COLLEGE?

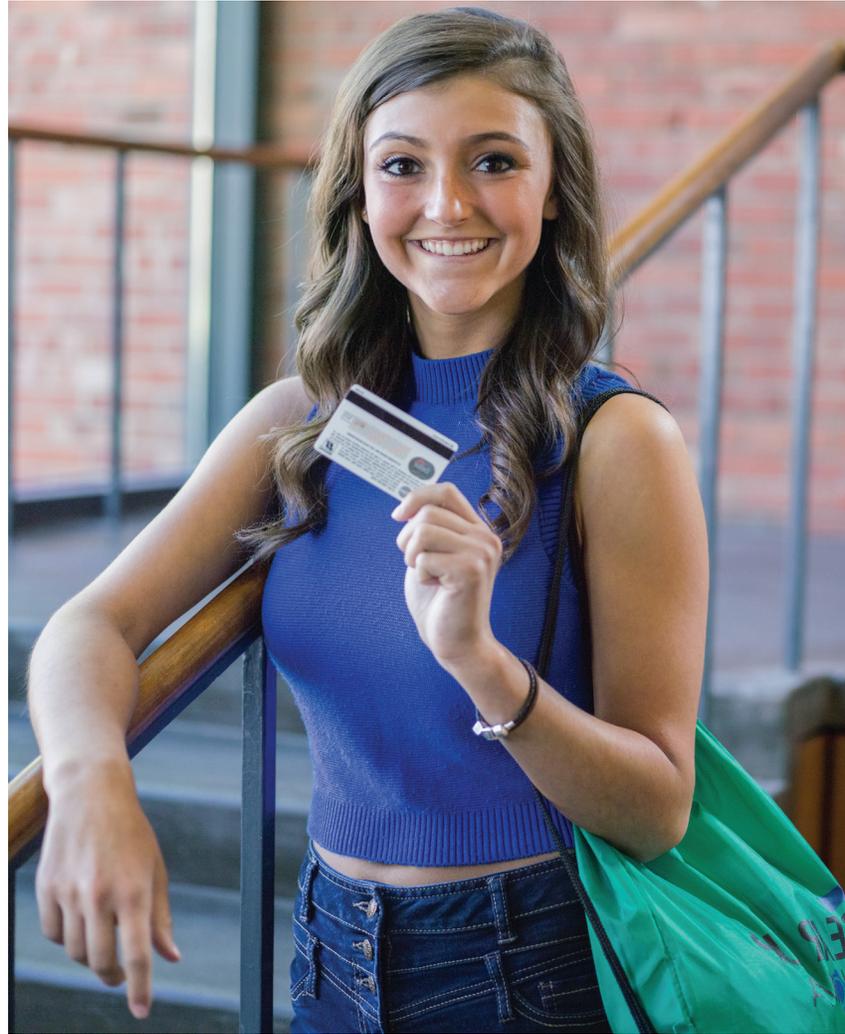
GEAR UP Iowa Families!
Receive **up to \$50** when you open a
College Savings Iowa Account!

GEAR UP Iowa families can boost their college savings thanks to a partnership between Iowa College Aid and State Treasurer Michael Fitzgerald!

Students and families who save as little as \$500 are:

- 3 times more likely to continue their education after high school
- 4 times more likely to graduate*

GEAR UP Iowa families who open a new College Savings Iowa Plan with as little as \$25 receive a matching contribution of up to \$50 to their account from College Savings Iowa.



For more information, contact your school's GEAR UP Iowa Coordinator or visit www.gearupiowa.gov.



The program is open to U.S. citizens or resident aliens with a valid Social Security or other taxpayer identification number. The funds will be distributed on a first come/first serve basis to GEAR UP Iowa families using the following process: (1) A GEAR UP Iowa student with an existing College Savings Iowa account will receive \$25 toward the account. (2) A GEAR UP Iowa student who creates a new College Savings Iowa account will receive \$50 toward the account. Accounts can be opened with a minimum contribution of \$25. Additional contributions can be as little as \$25. (\$15 when contributing through an employer's payroll deduction plan). Contributions can be made on a regular basis or whenever it is convenient. Please contact GEAR UP Iowa at gearup@iowa.gov to confirm your account. *Based on the "Assets and Education Initiative" report, 2013.