Education Scholarship Trust Fund



\$7,500 per child awarded for educational expenses

WHAT IS THE EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP TRUST FUND (ESTF)?

- The Education Scholarship Trust Fund (ESTF) is a **new scholarship program** for South Carolinians.
- The scholarship gives parents more flexibility in providing their children with the education that is best for them. It can be used for any approved education expenses like private school tuition, instructional materials, disability therapies, tutoring, uniforms, and more!

WHAT STUDENTS ARE ELIGIBLE?

- Must be a South Carolina resident (K5 12th)
- Household income must meet program requirements: 300% of the federal poverty line for 2025-26 and 500% of the federal poverty line for 2026-27
- Application priority for military families, households at or below 300% of the federal poverty line, and students who attended public school the previous year.

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PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLD	HOUSEHOLD INCOME: 300% FPL 2025-26 eligible and 2026-27 priority	HOUSEHOLD INCOME: 500% FPL 2026-27 eligible
1	\$45,180	\$78,250
2	\$61,320	\$105,750
3	\$77,460	\$133,250
4	\$93,600	\$160,750
5	\$109,740	\$188,250
6	\$125,880	\$215,750
7	\$142,020	\$243,250
8	\$158,160	\$270,750

TAKE THE ELIGIBILITY QUIZ: GetYourESA.com

Dates to Know:

NOV 1 Renewals for current students + siblings

JAN 15 Applications open for priority groups

FEB 9 Applications open for all up to 500% FPL

Students receiving ESTF may NOT:

- Attend the public school that they are residentially zoned for
- Homeschool under options 1, 2, or 3

But they can attend...

- Public schools outside their resident zone
- Charter schools
- Online or hybrid schools
- Nonprofit private schools
- Personalized education plan

Scholarships are limited - don't miss this opportunity!