

Florida K12 Scholarship Programs Comparison 2022-2023

FTC	FES EO	FES UA	HOPE	READING
Eligibility:	Eligibility:	Eligibility:	Eligibility:	Eligibility:
<p>>Included on the direct certification list, or >Household income level does not exceed 400% of the federal poverty level, or >Placed in foster or out-of-home care, or >Sibling of currently participating student</p> <p>>Participating students may continue in the program until graduation or 21 years of age, whichever occurs first, regardless of household income level</p> <p>>Number of students that may participate limited by available funding</p>	<p>>Included on the direct certification list, or >Household income level does not exceed 400% of the federal poverty level, or >Placed in foster or out-of-home care, or >Dependent child of a member of the US Armed Forces, or >Dependent child of a law enforcement officer, or >Sibling of FES UA student</p> <p>>Participating student may continue in the program until the student returns to a public school, graduates from high school, or reaches the age of 21, whichever occurs first</p> <p>>Number of students that may participate limited by cap established in law</p>	<p>>3 or 4 years old, or eligible to enroll in K-12th grade in a Florida public school, and >have an Individualized Education Plan (IEP) or have a diagnosis of a disability</p> <p>>“Disability” means, for a student in K-12: autism spectrum disorder; cerebral palsy; Down syndrome; intellectual disability; Prader-Willi syndrome; Phelan-McDermid syndrome; Spina bifida; Williams syndrome; muscular dystrophy; a rare disease; anaphylaxis; hearing impaired; visually impaired; dual sensory impaired; traumatic brain injury; speech, language, orthopedic or other health impairment; emotional/behavioral or specific learning disability; hospital homebound for more than six months; or for a student in kindergarten, being a high-risk child</p> <p>>Number of students that may participate limited by cap established in law</p>	<p>>Student enrolled in a Florida public school who has been subjected to an incident of battery; harassment; hazing; bullying; kidnapping; physical attack; robbery; sexual offenses, harassment, assault, or battery; threat or intimidation; or fighting at school</p> <p>>Participating student may continue in the program until the student returns to public school or graduates from high school, whichever occurs first</p> <p>>Number of students that may participate limited by available funding</p>	<p>>Public school student in K-5th grade who has a substantial reading deficiency based on progress monitoring</p> <p>>Number of students that may participate limited by funds provided in appropriation</p>

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Scholarship uses:	Scholarship use:	Scholarship use:	Scholarship use:	Scholarship use:
Tuition and fees in an approved private school, or transportation to a Florida public school other than assigned	Tuition and fees in an approved private school, or transportation to a Florida public school other than assigned (limited to students in foster or out-of-home care or having household income 185% of federal poverty level)	Tuition and fees in an approved private school; therapies from an approved provider; home education related materials; and other contracted services, equipment and specialized programs. <u>Public School Option:</u> Parent of a student with an IEP may choose another school in the district (district provides transportation) or a school in an adjacent district that has available space and has a program with the services agreed to in the student's IEP already in place (parent provides transportation)	Tuition and fees in an approved private school, or transportation to a Florida public school outside the district <u>Public School Option:</u> Parent of an eligible student may choose to attend another school in the district that has capacity, or a school outside the district	Instructional materials and curriculum, part-time tutoring services, after school and summer literacy programs
Scholarship amount:	Scholarship amount:	Scholarship amount:	Scholarship amount:	Scholarship amount:
Based on grade level and district of residence Average amount \$7400 \$750 for public school transportation	Based on grade level and district of residence Average amount \$7400 \$750 for public school transportation	Based on grade level, district of residence, and matrix level Average amount if matrix 251, 252, or 253 \$9400; amounts for matrix 254 and 255 are higher	Based on grade level and district of residence Average amount \$7400 \$750 for public school transportation	\$500

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How to apply:	How to apply:	How to apply:	How to apply:	How to apply:
<p>Through eligible Scholarship Funding Organizations www.aaascholarships.org or www.stepupforstudents.org</p> <p>Applications open in the spring prior to new school year</p> <p>(students in foster or out-of-home care and military dependents are allowed to apply at any time throughout the year)</p>	<p>Through eligible Scholarship Funding Organizations www.aaascholarships.org or www.stepupforstudents.org</p> <p>Applications open in the spring prior to new school year</p>	<p>Through eligible Scholarship Funding Organizations www.aaascholarships.org or www.stepupforstudents.org</p> <p>Applications open in the spring prior to new school year</p>	<p>Through Step Up for Students www.stepupforstudents.org</p> <p>Students are allowed to apply at any time throughout the school year</p>	<p>Through Step Up for Students www.stepupforstudents.org</p> <p>Applications open early fall each school year</p>