



Every child deserves a chance to succeed.
Some may need something special.

Step Up For Students is a nonprofit that helps administer the Florida Tax Credit Scholarship (FTC) and the Gardiner Scholarship. These scholarships empower families to customize their children's education.

TWO scholarships for Florida schoolchildren

Florida Tax Credit Scholarship INCOME-BASED

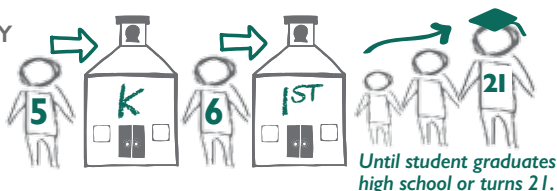
Lower-income families can choose between two **K-12** scholarships for the 2017-18 school year:



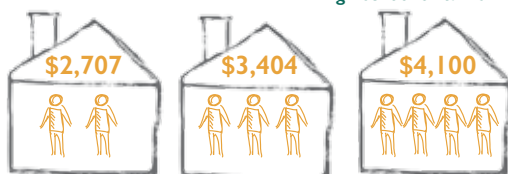
*Amounts may increase for the 2018-19 school year

REQUIREMENTS

AGE ELIGIBILITY
on or before Sept. 1



TOTAL GROSS MONTHLY INCOME LIMIT FOR **FULL** SCHOLARSHIPS
Add \$697 for each additional member # OF PEOPLE IN HOUSEHOLD



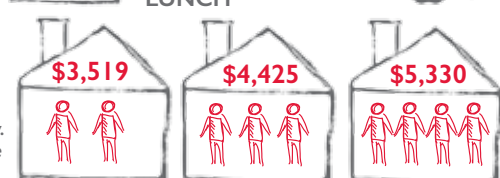
OR, IF A MEMBER OF THE HOUSEHOLD RECEIVES



OR, IF A HOUSEHOLD'S INCOME QUALIFIES FOR FREE OR REDUCED-PRICE LUNCH



TOTAL GROSS MONTHLY INCOME LIMIT FOR **PARTIAL** SCHOLARSHIPS
Dependent on availability. Lower-income families are served first.



Gardiner Scholarship SPECIAL NEEDS

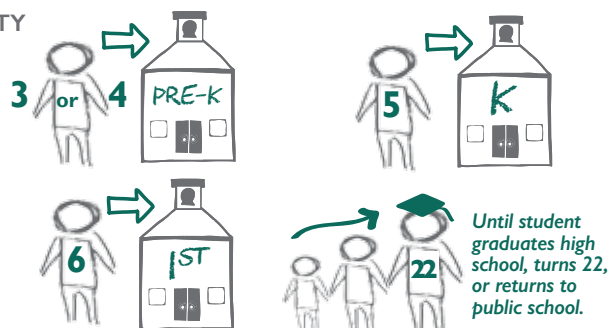
Parents can customize the education of their **PreK-12** children with certain special needs. Annual awards average \$10,000 and can go toward a combination of approved options including, but not limited to:



PARTICIPATING PRIVATE SCHOOLS OR HOME EDUCATION THERAPISTS & SPECIALISTS CURRICULUM TECHNOLOGY COLLEGE SAVINGS ACCOUNT OR APPROVED POST-SECONDARY INSTITUTION

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STUDENTS NEED



Current Individual Education Plan from a school district

OR



Formal diagnosis from a licensed physician or psychologist

FORMAL DIAGNOSIS

- Anaphylaxis
- Autism Spectrum Disorder
- Cerebral Palsy
- Deaf
- Down syndrome
- Dual sensory impaired
- Hospital or homebound
- "High-risk" 3-, 4-, and 5-year olds
- Intellectual disability (severe cognitive impairment)
- Muscular Dystrophy
- Phelan-McDermid syndrome
- Prader-Willi syndrome
- Rare disease or condition
- Spina bifida
- Traumatic brain injured
- Visually impaired
- Williams syndrome



To apply for a scholarship, visit **www.StepUpForStudents.org**

Children who are in foster or out-of-home care, or are dependents of a parent or guardian in the U.S. Armed Forces, may apply at any time, as long as funds are available.

FTC Questions? EMAIL: INFO@sufs.org

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Gardiner Questions? EMAIL: gardiner@sufs.org

Gardiner Updates: TEXT "Gardiner" to 51555