Children's Scholarship Fund

When identifying expenses that are eligible, please be aware that costs incurred in a child's home schooling and educational expenses shall not include fees or expenses related to participation in athletic programs, transportation expenses, or the cost of a parent's time expended in the home schooling of his or her child. See Table (below) for examples of acceptable and not-acceptable expenses.

Acceptable Educational Expenses	Not Acceptable Educational Expenses
Textbooks and Workbooks	Hand written receipts
Musical instruments (up to $300 per student, per year)	Parent Association fees or HSLDA fees (support group type)
Computers and Technology ($700 per student, per year) *Does not include projectors or other A/V. Limited to 1 computer device every 2 years	Cost of parent's time. Classroom instructional kits and curriculum for multiple students (i.e., bulk purchases)
Curriculum including Teacher's Guides associated with curriculum	Transportation costs; including Gas or Mileage
Educational Software and Applications (not for entertainment)	Medically required equipment or accessories, including feeding, hygiene, sleeping, and mobility, CPR/first aid training dummies, first aid kits, bandages, other first aid consumables and supplies Therapeutic, health, and psychological programs and services. Self-Help books. augmentative and Alternative communication devices
Educational Audio/Video tapes/DVD's	Field trips including museum and zoo visits; theme park admissions & annual passes
Teaching Aid Materials (e.g., calculators, globes, science lab supplies, dry erase board, etc.)	Live animals or feed or housing for live animals. Planting seeds in bulk
Reference Materials (e.g., dictionary, thesaurus, atlas, etc.)	Tools, including gas or electric powered gardening tools and farm equipment
Copies and printing supplies used for Homeschooling purposes (e.g., worksheets)	Household items: including kitchen appliances & cookware, food, desks, tables, chairs, shelving, meals, storage bags, cleaning wipes, and other cleaning/disinfectant supplies
General group instruction in the arts (e.g., painting, architecture, poetry, and music)	Clothing, footwear, and backpacks
	Internet, cell phones, and cell phone plans
Learning pods, learning resource centers, co-ops	Family or youth memberships to gyms, YMCAs or other facilities
Online K-8 academic courses	General group instruction in physical fitness including, but not limited to, dance, martial arts, gymnastics
Tutoring and Tuition for other academic courses outside the home	Athletic programs; sports teams; after school programs; summer camps
General school and art supplies. Laptop cases used to hold and protect the laptop, not to be utilized as a backpack	Recreational items: including swimming pools, jacuzzies, bouncy houses, inflatable slides, hyperbaric chambers, trampolines
Student evaluation fees and Testing fees	Equipment for sport or physical education. Toys - For example, items such as Legos, action figures, toy cars/trucks, remote-controlled vehicles, interactive audio toys, slime, sewing kits, building blocks, and board games