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Working Together for Student Success

**Choice Scholarship Program
Previous SGO Track
2020-2021 School Year**

Student must satisfy all criteria to qualify for the Choice Scholarship Program under the Previous SGO Track.

1. A student must:
 - a. Have legal settlement in Indiana;
 - b. Be between the ages of 5 and 22 by August 1st; AND

2. A student must:
 - a. Have received an SGO Scholarship of at least \$500 in a previous school year, including a school year that does not immediately precede the school year for which the student is applying for a Choice Scholarship (A minimum \$500 SGO Scholarship applies to a student or a sibling of the student who receives an SGO Award for the first time after June 30, 2013); AND
 - b. Have received the SGO Scholarship from one of the eight approved Scholarship Granting Organizations. The list of approved SGOs is posted on the website at www.doe.in.gov/Choice/school-scholarships. (The approved SGOs are: Community Foundation of Elkhart County, Institute for Quality Education, LaGrange County Community Foundation, Inc., School Scholarship Granting Organization of Northeast Indiana, Tuition Assistance Fund of Southwestern Indiana, Summit Scholarship Granting Organization, Sagamore Institute for Education Choice, The Lutheran Scholarship Granting Organization of Indiana, and Professional Athletes of Indiana.)

AND

3. A student must be a member of a household with an annual income equal to or below 150% of the amount to qualify for the Federal Free or Reduced Price Lunch Program. (IC 20-51-1-4.3)

Choice Scholarship Program Income Limits by Household Size			
2020-2021 School Year			
	100% of Reduced Lunch Eligibility	125% of Reduced Lunch Eligibility	150% of Reduced Lunch Eligibility
Persons in Household	Annual household income limit for a "90%" Choice Scholarship ¹	Annual household income limit for a "70%" Choice Scholarship ²	Annual household income limit for a "50%" Choice Scholarship ³
1	\$23,606	\$29,508	\$35,409
2	\$31,894	\$39,868	\$47,841
3	\$40,182	\$50,228	\$60,273
4	\$48,470	\$60,588	\$72,705
5	\$56,758	\$70,948	\$85,137
6	\$65,046	\$81,308	\$97,569
7	\$73,334	\$91,668	\$110,001
8	\$81,622	\$102,028	\$122,433
9	\$89,910	\$112,388	\$134,865
10	\$98,198	\$122,748	\$147,297

¹Add \$8,288 to the annual limit for each additional member for a "90%" scholarship.

²Add \$10,360 to the annual limit for each additional member for a "70%" scholarship.

³Add \$12,432 to the annual limit for each additional member for a "50%" scholarship.

Note: More information is available in the Income Verification Rules and FAQs posted at www.doe.in.gov/choice. Amounts are based on data published at <https://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty-guidelines>.