INFORMATION FOR 2021-22 SCHOOL YEAR

INDIANA SCHOOL CHOICE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM -- Updated May 5, 2021--

The amount of the award is based on household income and the respective public school corporation's per student appropriation.

The value of the Choice Scholarship is the lesser of these amounts:

- 1) Tuition and fees charged to the student at the eligible school; or
 - 2) An amount based off the per-student state funding for the student's school corporation of residence, determined as **90%** of the funding formula amount if household income is up to 300% of Federal free and reduced lunch eligibility.

Persons in Household	Annual Household Income Limit (300% of FRL) for a Voucher or SGO
1	\$71,484
2	\$96,681
3	\$121,878
4	\$147,075
5	\$172,272
6	\$197,469
7	\$222,666
8	\$247,863
9	\$273,060
10	\$298,257
Add for each additional	

2021-22 Estimated School Choice Scholarship Voucher Amounts

SCHOOL CORP.	90% Choice Voucher
(7995) Evansville-Vanderburgh	\$5,956.10
(2735) North Gibson	\$5,843.78
(2765) South Gibson	\$5,441.80
(6590) MSD of Mt. Vernon	\$5,809.54
(6600) North Posey	\$5,538.36
(8130) Warrick County	\$5,451.53

*SGO Scholarship amounts will vary with \$500 minimum. (Awarded by Institute for Quality Education)

**In addition to meeting the income guidelines, students <u>MUST ALSO QUALIFY</u> under one of the pathways on the next page to be eligible for the Choice Scholarship Voucher (CSV).

(Please see other side for Pathways)

2021-22 Voucher Pathways

Previous Choice Scholarship Student Track

Student received a CSV (Choice Scholarship Voucher) in a previous school year.

Previous SGO Track

Student received an SGO Scholarship in a previous school year from an approved scholarship granting organization.

Special Education Track

Student has a disability that requires special education and has an individualized education program (IEP or SP). 504 Plans do not qualify under this pathway.

"F" Public School Track

Student would be required to attend a specific public school based on their residence that has been assigned an "F" grade.

Two Semesters in Public School Track

Student was enrolled in a public school in Indiana for the two semesters immediately preceding the first semester for which the individual receives a CSV.

Sibling Track

Sibling of the applying student received either a Choice Scholarship Voucher or an SGO Scholarship in a previous year.

Pre-K Track

The student received and used an Early Education Grant to attend Pre-K at an eligible Choice school and the student is applying for a CSV at the same Choice School in which they attended Pre-K with an Early Education Grant.

Qualifications for an SGO Scholarship

These scholarships are funded by private donations through organizations that are approved by the Indiana Department of Education. Currently, the Diocese of Evansville is associated with The Institute for Quality Education SGO (formerly called Education Choice Charitable Trust).

- Student must be a resident of Indiana.
- Student must be a member of a household with an annual income equal to or below 300% of the free and reduced lunch program guidelines.
 - Applications for an SGO Scholarship must be processed through the school the student will be attending for the 2021-22 school year. Do not send applications directly to the SGO.

Specific information and FAQs regarding the School Choice Program can be found on the Indiana Department of Education website: www.doe.in.gov/choice Questions may be directed to the school the student is planning to attend.