



Georgia Goal Scholarship Criteria

Mission: Our mission is to assist families in equipping students to develop their individual gifts, academically, spiritually, physically, socially and to do so in a manner that brings honor and glory to God!

Purpose: The purpose of awarding the Georgia Goal Scholarship is to assist families with an opportunity to have access to a strong educational foundation.

Award Amount: The award amount is subjective to available funds.

Number of Awards: The yearly number of awards is subjective to the funds available with the Georgia Goal.

Renewable (yes/no): The Scholarship can be renewed at the start of the next academic school year.

GPA

- GPA will be a regularly assessed criteria for students to receive and continue to receive the Ga Goal Scholarship. A minimum GPA of 3.0 is required for the students.
- Students must be in good attendance standing.
- Students must not have any behavior issues.

Financial needs

- The students must be eligible for free or reduced lunch according to the state/ local eligibility.

Resident Requirement

- The applicants is required to reside in the Douglas County School System Zone.

Recommendation Letters

- Applicants are required to obtain two recommendation letters.



Georgia GOAL Scholarship Program
Tuition Assistance Application

Georgia GOAL Scholarship Program, Inc. does not accept scholarship applications directly. Parents desiring to apply for a scholarship should complete the following information and submit it directly to Angelique Jackson at Angels In Progress Academy. While completion and submission of this form does not guarantee receipt of a GOAL Scholarship, it is the initial step in the process. In awarding scholarship funds, Angels In Progress Academy will work closely with its existing tuition assistance office and scholarship committee.

To qualify for receipt of a GOAL Scholarship, a student must be a Georgia resident who is currently enrolled in, and has attended a Georgia secondary or primary public school for a least 6 weeks* immediately prior to receiving a scholarship or tuition grant under this law, or who is eligible to enroll in a qualified Pre-K4, Kindergarten, or 1st grade program.

*The six week attendance requirement may be waived in the following cases:

1. A student is or would be assigned to a public school that the Office of Student Achievement determines to be a low-performing school based on the school attendance zone of his or her primary residence, or
2. A student is the subject of officially documented cases of school based physical violence or student related verbal abuse threatening physical harm, or
3. A student was enrolled in an official home study program for at least one year immediately prior to receiving a scholarship or tuition grant under this law.

Student Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Applying for Grade: _____

Parent(s) or Guardian(s) Name(s): _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email Address: _____

We understand that we are authorizing Angels In Progress Academy to verify any of the information in this tuition assistance application and understand that all information is subject to investigation. We declare that the information represented on this form, to the best of our knowledge and belief, is true, correct, and complete.

Signature of Parent(s) or Guardian(s)

Date

Information and Documentation Required

GOAL requires the following to be submitted to Angels In Progress Academy to process the request for scholarship funding:

- 1) Proof of Income:
 - a. Federal Tax Return (pages 1-2)
 - b. Do you have any non-taxable income, including any of the following? If so, please list the amounts below:
 - i. Annual Child Support Received _____
 - ii. Annual Workers' Compensation Received _____
 - iii. Annual Allowances Received for Housing, Food & Living Expenses _____
 - iv. Other Annual Untaxed Income & Benefits _____
- 2) Proof of Eligibility:
 - a. Proof of Public School Enrollment (report card)
 - b. Birth Certificate (only applicable to students eligible for Pre-K4, Kindergarten, or 1st grade)
 - c. Proof of Another HB 1133 Scholarship Award
 - d. Proof of Home School or Low-Performing Public School
- 3) If desired, any additional supporting documentation to demonstrate the need for tuition assistance

Please explain any current financial conditions which differ from that reported on your latest Federal Income Tax Return. Use the reverse side, if needed.

Applicants receiving a GOAL Scholarship must reapply via the school on a yearly basis for consideration. Funds are awarded each year based on need and availability. GOAL Scholarship recipients must maintain academic and behavioral standards set forth by Angels In Progress Academy.

If further assistance is needed, contact Angelique Jackson at 770-485-0642. To learn more about the Georgia GOAL Scholarship Program, please visit www.goalscholarship.org.

Angels In Progress Academy admits students of any race, color, and national or ethnic origin.



Proof of GOAL or Other SSO Scholarship at Another School

Name of Student: _____

Name of Parent / Guardian: _____

Address (City, State, Zip): _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Name of School Student previously attended on GOAL or other SSO Scholarship:

Name of School to which Student will be transferring GOAL eligibility:

Please mark the appropriate box below to indicate your previous scholarship:

☐ GOAL Scholarship

☐ Other SSO Scholarship

Please list other SSO if applicable _____

If other SSO, please attach supporting documentation showing receipt of scholarship.

SCHOLARSHIP SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

1

What documentation is needed for
Proof of Financial Need?

Tax Return

Pages 1 and 2 of the
Form 1040 Federal Tax Return
from the most recent year

OR

A 3rd party provider
FACTS, SSS, or TADS report
if it indicates the family's AGI

2

What documentation is needed for
Proof of Eligibility?

PreK - 1st

Birth Certificate
OR
Immunization Record
(showing birth date)

2nd - 12th

Most Recent Report Card
OR
Attendance Record
(showing previous 6 weeks)



REQUIREMENTS

- Georgia Resident
- Proof of Financial Need
- Proof of Eligibility

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ELIGIBILITY EXCEPTIONS & SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

Low-Performing Public School

If a student is zoned for a public school that the Office of Student Achievement determines low-performing, submit:

**Proof of Low
Performing School
Zone Form**

Bullying

If a student who is the subject of officially documented cases of school based physical violence or student related verbal abuse threatening physical harm, submit:

**Official
Documentation
of the Incident**

Homeschooled

If a student who was enrolled in a home study program meeting the requirements of Georgia law for at least one year immediately prior to receiving an SSO scholarship, submit:

**Declaration of Intent
to Homeschool for
Prior Academic Year
(from GA DOE)**

Scholarship from Previous School

If a student was enrolled in another private school and received a GOAL scholarship or other SSO scholarship at that school, submit:

**Proof of GOAL
or Other SSO
Scholarship at
Another School Form**