

TAKE CONTROL OF YOUR TAXES

Redirect the Georgia Income Taxes You Already Pay to Provide Scholarships

The Georgia GOAL Scholarship Program is a transformative initiative that makes high-quality education accessible to students who might not otherwise have the opportunity. By removing financial barriers, GOAL empowers families to choose the learning environment that best nurtures their child's growth and potential.

Your GOAL participation provides scholarships for deserving students at your designated school, giving them the opportunity to thrive in an exceptional academic setting.

And it gets even better: in return for your contribution, you receive a 100% Georgia income tax credit, allowing you to turn your state tax dollars into meaningful, local impact.

FOLLOW THESE FIVE EASY STEPS TO SECURE A 100% STATE INCOME TAX CREDIT:

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Apply Now (JUNE–DECEMBER 2025)	GOAL Submits to DOR (1ST BUSINESS DAY OF JANUARY 2026)	Approved to Contribute (JANUARY 2026)	Make Payment (MID–MARCH 2026)	Take the Credit (WHEN YOU FILE YOUR 2026 TAX RETURN IN 2027)
Complete the 2026 GOAL Tax Credit application today at: goalscholarship.org	GOAL submits your application to Georgia Department of Revenue	GOAL and DOR notify you of approved tax credit amount and payment deadline	Pay GOAL by check, ACH transfer or credit card within 60 days of approval notification	GOAL sends you a tax receipt in May 2026 for claiming the credit on your return

Tax Credit Limits Based on Filing Status

Tax Filing Status	Tax Credit Limit
Single Filer	\$2,500
Married Separate Filer	\$2,500
Married Joint Filer	\$5,000
Individual Pass-Through Owner	\$25,000
C Corp, Trust, or Electing Pass-Through	75% of annual tax liability
Business that pays insurance premium tax	75% of annual tax liability, but credit shall not exceed \$1 million

For Business Owners: Talk to your tax advisor about this powerful and popular tax credit. Depending on how you pay your 2026 taxes, pass-through businesses may have two ways to support our community through GOAL—while receiving a state income tax credit and potentially a federal tax deduction.