DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

## Working Together for Student Success

## Choice Scholarship Program Previous SGO Track 2019-2020 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 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;
  - b. Have received the SGO Scholarship from one of the eight approved Scholarship Granting Organizations. The list of approved Scholarship Granting Organizations 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, 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 2019-2020 School Year		
# of People in Household	100% of Reduced Lunch Eligibility	150% of Reduced Lunch Eligibility
	Annual household income limit for a 90%	Annual household income limit for a 50%
	Choice Scholarship	Choice Scholarship
1	\$23,107	\$34,660
2	\$31,284	\$46,925
3	\$39,461	\$59,191
4	\$47,638	\$71,456
5	\$55,815	\$83,722
6	\$63,992	\$95,987
7	\$72,169	\$108,253
8	\$80,346	\$120,518
9	\$88,523	\$132,784
10	\$96,700	\$145,049

For a household size of eleven (11) or more, add \$8,177 to the annual limit for each additional member for a 90% scholarship and add \$12,266 to the annual limit for each additional member for a 50% scholarship.

90% and 50% Choice Scholarship award amounts are, in part, based on per-student State funding for students' school corporations of residence. The 2019-2020 estimated award amounts are posted on the website at www.doe.in.gov/choice in the section for Parents/Guardians.

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.