

Jon Peterson Special Needs Scholarship Program

FAST FACTS

1. The scholarship is open to all families in Ohio who have children with special needs. For students who are identified as having a Specific Learning Disability or Other Health Impairment-Minor (includes ADHD), the scholarship is \$10,005.00. There will be a \$1,288.00 yearly fee to all Springer families who are receiving the scholarship to cover costs associated with implementing the Individual Education Program (IEP).
2. The use of the term ‘scholarship’ is causing some confusion – this program is available to all families. Your financial circumstances are not a consideration. You will not be asked to supply financial information.
3. To qualify for the scholarship, your child must have an Evaluation Team Report (ETR) and an Individual Education Program (IEP).
4. To begin the process of obtaining an ETR you need to send a letter to your school district of residence. *See Exception.
5. For Springer to submit an application on your behalf, your child needs to have been accepted and the enrollment process completed for the next school year.
6. The deadline for applying for the scholarship for the following school year is April 15. Application for the second half of the school year must be made by November 15.
7. For more information: www.ode.state.oh.us
Click on Parents – Kindergarten/Elementary – Types of Education – Students with Learning Disabilities

*If your child attends a non-public school located in a district different from that of your residence, you will be sending the letter to the district in which the school is located.