



BISON

CHILDREN'S SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Giving Parents a Choice • Giving Children a Chance

The BISON Children's Scholarship Fund is a private scholarship fund providing tuition assistance for low-income families throughout the 8 counties of Western New York who want to enroll their children in private K-12 schools.

BISON K-8 Scholarship Quick Facts:

- Average K-8 scholarship of \$1,560 and maximum award of \$2,500.
- Currently BISON has over 1,975 scholars in 80 different private schools across Western New York.
- Each family must contribute toward their child's private education.

INCOME ELIGIBILITY AMOUNTS:

Household Size	Total Income (Based on 2022 household income)
2	\$ 49,437
3	\$ 62,181
4	\$ 74,925
5	\$ 87,669
6	\$ 100,413
7	\$ 113,157
8	\$ 125,901

STEP 1

Complete a pre-application online at bisonfund.com between **January 15, 2023** and **March 15, 2023**. If you have any questions, you can call BISON at (716) 854-0869 ext. 1.

STEP 3

If selected, complete the full application online. Enroll your child(ren) in the school of their choice and ask the school to complete the school commitment form.

STEP 2

Watch for notification after the BISON Lottery is held on **March 16, 2023**. Lottery winners will receive an email with a link directing them to complete a full application to receive the scholarship. If you're not chosen, you will automatically be placed on the BISON waitlist.

STEP 4

Once all the steps are completed, BISON will notify you of your scholarship amount. Watch for email notices to annually renew your BISON Scholarship in February of each year and add siblings.



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