



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 Dr. Tammy Cesinger at The Haven 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, The Haven Academy will work closely with its existing tuition assistance office and scholarship committee. The school does have other scholarship opportunities but GOAL funds or eligibility must be exhausted prior to consideration.

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. Enrollment as a homeschool student in Canton Homeschool Resources' 2 day hybrid program fulfills this requirement.

Student Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Applying for Grade: _____

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

StreetAddress: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip Code: _____ Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

We understand that we are authorizing The Haven 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 The Haven Academy to process the request for scholarship funding:

1)Proof of Income: a.Federal Tax Return (pages1-2)

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 1stgrade)

- c. Proof of Another HB 1133 Scholarship Award
- d. Proof of Home School (declaration of intent to homeschool form for the last 12 months) 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. _____

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 The Haven Academy.

To learn more about the Georgia GOAL Scholarship Program, please visit www.goalscholarship.org. The Haven Academy admits students of any race, color, and national or ethnic origin.

Please return application and supporting documentation to Tammy Cesinger at The Haven Academy.

Although Georgia law does not limit the household income of families eligible to receive scholarships under the Georgia Education Expense Credit program, all GOAL Scholarships are awarded on the basis of financial need. GOAL provides its participating schools with scholarship award guidelines based upon family size and adjusted gross income. Under the guidelines, in order for a child to receive a GOAL Scholarship, total household income of the applicant family must not exceed \$149,862. Under the guidelines, the maximum annual scholarship that may be awarded is an amount equal to 90 percent of the private school's lowest published rate of tuition for the recipient's grade or the award allowed by the law under which we operate (\$11,359 in 2021), whichever is less. [GOAL Scholarship- Maximum Scholarship Calculator-2021-22.xls](#)