



Dear Parent/Guardian,

You may now apply for the Reading Scholarship Accounts for the 2020-21 school year!

Next Steps:

If your child is new to the Reading Scholarship Program, [click here](#) (or on the button below) and then on the “Apply Now” button to apply for a Reading Scholarship for the 2020-21 school year.

If your child was awarded a Reading Scholarship for the 2019-20 school year, you have been **emailed a unique link to apply for the scholarship. Please apply via the link in your email, as the process is different for returning students.**

Please read the email below in it's entirety for important information

Changes have been made to the eligibility requirements for the 2020-21 school year, due to the cancellation of FSA/ELA tests last school year.

Eligibility:

In order to be eligible for a Reading Scholarship Account your child must meet the following requirements:

- Currently enrolled in a Florida public school in third, fourth or fifth grade for the 2020-21 school year, and
- Scored a performance level 1 or 2 on the English Language Arts (ELA) test in the 2018-19 school year, or
- Enrolled in one of Florida's [300 Lowest Performing Elementary Schools](#) in 2018-19, or
- Enrolled in one of [Florida's elementary schools that earned a D or F](#) school grade in 2018-19, or
- Identified in the 2019-20 school year as having substantial deficiency in reading based on their most recent available screening and progress monitoring assessment.

Students who are classified as English Language Learners, and who are enrolled in a program or receiving services that are specifically designed to meet the instructional needs of English Language Learner students, will receive priority.