## 2022 POVERTY GUIDELINES FOR THE 48 CONTIGUOUS STATES AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Persons in family/household	Poverty guideline	Eligibility Benchmark
2	\$18,310	\$54,930
3	\$23,030	\$69,090
4	\$27,750	\$83,250
5	\$32,470	\$97,410
6	\$37,190	\$111,570
7	\$41,910	\$125,730
8	\$46,630	\$139,890
9	\$51,350	\$154,050
For families/households with more than 9 persons, add \$14,160 to the eligibility benchmark for each additional person.		

The benchmark for eligibility is 300% of the current federal poverty guidelines. For a family to be eligible to receive a scholarship the total income of all individuals in a household must not exceed the eligibility benchmark.