



NEW 2024-25 FES-UA PURCHASING GUIDELINES

As of July 1, 2024, the Family Empowerment Scholarship for Students with Unique Abilities (FES-UA) Purchasing Guide is updated for the 2024-25 school year. Here's a breakdown of what is new or changed in the guide.

What's new for you?

New items or services for purchase by our scholarship families	New items or services that require Pre-Authorization	New items or services requiring an Educational Benefit Form*
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cell phones • Smart watches • Specialized or sport-specific footwear • Other At-Home Classroom Furnishings and equipment that supports student learning needs • Switches and other periphery devices unique to a student's needs • Nintendo Wii © equipment or similar movement-based platforms • Musical instrument tuning, insurance, or service agreements and repair • Day educational camps • At-Home classroom furniture, projectors, P.E. equipment, and elective equipment may be eligible sooner than once every two (2) years with pre-authorization <p>Educational Software and Subscriptions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Video/TV/online streaming services • Musical streaming services • In-game purchases or credits • Live television • Family or Multi-User software subscriptions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multiple of a single At-Home Classroom Furnishings item that exceeds \$50 • Multiple of a single elective item that exceeds \$50 • Televisions over 55 inches • Curriculum that is not publicly available • Therapies or services for all pre-K program providers • Day educational camps • At-Home Classroom Furnishings, projectors, P.E. equipment, and elective equipment may be eligible sooner than once every two (2) years with a pre-authorization • Fees associated with standardized testing or examinations not listed in the handbook 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tools related to postsecondary transition goals or career plans • Video/TV/online streaming services • Musical streaming services • In-game purchases or credits • Live television • Social media (except LinkedIn Learning for Students) • Family or multi-user software subscriptions

*The Educational Benefit Form is a required document in which a parent/guardian provides a brief description of how the requested item or service will help their student learn through an educational benefit. [Click here](#) to access the form.