

# **Renewal Student Application Checklist**

# Documents required for <u>all renewal</u> applications (FTC, FES-EO, PEP and FES-UA)

A student Is considered a renewal if funded for the 2023-24 school year.

### Proof of Florida residency (for primary parent/guardian only)

All documents must be current (within 2 months from the submission date, if a recurring bill/statement), valid, and match the primary parent's/guardian's full name and the current physical street address provided on the application.

Proof of Residence can be established with one document from Column A or two different documents from Column B.

| Column A (upload <u>one</u> document)   | Column B (upload <u>two different</u> documents) |
|---|--|
| Utility bill (electric, gas, water)   | Florida driver's license or state-issued ID*     |
| Mortgage statement or residential lease agreement   | Paystub*   |
| Proof of current government benefits:<br>Social Security, Veterans Affairs, Disability, Medicare, Section 8/<br>HUD, TANF, SNAP, DCF correspondence | Automobile insurance statement*                  |
| Homestead or Property tax statement/assessment  | Health insurance statement*                      |
| Permanent change of station (PCS) military orders   | Homeowners or renters insurance policy*          |
| Homeless Verification or Certificate  | Mortgage acceptance letter*                      |
| Migrant Address Verification Letter   | *A secondary document is necessary.              |
| Property deed   |  |

New for the 2024-25 school year: Proof of residency is no longer required for secondary guardians.

### **Social Security Number**

A social security number will need to be entered for you and your student.

**Note:** FES applications require student social security numbers. If you or your student do not have a social security number, leave this question blank. Your student will only be considered for FTC.

# Additional documents required <u>only for renewal FES-UA</u> applications (if applicable) Diagnosis documentation (if applicable)

If your student previously qualified for the FES-UA scholarship under one of the following categories, you must submit documentation to demonstrate the student qualifies under an eligible diagnosis for the 2024-25 school year:

- Students who qualified as "high-risk" and who are turning 6 on or before September 1, 2024
- Students who qualified based on being hospitalized or homebound



# **New Student Application Checklist**

# Documents required for <u>all new applications</u> (FTC, FES-EO, PEP and FES-UA)

## Proof of Florida residency (for primary parent/guardian only)

All documents must be current (within 2 months from the submission date, if a recurring bill/statement), valid, and match the primary parent's/guardian's full name and the current physical street address provided on the application.

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## **Proof of child's age**

A birth certificate (or non-expired passport) is required for FES-UA students 3-6 years old and FTC/FES-EO/ PEP rising Kindergarten and first-grade students (5-6 years old on or before September 1, 2024) during the school year you are applying for.

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# Additional documents required only for new FES-UA applications

### **Diagnosis documentation**

<u>Click here</u> to access the list of accepted diagnosis documentation in the FES-UA Parent Handbook, Appendix A.

**Note:** Please remove all password protection from all files. Document size is limited to 5 MB (only 5 documents per upload field). If your diagnosis documentation is too large, upload the pages that include the student's name, diagnosis, physician, psychologist or an autonomous APRN's information.

# Additional documents required <u>only for new FTC, FES-EO & PEP</u> applications (if applicable)

## Proof of income (only when applying for Income Priority)

Income documentation must be submitted for all members of the household 18 years and up

- Pay stubs from the 30 consecutive days closest to when you submit your application
- Any other sources of income, such as unemployment, social security and/or child support benefits

**Note:** You must enter your accurate household income with verification documents to be considered for income priority. If you do not input income and/or choose not to upload verification documents, you will enter the non-priority status. Step Up For Students is obligated to award scholarships to students from income-priority households first.