Because of COVID-19, students did not complete the Florida Standards Assessment (FSA) at the end of the 2019-20 school year, which usually determines eligibility for the Reading Scholarship. Your child may not have a score report, but may still qualify for a scholarship.

**Your Child Is Eligible If:**

- They scored a performance level 1 or 2 on the English Language Arts (ELA) section of the FSA in the 2018-19 school year, or
- They were found during the 2019-20 school year to be deficient in reading based on the latest available screening and progress monitoring assessment, or
- They are attending a school that is on this list: (2018-19 Florida’s 300 Lowest Performing Elementary Schools), or
- They are attending a school that is on this list: (2018-19 schools receiving a D or F school grade).

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.

**What Is It?**

Scholarship

- $500
- Tuition and fees for part-time tutoring provided by a properly credentialed individual, as outlined in the Reading Handbook.
- Fees for summer education programs designed to improve reading or literacy skills.
- Fees for after-school education programs designed to improve reading or literacy skills.
- Instructional materials and curriculum related to reading or literacy.
- Approved technology items, including laptop computers, desktop computers and tablets.

*Program funds are limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis.*

**How Do I Apply?**

To apply online, or for more information, visit [StepUpForStudents.org/reading](http://StepUpForStudents.org/reading).

**Reading Scholarship Questions?**

- [email](reading@sufs.org)
- Scholarship Hotline 877-735-7837

As of November 2020 for the 2020-21 school year.