



## EXCEPTIONAL KIDS ATHLETICS INC



<b>Name of Policy:</b> Policy on Scholarships	<b>Approved By:</b> The Board of Coordinators <b>Date:</b>
<b>Version:</b> 1.0	<b>Drafted By:</b> Aimee Prainito, CEO
<p><b>Policy Statement:</b> Exceptional Kids Athletics Inc (EKA) will have a clear and reproducible method of collecting, recording and deciding on scholarship recipients.</p> <p><b>Parties Involved:</b> The parties involved will consist of all Board of Coordinators who will be involved in determining the outcome of the scholarship.</p> <p><b>Purpose:</b> The purpose of this Policy is to set guidelines for the application process, and the determination of who will receive the scholarship.</p> <p><b>Responsibilities:</b> It is the responsibility of all Board of Coordinators to ensure that proper procedure is followed in determining scholarships for any EKA athlete.</p> <p><b>Procedures:</b> In order to be considered for an EKA scholarship:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. There needs to be enough funds in EKA reserve to cover the cost of the scholarship.</li><li>2. The scholarship will cover the cost of registration, uniform and any specialized equipment the athlete will need for that season only.</li><li>3. There may be more than one scholarship recipient if funds allow.</li><li>4. The recipient cannot have received the scholarship in the previous two years.</li><li>5. The applicant must fill out the application and submit all required paperwork in a timely manner.</li><li>6. The applicant must complete all EKA registration paperwork in its entirety along with the application to demonstrate their commitment to EKA.</li><li>7. The application is due prior to the close of registration to be considered for the current season.</li><li>8. The application must be signed and dated and filled completely out otherwise it will be automatically rejected.</li><li>9. The applicant must meet financial need and submit proof of need.</li><li>10. The Board of Coordinators will decide based on the applications submitted, who will receive the scholarship.</li><li>11. First time applicants will be considered over repeat applicants.</li><li>12. Family members must return in kind with handing out sponsor packets and trying to solicit new sponsors for EKA.</li><li>13. Family members are not required to volunteer their time.</li><li>14. See the 3 page application that is required to be completely filled out and submitted with</li></ol>	



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the appropriate paperwork.

15. All information will be kept confidential from everyone except the board. Coaches and other personal need not know that the athlete is receiving a scholarship.

Authorization:

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Serrah Dodson, Acting Secretary  
Exceptional Kids Athletics Inc

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Date Approved by Board

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Aimee Prainito, CEO  
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