

# Heart of Iowa School Tuition Organization, Inc.

## 2025-2026 Grant Application

For income eligibility limits, refer to the chart on the following page.

### Instructions:

1. Complete and sign the application.
2. Attach a **signed** copy of pages 1 & 2 of your 2024 State of Iowa Income Tax Return. If you did not file a tax return in Iowa for 2024, you may submit a federal tax return instead. Please black out Social Security numbers.
3. Submit the application and the tax return directly to your school.

### Parent/Guardian Information:

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ ST: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### Student Information:

|                  |                   |                      |                          |
|------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| Last Name: _____ | First Name: _____ | Date of Birth: _____ | Grade in 25/26 SY: _____ |
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**Number of persons in your household:** \_\_\_\_\_ If this is different than the number of persons listed on your tax return or if a student isn't listed as a dependent on the tax return, additional documentation is required.

### Select the school your student(s) will attend:

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|--------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ames Christian School         | <input type="checkbox"/> Faith Academy                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Mt. Olive Lutheran             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ankeny Christian Academy      | <input type="checkbox"/> Grand View Christian School    | <input type="checkbox"/> New City Classical Academy     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cedar Ridge Christian School  | <input type="checkbox"/> Isaac Newton Christian Academy | <input type="checkbox"/> Royal Legacy Christian Academy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cedar Valley Christian School | <input type="checkbox"/> Joshua Christian Academy       | <input type="checkbox"/> Tri-State Christian            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Des Moines Christian School   | <input type="checkbox"/> Marshalltown Christian School  |                                                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Empigo Academy                | <input type="checkbox"/> Morning Star Academy           |                                                         |

### Sign and certify:

By my signature below, I certify that the information I have provided on this application, the attached tax return and any other documents is true, accurate and complete.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**For School Office Use Only:** I verify that the student(s) listed on this application are enrolled.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Income Eligibility Limits

The Heart of Iowa School Tuition Organization (STO), Inc. has complete discretion regarding grants awarded. The Heart of Iowa STO will send grants directly to the school where the student is enrolled, and the grant will be applied to the student's tuition account. If the student does not complete a full year of school, the awarded grant will be prorated based on the number of days enrolled, and the unused portion will be returned to the Heart of Iowa STO.

To be eligible for a grant, the **Taxable Income on your Iowa Tax Return** (Line #4 on the Iowa form; if using the federal form this line will be titled Total Income) cannot exceed the amount listed below for your household size. When using a State of Iowa return, this number will be the same number that is used to qualify for Education Savings Accounts. The Income Limits are based on 400% of the current Federal Poverty Guidelines.

### Heart of Iowa School Tuition Organization, Inc. 2024 Tax Return Income Limits

| Household Size         | Total Income Limit<br>Iowa Tax Return (Taxable Income) |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| 2                      | \$84,600.00                                            |
| 3                      | \$106,600.00                                           |
| 4                      | \$128,600.00                                           |
| 5                      | \$150,600.00                                           |
| 6                      | \$172,600.00                                           |
| 7                      | \$194,600.00                                           |
| 8                      | \$216,600.00                                           |
| Each Additional Person | +\$22,000                                              |