The BASIC Fund is a privately funded scholarship program dedicated to broadening the educational opportunities for children by helping low-income families afford the cost of tuition at private schools.

We provide scholarships to students entering school in the fall, and they are renewable each year through the eighth grade.

Scholarships are awarded on a first come, first served basis until the deadline (usually mid-March). Call us or check our website for deadline information.

SCHOLARSHIPS ARE UP TO A MAXIMUM OF $2,000 ANNUALLY PER STUDENT.

Do I qualify?
You qualify for a scholarship if you meet ALL of the following requirements:

1. Your child will be entering K-8th grade and into a registered private school in Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clar, Solano or Sonoma Counties in the fall.
2. At least one child is attending private school for the first time.
3. Your child meets all academic and other admissions requirements of that school.
4. Your family meets the income eligibility guidelines.

How do I apply?
- Applications available starting each year in January at www.basicfund.org
- Download a BASIC Fund application from our website or call us at (415) 986-5650
- Complete the Application (Form A), Registration Form (Form B), attach a copy of your complete financial documentation (see application for acceptable financial documentation) and mail or fax to The BASIC Fund by the deadline (usually mid-March).