

**DINOSAURS & ROSES SCHOOL CHOICE SCHOLARSHIP FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2017/18
PROCEDURE FOR GRANT QUALIFICATION**

Dinosaurus & Roses will be accepting applications from returning families starting May 1, 2017 and from new families starting May 15, 2017 as part of the Nevada Educational Choice Scholarship Program.

In order for Dinosaurs & Roses to consider your application, the following are the requirements:

1. You have to be living in the State of Nevada and the student has to be entering K – 12. The school you are planning to attend or attending has to be a private registered school to receive the grant. A list of the schools can be found on www.doe.nv.gov under the link for Nevada Choice Scholarship Program.
2. Your family annual household income should be within 300% of the federal designated poverty level.
3. Parents must fill out the application provided by Dinosaurs & Roses for school year 2017/2018; answer or check all the questions. Leaving questions blank may lead to your family not being eligible. For each student please fill out a separate application.
4. In order for your application to be considered complete and Dinosaurs & Roses being able to determine if you are within 300% of the federal designated poverty level, you must include with your application the following Supporting documents
 - Copies of your 2016 tax return (first 2 pages). If you are not required to file a tax return because of your income level, you will state so in the application.
 - A copy of both parents/guardians last 2 pay stubs. If one of the parents/guardians are self-employed and does not receive a paycheck, please provide a copy of your last month's personal bank statement. You may include a P& L statement that shows expenses to offset the income.
 - If you receive government aid such as food stamps, social security, student loans/grants, housing assistance, workers compensation, disability, unemployment, please provide documentation.
5. The scholarship application should be completed by the parent/guardian with whom the child is living with. If the parents are separated or divorced, it should be completed and signed by the parent that has primary custody. If the parent that has primary custody (parent/guardian "1") remarries, list the new spouse as parent/guardian "2"
6. According to the temporary regulations from the Dept. of Education, the Scholarships will be awarded in the order in which the completed application is received with some exceptions. For more information, please see www.doe.nv.gov under the link for Nevada Choice Scholarship Program.
7. Please submit your application with a \$25.00 per family application fee. Make check payable to Dinosaurs & Roses. Application fees apply to all applications that are processed and/or reviewed. Application fees will only be returned if you are denied a scholarship due to us running out of funds.
8. All applications must be mailed (USPS, FedEx or UPS) to Dinosaurs & Roses, 7310 Smoke Ranch Rd., Ste B., Las Vegas, NV 89128. No drop offs will be accepted.
9. Parents will receive notification by mail if they were approved or not.