

# EASTSIDE FC

## 2024 - 2025 Financial Aid Application

### Scholarship Overview

Financial assistance to defray the costs associated with the club registration fee is available on a limited basis for full year team programs only, using the income eligibility guidelines of the National School Lunch Program. Selection to a team is not based on your need for financial assistance.

Scholarship will be applied to your club registration fee, in addition you will be awarded **\$750** that will be directly deposited to your team account to cover team fees. Participants are required to pay all costs in excess of the assistance provided. Should a player choose to transfer out of the club at any time, their remaining financial obligation must be paid in full before Eastside FC will release them to play at another club.

### Eligibility

Please use the Income Eligibility Chart on page 2 as a guideline to determine whether you may be eligible for an EFC scholarship. We understand that families may currently be experiencing some unique circumstances that should be considered in addition to the household income. If your 2023 household income exceeds the salary levels on the Income Eligibility Chart, please attach an additional page explaining your unique situation.

### Participation in Team and Club Activities

Scholarship players are expected to participate fully on the team. This means attendance is mandatory at all practices, games, tournaments, and team social functions unless arrangements are made with your coach. In short, you are expected to be a good teammate.

Parents of scholarship recipients are encouraged to find opportunities to volunteer in the club or on their team. There are a wide variety of volunteer opportunities available.

### Required Documents

- A completed Eastside FC Financial Aid Application
- A copy of your 2023 Income Tax Return (Form 1040) or if you have not filed your 2023 taxes, please provide your 2022 Tax return with your 2023 W2s.

**Please be aware that incomplete applications -- such as applications that are not supported by a copy of a Federal Income Tax return -- may not be considered.**

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### Submission Deadline

***All applications for scholarships must be received before registration. Once approved, we will provide you with instructions on how to register.***

Mail applications and necessary attachments to:

EFC Scholarships, P.O. Box 284, Preston, WA 98050

Alternatively, you can scan this application plus the required income verification tax documents and email them to [belinda.billington@eastsidefc.org](mailto:belinda.billington@eastsidefc.org).

### Notification of Financial Aid Availability

You will be informed whether or not financial assistance is available prior to team registration should your child be selected. This enables parents to make an informed decision regarding their ability to make the financial commitment required to participate on the team.

### 2023 - 2024 Income Eligibility Guidelines. National School Lunch Program

Household Size	Annual Adjusted Gross Income	Monthly Household Adj. Gross Income
1	\$ 26,973	\$ 2,248
2	\$ 36,482	\$ 3,041
3	\$ 45,991	\$ 3,833
4	\$ 55,500	\$ 4,625
5	\$ 65,009	\$ 5,418
6	\$ 74,518	\$ 6,210
7	\$ 84,027	\$ 7,003
8	\$ 93,536	\$ 7,795
Each Additional Member Add: +	\$ 9,509	\$ 793

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Player Name:	
Team:	
Parents Name and name of other EFC players in the house:	
Mailing Address:	
Phone Number:	
Email:	
2022 Annual Adjusted Gross Income	
2022 Monthly Adjusted Gross Income	

Attach a copy of your 2022 Income Tax Return (Form 1040) or your 2021 tax return and 2022 copies of your W-2 forms.

In the event your family is awarded financial assistance, a parent/guardian is required to sign an agreement outlining the family's financial responsibilities to the team and club as part of the scholarship award.

*I certify that all of the information contained in and submitted with this application is true and correct, and that all sources of earned and passive income are reported. I understand that I am submitting this information as part of an application for receipt of Eastside FC scholarship funds, that EFC officials may verify this information, and that deliberate misrepresentation or omission of information may jeopardize my chances of receiving such funds, and furthermore, may subject me to liability under any applicable state or federal laws.*

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

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Player: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Privacy Statement**

*Eastside FC will use the information contained in this application only for purposes of selecting scholarship recipients. The information is not shared outside Eastside FC.*