



Education Association of St. Lucie Scholarships

GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP

<https://leadernet.aft.org/webform/scholarship-general-easl>

Four general scholarships will be awarded to SLPS graduates whose parent(s) or legal guardian(s) are Education Association of St. Lucie members in good standing. Applicants plan to attend either a **2- or 4-year college or university or enroll in a vocational program in the major of their choice**. These (four) **\$500** scholarships are given in honor of public school educators and support personnel.

Qualifications:

- *Graduating SLPS high school senior
- *Parent(s)/legal guardian(s) must be a member(s) in good standing of the union
- *Pursuing a 2- or 4-year college degree or a vocational program/certification
- *Have a GPA of 2.5 or higher

DANIEL HINOJOSA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

<https://leadernet.aft.org/webform/scholarship-daniel-hinojosa-easl>

One memorial scholarship will be awarded to a SLPS graduate whose parent(s) or legal guardian(s) are Education Association of St. Lucie members in good standing. Applicants plan to attend either a 2- or 4-year degree program in the field of Mental Health and/or Education. Preference will be given to a qualified candidate who will be entering the Mental Health profession but students who are planning to enter the field of education are also encouraged to apply. This (one) \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded in memory of Daniel Hinojosa.

Qualifications:

- *Graduating SLPS high school senior
- *Parent(s) or legal guardian(s) must be a member(s) in good standing of the union
- *Pursuing a 2- or 4-year degree in the mental health field and/or education
- *Have a GPA of 2.5 or higher

Write a personal statement of **no more than 500 words** on one of the following topics:

- *Tell why you are choosing to pursue a career in the mental health and/or education field and explain the impact you hope to make with those facing mental health concerns.
- *Explain a personal experience with mental health concerns and how you will improve your life or the lives of others through education.
- *Showcase your objective for entering the mental health and/or education field.