

Ann Jerkins-Harris Academy of Excellence

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Subject: Notification of Special Needs and Autism Scholarship Programs

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Ann Jerkins-Harris Academy of Excellence is committed to supporting every student's right to a high-quality education that meets their individual learning needs. In compliance with Ohio Revised Code (ORC) 3323.052, the school provides information to parents and guardians regarding the Jon Peterson Special Needs Scholarship (JPSN) Program and the Autism Scholarship Program (ASP). These programs, offered through the Ohio Department of Education and Workforce (DEW), allow eligible students with disabilities to access specialized educational services through approved providers.

Families of students with disabilities are informed of these programs during enrollment, annual IEP meetings, and through the school's website. Parents are encouraged to visit the following links for more information about eligibility, application procedures, and participating service providers:

- **Jon Peterson Special Needs Scholarship:** <https://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Other-Resources/Scholarships/Special-Needs-Scholarship>
- **Autism Scholarship Program:** <https://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Other-Resources/Scholarships/Autism-Scholarship>

If you would like printed materials or have questions about these programs, please contact the school office for assistance. We are happy to provide guidance and ensure families are aware of all available supports.

Sincerely,

Sonya Loggins
Superintendent/Principal
Ann Jerkins-Harris Academy of Excellence