

Excellence Scholarship Program

Questions & Answers (Q&A)

1. Who can apply for the scholarship?

Children between the ages of 9 and 12, living in Ghana, who meet both the academic and financial criteria.

2. How much financial support does the scholarship provide?

The scholarship covers 83% of the regular tuition fees (up to €9,200 or 120,000 GHC per year). Families are only required to contribute 17% of the tuition fees (€1,970) as well as a one-time registration fee of €200.

3. What are the additional benefits of the scholarship?

- Eligibility for admission to German universities after successfully graduating from GISA
- Free intensive German language course starting on January 12, 2026

4. Which documents are required for the application?

Applications must be submitted by **October 15, 2025** and include the following documents:

- Motivation letter
- Application form with a photo of the child
- School reports for the last two academic years
- Educational assessments (if available)
- Child's ID or birth certificate
- IDs of both parents
- Utility bill (electricity) as proof of residence in Ghana
- For self-employed parents: most recent GRA-stamped tax return (prepared by a chartered accountant and certified by an auditor)
- For employed parents: payslip and employment contract
- Bank statements for the last 6 months

5. What is the selection process?

- Application deadline: October 15, 2025
- Invitation to the Assessment Center: after review of applications
- Assessment Center: November 8, 2025
- Trial classes: November 26 & 27, 2025
- Final decision (acceptance/rejection): by December 3, 2025
- Start of intensive German course: January 12, 2026

6. When are the payments due?

- Registration fee (€200) + 50% of tuition fees: by January 10, 2026
- Remaining 50% of tuition fees: by June 1, 2026

7. Who is excluded from the scholarship program?

- Families whose tuition fees are covered by their employer
- Families living only temporarily in Ghana
- Families with outstanding tuition fee debts at GISA
- Families whose children are already enrolled at GISA

8. How can I apply?

All application documents must be submitted in full by October 15, 2025.

Further information and the application form can be found on the GISA website or requested via email (administration@dis-accra.org).