







The Shining Light Foundation

- Philanthropic organization
- •Provides individual children
- •Financial assistance
 - -Cultural enrichment
 - -Personal enrichment
 - -Academic enrichment
- Lafayette based

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Mission:

To provide assistance to individual children for academic, cultural, and personal enrichment so that every child's light will shine.







The Shining light Foundation

is a private, non-profit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3) charitable organization.







Since 1996, the foundation has made hundreds of grants to children for activities such as

- •field trips
- •summer enrichment programs
- •supplying musical instruments.

Shining Light is an agency of last resort

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"To provide opportunities so that every child's light will shine"

SLF governed by a board of directors.





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The foundation derives funds from:

- personal donations
- •fund raisers
- •Grants:
 - corporations
 - •other organizations.





Fund Raisers & Grants









Kiwanis of Acadiana's **Zydeco Pancake Breakfast**







Bachelor Auction fund raiser

- Marcello's Wine Market
- Sarah Todora Heart and Sole
- Channel 10 KLFY
- Jefferson Street Pub
- Artmosphere Art Gallery and Bistro







Lafayette Board of Realtors Gumbo Cook-off Van Eaton & Romero, Sponsor







Grant from Gannett Foundation







The Learning Fairy



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Scholarships Given









Shining Light Partners with Sylvan Learning

The Shining Light Foundation has partnered with Sylvan Learning Center over the years to provide accademic help to disadvantaged children outside of the classroom



Davian is one such child who was falling behind his classmates. Sylvan has been able to provide him the specialized instruction to allow him reach his potential and keep up with his peers.







Grant Example



Out of Town Field Trip: A portion of transportation and expenses made available for school sponsored field trips







Grant Example

Musical Instrument Rentals: Up to 75%* of the annual rental fee for instruments to eligible school band/orchestra members

* Parents should pay 25%.





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Summer Enrichment Programs:









Qualifications for Scholarship Awards:

Student enrolled in K-6 Lafayette Parish Public schools who have specific needs related to academic, cultural or personal enrichment.







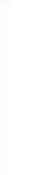
Who is eligible to submit applications?

- •Any teacher, guidance counselor, or principal of a K-6 Lafayette Parish public school.
- •No more than five (5) applications per classroom.





Scholarship Amounts:



Amount of grants are subject to students' needs and available funds.







Important Dates for Applications:

- •The committee should receive applications by the 5th of the month to be considered in that month.
- •Those applications received after the 5th will be considered the following month.
- •Applicant will be notified of the outcome by the second week of the month.







Applications most be signed by all of the following:

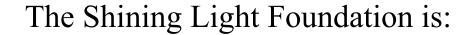
- Teacher or guidance counselor
- Parent or legal guardian
- Student
- Principal







Personal Donations are Greatly Appreciated



- Local
- Cost Efficient
- Results oriented
- Transparent



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