

# Scholarship Application Process



## What's expected from our family?

- Consistent attendance at swim lessons.
- Timely submission of your family contribution and Hope Floats scholarship check to your swim school.
- Complete parent survey following 3-month scholarship.



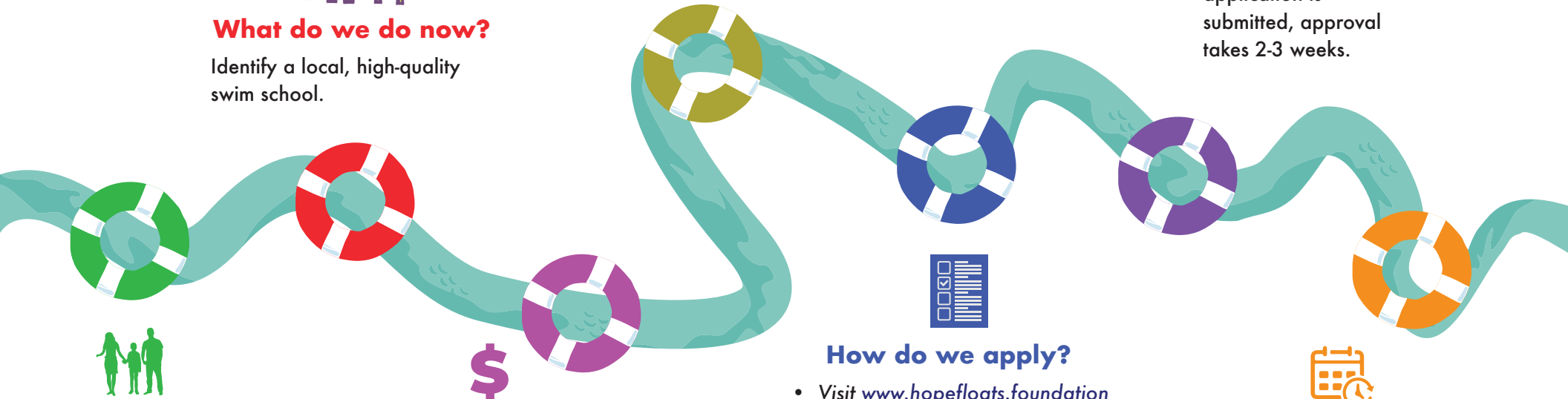
## How long does approval take?

Once a completed application is submitted, approval takes 2-3 weeks.



## What do we do now?

Identify a local, high-quality swim school.



## Our child needs swim lessons

Swimming is a life-saving skill and our child needs to learn.



## How are we going to pay for this?

Hope Floats Foundation provides 3-month scholarships for swimming lessons for children who qualify for free/reduced lunch. A requirement of the scholarship program is that all families must make a financial contribution toward their lessons.

To see if your family qualifies, visit:

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/school-meals/income-eligibility-guidelines>



## How do we apply?

- Visit [www.hopefloats.foundation](http://www.hopefloats.foundation)
- Click "Apply for Assistance"
- Complete online, confidential application
- Attach most recent tax return with Social Security numbers hidden.



## Can we participate in swimming lessons longer than 3 months?

- Yes, complete a new application at [www.hopefloats.foundation](http://www.hopefloats.foundation).
- IMPORTANT NOTE: We recommend completing a new application 3 weeks before your current scholarship ends.