



So...What Is an Education Savings Account?

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Among the most innovative and specialized school choice options not yet available in Missouri are Education Savings Accounts (ESAs), which families can use to personalize their students' education. Show-Me Institute analysts have written about the various possible applications of ESAs. Some examples:

- Students with special needs could take advantage of ESAs through [Bryce's Law](#)
- Bullied students could use [Child Safety Accounts](#)
- ESAs could help [gifted students from low-income families](#)
- ESAs could also be used to make [homeschooling more accessible](#) or even provide the option for a child to attend a [private school](#).

This graphic (available at the link below) provides a brief explanation of how ESAs could work if they were passed in Missouri and how they could serve our students.

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