



KAZMA FAMILY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

*Administered by the Catholic Education Foundation
of the Diocese of Joliet*

WHO CAN APPLY

- Only the students in the Class of 2019 who plan to attend one of the following Catholic schools in the Diocese of Joliet are eligible to apply:

Benet Academy

IC Catholic Prep

Montini Catholic H.S.

St. Francis H.S.

Bishop McNamara H.S.

Joliet Catholic Academy

Providence Catholic H.S.

- Student must have **SIGNIFICANT** financial need.
- Student must actively attend a Catholic parish.

WHAT SCHOLARSHIP INCLUDES

- \$3,000 tuition scholarship for each of 4 high school years.
- An incentive program based on honor roll status which may increase the scholarship up to \$5,000 per year.

HOW TO APPLY

- Submit the application and required attachments by mail. Application can be found on line at www.CEFJoliet.org.
- Financial need and income must be verified through FACTS grant and aid application. All supporting financial documentation must be not only submitted but verified by FACTS.

Application Deadline March 1, 2015

SELECTION PROCESS

- Candidates will be selected by a committee which will consider all materials submitted in application packet.
- All applicants will receive written notice of scholarship awards by June 1.



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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
CLASS OF 2019 ONLY**
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APPLICATION DEADLINE MARCH 1, 2015

Please Print. Do not staple the documents.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name of Student: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Gender: _____

Name of school currently attending: _____

City: _____

Name of high school you plan to attend: _____

Catholic Parish you attend: _____

City: _____

Best Phone to reach Parent: _____

Parent Email Contact: _____

Family Information

Student lives with: Two parents Mother only Father only Other

Brothers/Sisters (Name/Age – School – Tuition cost):

Did siblings receive a Kazma Scholarship in the past? () No () Yes _____

If yes, list sibling's name/school/graduation year: _____

Father's Name (Male Guardian): _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Home Phone, Cell Phone: _____

Employer: _____

Position: _____

Number of years employed there: _____

Mother's Name (Female Guardian): _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Home Phone, Cell Phone: _____

Employer: _____

Position: _____

Number of years employed there: _____

Student Essay – 250 words or less

This section is REQUIRED to be hand written

Attach additional pages if necessary

Please tell us about yourself, your family, your interests, activities, service projects and what makes you happy. Include how being a Catholic has shaped the person you are today.

CHECKLIST

In order to be considered for this scholarship all materials must be submitted by the deadline. Please ensure that all items on the checklist are included with your application packet. **Do not staple any of the documents.**

- I have enclosed 7th and 8th grade report cards and a copy of my high school entrance exam results.

- I have enclosed three letters of recommendation:
 - an academic recommendation from a teacher or principal
 - a religious recommendation from a priest, deacon, or religious sister at a Catholic parish
 - a personal recommendation from a non-relative such as family friend, coach, Godparent.

- I have attached the most recent copy of my federal income tax forms.

- I have filled out the FACTS grant and aid application and submitted all required financial documents **to FACTS by March 1, 2015**. Applications can be completed at www.online.factsmgt.com.

Mail original copy of application and above attachments to:

Jane Lager
Program Director
Catholic Education Foundation
The Bishop Blanchette Catholic Center
16555 Weber Road
Crest Hill, Il 60403

All materials must be postmarked by March 1, 2015.

*All information contained in this application is kept in the strictest confidence.
Only members of the Kazma Scholarship Committee will review this application.*