

Catholic Woman's Club of Kenosha

Scholarship Application Form

For Graduating Eighth-Grade Students planning to enroll in Ninth-Grade at Saint Joseph's Catholic Academy

Purpose: The Catholic Woman's Club (CWC) Scholarship Award will be given to three graduating 8th-grade students who have excelled academically and/or have demonstrated outstanding leadership ability in school, Church or community. The scholarships will be for \$1000 each. The money will be applied to the winners' tuition at St. Joseph's Catholic Academy for their freshman year of high school.

Eligibility: The student must

1. Be an 8th-grade student from who will attend St. Joseph's Catholic Academy in the fall.
2. Have a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00 (or B).
3. Have demonstrated commitment to youth service through a combination of community involvement, extra-curricular activities in Church or school and academic achievement.
4. Must be a resident of Kenosha County.

Scholarship Requirements:

1. **Complete and sign application form.**
 - ❖ The student must complete entire form or the application will **not** be considered for the award. It is acceptable to write "none" if a section of the application does not apply to you. (e.g.: if you do not participate in any sports programs, write "none" or "I'm not involved in sports", but don't leave that line blank!)
 - ❖ All responses on this application **MUST** be legibly handwritten by the student—**NOT** typed.
2. **Submit ONE letter of recommendation from an 8th-grade teacher, school counselor or school principal. This is very important.** This letter should be personalized to the student to demonstrate knowledge of the student's abilities and achievements. It should not be a "form" letter.
3. **Enclose a copy of your most recent report card.** Attach any comments and GPA, including any codes for comments and grades.

Submit the application form and all materials by **Wednesday, March 20, 2019** to:

St. Joseph Catholic Academy
Administrative Office / Scholarships
2401 – 69th Street
Kenosha, WI 53143

Selection Process:

The Catholic Woman's Club Scholarship Award Selection Committee will review applications and select winners and alternates. Decisions of the board are final.

Scholarship Decision:

Letters will be sent to each applicant to inform them of the decision of CWC Scholarship Award Selection Committee. The scholarship award winners will be announced and honored at an appropriate ceremony. Certificates will be awarded to the winners at the CWC Annual Luncheon in May. Scholarship money will be sent to St. Joseph's Catholic Academy to be applied to the winners' tuition. (\$500 to the first semester and \$500 to the second semester tuition.) In the event that a winner is unable to attend St. Joseph's Catholic Academy, the scholarship money will be applied to the alternate's tuition and appropriate notification will be made to the alternate.

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Name: _____
Last First M.I.

Address: _____
Home Address Apt # City State Zip Code

Phone: _____ Birth Date: _____ Male Female

Parent or Guardian's Name(s): _____

What School are you currently attending? _____

What parish/church do you attend/belong to: _____

What is your current Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA)? _____

1. Attach a copy of your most recent report card / transcript.
2. Attach **one** letter of recommendation from an 8th-grade teacher, school counselor or school principal.
(**This is very important.** This letter should be personalized. It should NOT be a "form" letter.)

Applicant's Signature: _____

Parent / Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

For office use only:

Who application is received by: _____
Date received: _____
Postmark date (if mailed): _____

All responses on this application MUST be legibly HANDWRITTEN by the student – NOT typed.

Why do you desire this scholarship? _____

Tell us about your achievements in the following areas. Include any awards / honors you have received.

❖ Sports: _____

❖ Music: _____

❖ Extra Curricular Activity: _____

❖ Church Volunteer: _____

❖ Community Volunteer: _____

❖ Scholastic Honors: _____

❖ Special Hobbies / Skills: _____
