

ASCENSION ALTAR SOCIETY

Scholarship Qualifications and Stipulations

1. A scholarship is awarded to a graduating senior on the recommendation of the Scholarship Committee. Both regularly enrolled students and home-schooled students are eligible to apply. Applications of home-schooled students will be assessed accordingly.
2. The applicant must be an active participant in Ascension Catholic Parish in addition to attending mass regularly.
3. The student should have a strong desire and a plan to attend college or to further his/her education in another way.
4. Selection will be by consent of a majority of the committee
5. The student must make use of the scholarship within a year following his/her high school graduation.
6. Any money refunded will be returned to the Scholarship Fund.
7. The scholarship award will be paid directly to the student one month after proof of enrollment is provided.
8. In the event that no applicant meets the scholarship requirements, the money will remain in the Scholarship Fund
9. If the student selected does not take advantage of the scholarship, an alternate student will be selected to receive the full award.

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Application for Scholarship

1. Student's Name _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Street Address _____
City _____ Zip Code _____ Phone _____

3. Father's Name _____

4. Mother's Name _____

5. What college or technical or vocation school do you wish to attend? Please first and second choices.
First Choice _____ Second Choice _____

6. For what vocation or profession are you preparing yourself?

7. How are you planning to finance your education (savings, insurance benefits, trust fund, part-time work, college financial aid, other)?

8. Employment Record (include part-time). Give employer name and address, using back of sheet if necessary.

9. List Parish activities in which you have participated regularly.

10. List civic, school, and other activities in which you have participated (include summer activities). DO NOT include activities prior to attending high school.

Year	Organization	Location	Activity	Office

11. List honors (scholastic, citizenship, athletics) which have been awarded to you. A separate sheet may be attached if needed.

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12. A letter or essay describing your desire to continue your education **must** accompany this application. This letter should contain sufficient information and insight that it will give the Scholarship Committee a word picture of the applicant. It should reveal the hopes, ambitions, desires, career plans, and needs of the individual. ***This is most important as it is usually the deciding factor in awarding scholarships.*** (Its should be no more than 1 to 2 pages double-spaced, with 12-pt. font and 1” margins.)

13. Please attached a recent school transcript (or comparable record/document if home-schooled) and a copy of a recent picture (snapshots are acceptable). The picture will not be returned. Applicant should also include a letter of recommendation with the application. Letters from parish affiliations are preferred, but letters from others will be accepted.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Deadline for submission is: Monday, February 27, 2023.
No applications will be accepted after this date.