

# 2018 APPLICATION FOR TUITION ASSISTANCE

ALL INFORMATION MUST BE COMPLETE IN ORDER TO QUALIFY  
APPLICATIONS DUE SUNDAY, MAY 27, 2018 BY 5:00 PM

## *St. Matthew Parish*

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*Norwalk, CT 06854*

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This is a Catholic Scholarship – in order to qualify you **must** be attending Mass Weekly.

**Scholarships are available for any YOUTH attending a Catholic High School or any College. (NOT EVERYONE APPLYING WILL RECEIVE AID)**

**College Applicants:** A letter is needed from the Pastoral Care Department on your campus attesting to your involvement.

### **Tuition grants are made to Parish members on:**

1. Regular Mass Attendance - Supply a letter from your chaplain if away at school
2. Service in the Parish, AND Involvement at St. Matthew 2017-2018
3. Need for Financial Assistance
4. Academic Standing Currently
5. Application due May 27, 2018 – 5:00 pm – No Application Accepted After This Date.

**Please complete the following and return this form to the Scholarship Committee at the Parish Center along with a current photograph of yourself.**

**A copy of the student's latest transcript MUST accompany application.**

**Failure to answer ALL questions will void this application.**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

Soc.Sec.# \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY:** Name the Parish ministries and organizations in which you are/were involved:

**In 2018:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In 2017:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In 2016:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Indicate number of years participating, how often (weekly, monthly, twice/year), positions held. This will be verified.**

1. Do you attend Mass Weekly? Yes \_\_\_ Where \_\_\_\_\_  
No \_\_\_\_\_ If not, how often? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Do the priests know you? \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Where will you be going to school? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Please identify your projected expenses:

- a. Annual Tuition: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Room and Board: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Books and Fees: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Transportation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

5. Please identify how you will meet these expenses:

- a. Your savings to date: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Anticipated earnings this summer: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Amount of family assistance: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Other financial assistance: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(grants, scholarships, etc.)
- e. Total of 6a through 6d: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- f. Assistance needed 5e minus 6e: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

6. Names of dependent brothers and sisters   Ages   Schools Attending

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Others dependent on family support:

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7. Who supports the family?    Father \_\_\_\_\_,    Mother, \_\_\_\_\_    Both \_\_\_\_\_

Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

8a. Describe your scholastic record at school:

Class standing \_\_\_\_\_

SAT Score - Verbal \_\_\_\_\_    Math \_\_\_\_\_    Total \_\_\_\_\_

Comments/Explanation \_\_\_\_\_

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8b. List your school activities and the number of years your participated:

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8c. List any **Grants and Awards** received from your school.

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Comments/Explanations:

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8. After school/week-end employment:

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ # hrs. worked/week \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ # hrs. worked/week \_\_\_\_\_

**9. Additional requirement for all students attending high school or college in September:**

Write a one-page essay about your involvement in St. Matthew Parish during 2017-2018.

How have you contributed to the life of the Church?

As a student in high school or college, how will you continue to serve your parish?

What do you see as your responsibility in deepening your relationship with God and the entire Church?

**To insure fair consideration of all candidates, please answer each question as completely as possible. Add other pertinent information on an additional sheet.**

**Your Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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