



FOUNDATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

FACS GRANT SCHOLARSHIP

GUIDELINES AND CRITERIA FOR 2025-2026 AWARDS

The Foundation for the Advancement of Catholic Schools (FACS) invites applications for the FACS Grant Scholarship for the 2025-2026 Academic Year.

1. The Foundation for the Advancement of Catholic Schools will award scholarships from the FACS Scholarship Fund, the number of which and values of as determined by the FACS Distribution Committee from all qualified applications received by the due date.
2. **The scholarships are being offered to students whose parents/guardians are Catholic educators or staff at the elementary school. Proof of employment in Catholic education will be required to be submitted with the application.**
3. The scholarships will be awarded on the basis of the basis of **financial need, and academic promise.**
4. Interested candidates/families should complete the Scholarship Application Form and submit it with all supporting documentation (**delete all but last 4 digits of Social Security numbers from paperwork**) to their Principal by the due date established by the Principal. Provide only Federal Tax Forms 1040, 1040A or 1040EZ. Additional schedules with tax returns should not be included with the application.
5. **A copy of the student's most recent report card must be included with the application.**
6. **The student's Principal is to complete and sign the Principal Certification section of the Application and attest that the application is complete.**
7. Completed application forms with all supporting materials are to be forwarded (by the school) to the Foundation of the Advancement of Catholic Schools office **on or before Friday, March 7, 2025.** Supporting materials required to accompany the scholarship application are spelled out on the application form. **FACS will not accept applications that are incomplete, have missing supporting documentation and/or submitted after the due date.**