

Pay It Forward Tuition Scholarship Application Form

The Pay It Forward Tuition Scholarship provides the opportunity for families of current 5th, 6th and 7th grade students at the five South Dayton Catholic Schools¹ to apply for one-half of the annual tuition for the upcoming school year. The primary goal is to provide short-term financial assistance to families that are committed to providing a quality Catholic education for their children. A generous benefactor provides funding for a total of 27 scholarships awarded across the designated Catholic grade schools for students entering grades 6, 7 & 8 during the upcoming school year. The school's annual student enrollment determines the number of scholarships awarded to each school.

Scholarship criteria for application to the Pay it Forward Tuition Scholarship:

- Academic achievement of "B" equivalent and higher grades
- Demonstrated Catholic Christian behavior
- Demonstrated financial need through the FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment or equivalent
- Letter from the student's parent
- Approval by the school principal to finalize the application process.

Application packets must be received by your school principal on or before March 1. The awarded recipients will be notified by March 15th.

This is a one-year tuition scholarship, but families may re-apply each year. Families may apply for multiple children; however, a completed application packet is needed for each child. It is the sincere hope of the benefactors that parents and students will make a commitment to Catholic education beyond the term of the scholarship, and that those benefiting from the tuition scholarship will help sustain and grow this program for future generations of Catholic families.

Please submit the Pay It Forward Scholarship Application and the requested packet of information to the attention of your child's school principal by **March 1**.

¹ Saint Albert the Great, Saint Charles, Incarnation, Bishop Leibold and Ascension



Family Name:	
Student Name:	
Current School:	Current Grade:
Parent Signature:	Date:
Student Signature:	Date:

Please attach the following information to this cover sheet:

- 1. Copy of current report card: (The school will provide copies of current report card and discipline record.)
 - a) evidence that applicant maintains a B Average.
 - b) evidence of applicant's exemplary discipline record (if not noted on the report card, a short verification note from the principal may be included)
- 2. Parent Letter: Describe in 200 words why you feel it is important for your child to receive a Catholic education.
- 3. FACTS form or the financial aid forms required for your school.

The deadline to submit the Application Packet is March 1, and the awarded recipients will be notified by March 15.

Thank you for your commitment to Catholic education.