



FRESHMAN APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS 2019-2020

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BFC Scholarships 2019-20

Biographical Information

Student's Name _____
(First) (Last)

Current School _____ Grade _____

Father's Name _____
(First) (Last)

Primary Phone _____ Home Cell Work

Email: _____

Are you an alumnus of Bishop Foley? Yes No Class of _____

Mother's Name _____
(First) (Last)

Primary Phone _____ Home Cell Work

Email: _____

Are you an alumna of Bishop Foley? Yes No Class of _____ Maiden Name _____

Please list all family members who will be attending a Catholic grade school, high school or will be enrolled full-time in a college or university during the 2019-20 academic year.

Name	Grade	School Attending
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

We verify that the information checked has been submitted.

Applicant's Signature _____

Parent's Signature _____

I understand that all required applications, documents, and FACTS forms must be submitted and all requirements must be met by the required due dates to be considered for any of the scholarships and grants. In the event that additional money becomes available during the academic year applications received by the due dates will be given sole consideration.

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date



Application Checklist

Before submitting your application, be sure to include all the information requested and check it off. Essay(s) should be labeled with the scholarship name and the applicant's name. Incomplete applications or those submitted after the deadline will NOT be considered.

<i>Scholarship Name</i>	<i>Application Due Date</i>	<i>Who is eligible to apply?</i>	<i>I am currently applying for:</i>	<i>Essay labeled and attached.</i>
Bishop Foley Grants	February 22, 2019 (rolling basis)	See Scholarship Booklet for details. FACTS Grant & Aid Application completed online. Allocations are awarded on a rolling basis.		
Christian Service Scholarship	February 22, 2019	Incoming Freshmen 2019-2020		
Leadership Scholarship	February 22, 2019	Incoming Freshmen 2019-2020		
Art Scholarship	February 22, 2019	Incoming Freshmen 2019-2020		Submit Art Work Portfolio
Performing Arts Scholarships (2)	February 22, 2019	Incoming Freshmen 2019-2020		Audition
William J. Mulligan Scholarship (2)	February 22, 2019	Incoming Freshmen 2019-2020		
Alumni Legacy Scholarship	February 22, 2019	Incoming Freshmen 2019-2020		
Gesu Connection Scholarship	March 22, 2019	Incoming Freshmen 2019-2020		
Holy Family Connection Scholarship	March 22, 2019	Incoming Freshmen 2019-2020		
Janine Kairis – Faith & Gratitude Scholarship	March 22, 2019	All students entering grades 9-12 in 2019-20		

Affording BFC - Info Night

Wednesday, February 13, 2019 at 6:30pm

Affording BFC info night is a chance for current and future Foley families to learn about available scholarships and financial aid. We will discuss the correct way to fill out the FACTS financial aid application and how that applies to BFC Grants and AOD grants. We will also review available tuition payment plans and how any awarded funds are applied to tuition.

We hope to see you there!

BISHOP FOLEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
TUITION ASSISTANCE AND SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Bishop Foley Catholic High School's scholarship and grant program supports our commitment to enroll the most talented and diverse students in the area. These discounts and financial aid grants are an outward sign of our commitment to our families that are seeking a quality faith-based education. We award need-based financial aid and tuition assistance each year. Need-based financial aid awards are grant awards that do not need to be repaid.

SUGGESTIONS

- Students are encouraged to apply for all tuition grants and/or scholarships for which they feel they may qualify.
- When determining financial need, Bishop Foley Catholic considers the number of children in Catholic school, college, special family situations, etc. If your financial situation changes significantly throughout the year, please contact in writing the Principal explaining your circumstances. Sometimes additional grant money becomes available after the school year begins.

OTHER FORMS OF TUITION ASSISTANCE

- *Parish subsidies/grants/awards*
 - Many of the parishes in the Archdiocese of Detroit have programs to assist students who attend Catholic schools. It is always advisable to check with your parish for requirements.
- *Scrip*
 - Scrip is a program that enables you to earn money for tuition by pre-purchasing gift certificates to any of the over 200 stores, restaurants, movie theaters or gas stations in the area that participate. A list of companies that participate is listed on the forms available in the Main Office. Each of the contributing companies offers a rebate – a particular percent of the amount purchased to be returned to Bishop Foley Catholic to apply toward your student's tuition. Extended families and neighbors can also place orders in your student's name. Some families receive between \$300 and \$500, and others receive over \$2,000 per year.
- *Bishop Foley Catholic Tuition Discounts*
 - Multiple Child Discount. To qualify for the Multiple Child Discount, all of the children must be attending Bishop Foley Catholic concurrently. The discount is applied to the oldest child's account. For the 2nd child, the discount applied is \$1,000. For the 3rd + child, the discount applied is \$2,000.
 - Alumni Discount. This discount is applied to one child's account. The discount applied is \$500.

JAMES GROUP SCHOLARSHIP

Who Qualifies:	Incoming Freshmen who exhibit academic and character excellence and score in the 90-99% on the High School Placement Test (HSPT) are eligible for the James Group Scholarship. Students must take the HSPT in November or December. Students must successfully complete 8 th grade.
Application Deadline:	HSPT day: November 17, 2018 or December 1, 2018
Application Process:	Students must apply to Bishop Foley Catholic. Students are chosen based on their HSPT results. No other application forms are required.
Maximum Amount:	\$3,000 Freshman year. \$2,000 each Sophomore/Junior/Senior years.
Renewal Requirements:	Students must maintain a 3.7 GPA or higher and uphold the Bishop Foley Catholic Honor Code.
Award Announcement:	January 25, 2019 when acceptance letters are mailed. Students are honored during Bishop Foley Catholic's 9 th & 10 th grade Honors Assembly.

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP

Who Qualifies:	Incoming Freshmen who exhibit academic and character excellence and score in the 85-89% on the High School Placement Test (HSPT) are eligible for the Academic Excellence Scholarship. Students must take the HSPT in November or December. Students must successfully complete 8 th grade.
Application Deadline:	HSPT day: November 17, 2018 or December 1, 2018
Application Process:	Students must apply to Bishop Foley Catholic. Students are chosen based on their HSPT results. No other application forms are required.
Maximum Amount:	\$1,500 Freshman year. \$1,000 each Sophomore/Junior/Senior years.
Renewal Requirements:	Students must maintain a 3.5 GPA or higher and uphold the Bishop Foley Catholic Honor Code.
Award Announcement:	January 25, 2019 when acceptance letters are mailed. Students are honored during Bishop Foley Catholic's 9 th & 10 th grade Honors Assembly.

FOUNDING PARISH SCHOLARSHIP

Who Qualifies:	The top two incoming Freshmen from Guardian Angels, Bishop Foley Catholic's founding parish, who do not receive the James Group Scholarship or Academic Excellence Scholarship, are eligible to receive this award. Students must take the HSPT in November or December. Students must successfully complete their 8 th grade year.
Application Deadline:	HSPT day: November 17, 2018 or December 1, 2018
Application Process:	Students must apply to Bishop Foley Catholic. Students are chosen based on their HSPT results. No other application forms are required.
Maximum Amount:	\$500 (Non-renewable)
Award Announcement:	January 25, 2019 when acceptance letters are mailed. Students will be honored during Bishop Foley Catholic's 9 th & 10 th grade Honors Assembly.

CHRISTIAN SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP

Who Qualifies:	Incoming Freshmen demonstrating Christian Service Involvement.
Application Deadline:	February 22, 2019
Application Process:	Students must apply to Bishop Foley Catholic and write an essay of 150 words or more describing their Christian Service Involvement and what it means to them. Students must have one letter of recommendation. The essay and letter of recommendation must be submitted, along with the Biographical Information form and Application Checklist, to the Main Office by the application deadline.
Maximum Amount:	\$1,000 (Non-renewable)
Award Announcement:	March 1, 2019. Students will be honored during Bishop Foley Catholic's 9 th & 10 th grade Honors Assembly.

LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP

Who Qualifies:	Incoming Freshmen demonstrating involvement in leadership positions.
Application Deadline:	February 22, 2019
Application Process:	Students must apply to Bishop Foley Catholic and write an essay of 150 words or more describing their leadership involvement within their school or community. Students must have one letter of recommendation. The essay and letter of recommendation must be submitted, along with the Biographical Information form and Application Checklist, to the Main Office by the application deadline.
Maximum Amount:	\$1,000 (Non-renewable)
Award Announcement:	March 1, 2019. Students will be honored during Bishop Foley Catholic's 9 th & 10 th grade Honors Assembly.

ART DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIP

Who Qualifies:	Incoming Freshmen
Application Deadline:	February 22, 2019
Application Process:	Students must apply to Bishop Foley Catholic and submit an Art Portfolio with eight to twelve pieces (any medium), along with the Biographical Information form and Application Checklist, to the Main Office by the application deadline. Students are encouraged to submit photos of the pieces, in place of the original artwork, to sharp@bishopfoley.org .
Maximum Amount:	\$1,000 (Non-renewable)
Award Announcement:	March 1, 2019. Students will be honored during Bishop Foley Catholic's 9 th & 10 th grade Honors Assembly.

PERFORMING ARTS SCHOLARSHIP

Who Qualifies:	Incoming Freshmen
Application Deadline:	Auditions will be held at Bishop Foley Catholic on January 10, 2019 at 4:00 PM. Please contact the Admissions Office at (248) 658-2038 to set up an appointment.
Application Process:	Students must apply to Bishop Foley Catholic. Drama, dance, and/or music students will present a two to three minute audition for the directors of drama, dance, and music. Students are asked to provide their own music and/or drama selection. Students must complete the Biographical Information form and Application Checklist and submit it prior to the audition.
Maximum Amount:	\$1,000 (\$500 Renewable)
Award Announcement:	January 25, 2019 when acceptance letters are mailed. Students will be honored during Bishop Foley Catholic's 9 th & 10 th grade Honors Assembly.

WILLIAM J. MULLIGAN SCHOLARSHIP

Who Qualifies:	Incoming Freshmen
Application Deadline:	February 22, 2019
Application Process:	Students must be formally accepted at Bishop Foley Catholic and write an essay of 250 words or more describing the importance of receiving a Catholic education. Included in this essay should be information on the value of a Catholic education and the sacrifice needed to attain this education. The essay must be submitted, along with the Biographical Information form and Application Checklist, to the Main Office by the application deadline.
Maximum Amount:	\$1,000 (renewable)
Renewal Requirements:	Students must remain in good academic standing and must uphold the Bishop Foley Catholic Honor Code.
Award Announcement:	March 1, 2019. Students will be honored during the Bishop Foley Catholic 9 th & 10 th grade Honors Assembly.

ALUMNI LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP

Who Qualifies:	Incoming freshman in good academic standing who has a parent or grandparent who graduated from Bishop Foley Catholic.
Application Deadline:	February 22, 2019
Application Process:	Students must be formally accepted at Bishop Foley Catholic and write an essay of 250 words or more describing how having an alumni parent or grandparent shaped their decision to come to Bishop Foley, what qualities in their parents/grandparents that they admire and why, how this scholarship would help their family financially and why they would like to attend the school and continue their parent's/grandparent's legacy. Submit the essay, Biographical Information form, and Application Checklist to the Main Office by the application deadline.
Maximum Amount:	\$500 (renewable)
Renewal Requirements:	Students must remain in good academic standing (maintain a 3.0 GPA), and uphold the Bishop Foley Catholic Honor Code.
Award Announcement:	April 1, 2019 Students will be honored at the June 2019 Alumni Association Annual Meeting.

HOLY FAMILY CONNECTION SCHOLARSHIP

Who Qualifies:	Incoming Freshmen who attended Holy Family Regional School (HFRS) their 8 th grade year.
Application Deadline:	March 22, 2019
Application Process:	Students must be formally accepted at Bishop Foley Catholic and write an essay of 150 words or more describing their desire to attend BFC and what they will bring with them from their experience at HFRS. Students must have one letter of recommendation. The essay, letter of recommendation, Biographical Information form, and Application Checklist, must be submitted by the application deadline.
Maximum Amount:	\$1,000 (renewable)
Renewal Requirements:	Students must remain in good academic standing and must uphold the Bishop Foley Catholic Honor Code.

Award Announcement: April 1, 2019. Students will be honored during the Bishop Foley Catholic 9th & 10th grade Honors Assembly.

GESU CONNECTION SCHOLARSHIP

Who Qualifies: Incoming Freshmen who attended Gesu Catholic School or Parish their 8th grade year.

Application Deadline: March 22, 2019

Application Process: Students must be formally accepted at Bishop Foley Catholic and write an essay of 150 words or more describing their desire to attend BFC and what they will bring with them from their experience at Gesu. Students must have one letter of recommendation. The essay, letter of recommendation, Biographical Information form, and Application Checklist, must be submitted by the application deadline.

Maximum Amount: \$1,000 (renewable)

Renewal Requirements: Students must remain in good academic standing and must uphold the Bishop Foley Catholic Honor Code.

Award Announcement: April 1, 2018. Students will be honored during the Bishop Foley Catholic 9th & 10th grade Honors Assembly.

JANINE KAIRIS – FAITH & GRATITUDE SCHOLARSHIP

Who Qualifies: Incoming BFC students in grades 9-12, in good academic standing.

Application Deadline: March 22, 2019

Application Process: Students must be formally accepted at Bishop Foley Catholic and write an essay of 250 words or more describing the importance of dedication to your studies and how your faith has impacted that dedication. The essay, Biographical Information form, and Application Checklist, must be submitted to the Main Office by the application deadline.

Maximum Amount: \$500 (non-renewable)

Award Announcement: April 1, 2019

BISHOP FOLEY CATHOLIC TUITION GRANTS

Who Qualifies:	Accepted Bishop Foley Catholic students, grades 9 through 12. Grants are allocated based on financial need and family circumstances.
Application Deadline:	Primary allocation for applications received by February 22, 2019. Secondary allocation for applications received after February 22, 2019.
Application Process:	Complete the FACTS Financial Aid form. Mail the FACTS form (or submit the online FACTS form) directly to the FACTS office. <i>Note: The FACTS form will be available in January in the Main Office or online at www.bishopfoley.org.</i>
Maximum Amount:	Decisions are based upon a family's income level, family size, number of students in Catholic schools, monthly expenses and special circumstances or hardships. The total amount of tuition assistance provided each year is based upon the availability of funds and the number of applicants.
Award Announcement:	March 1, 2019 for Primary Allocation, continuous awards granted after March 1 st for Secondary Allocation.

ARCHDIOCESE OF DETROIT (AOD) TUITION GRANT

Who Qualifies:	Accepted Bishop Foley Catholic students, grades 9 through 12. Grants are allocated based on financial need.
Application Deadline:	AOD deadline for application is April 1 st .
Application Process:	Complete the FACTS Financial Aid form. Mail the FACTS form (or submit the online FACTS form) directly to the FACTS office. <i>Note: Only <u>one</u> FACTS Financial Aid form is needed for application for both the Bishop Foley tuition grants and the AOD tuition grants. All applicants must be a registered parishioner of an AOD parish and request a signature from the pastor on the FACTS form.</i>
Maximum Amount:	2018-19 amounts are \$800/\$950/\$1,100 depending on need assessment. 2019-20 amount is TBD by the AOD.
Award Announcement:	Summer 2019