







Facts About The Scholarship Fund (SFIC)

- For families with children in grades K-12 attending Catholic schools within the Archdiocese of Newark (Bergen, Essex, Hudson and Union Counties).
- Scholarships are based upon financial need and are awarded without regard to religion, race or ethnicity.
- Currently the SFIC General Scholarship Fund awards a \$1,000 tuition assistance grant to elementary and high school students entering grades K through 12. (All Pre-Kindergarten programs are not eligible).
- Scholarship applications for 2018-2019 school year will be available on-line only starting **February 1st 2018** at www.sficnj.org.
- Deadline for submitting your on-line application is **April 30, 2018**.
- Financial documentation REQUIRED includes the following:
 - 2017 Federal 1040 (page 1 & 2 only) - children must be listed as dependents.
 - 2017 W2
- If applicable:
 - 2017 SSI 1099S or benefit budget letter including monthly amount
 - Unemployment determination letter
 - Current SNAP Food Stamp and/or Welfare benefit budget letter including monthly amounts
- A \$30 non-refundable application fee payable is required (one per family).
- Students in grades K-8 currently receiving tuition assistance from The Children's Scholarship Fund (CSF) program are not eligible to receive a SFIC Scholarship.
- All applicants will be notified by email of our decision **on or by the end of June, 2018**.
- Scholarship payments are made directly to the schools.

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