

Marion and Dorothy Whalon Scholarship

This application is for the Marion and Dorothy Whalon Scholarship Fund, which has been established from the Whalon Estate to provide college and university scholarships for graduates of Saint Joseph School, 159 West Main Street, Meriden, CT 06451.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Must be a graduate of Saint Joseph School, Meriden.
- Must be enrolled full-time in a college or university program of higher education. This award is not limited to undergraduates.
- Must make a commitment to give some significant service to young people and/or the poor in return for this award (minimum 30 hours per year.)
- Must share your experiences with the Saint Joseph School or parish during the next year, but no later than February 1, 2013. You may decide to speak at Mass, at school, or you may write an article for our newsletter.

Please note that incomplete applications will not be taken into consideration.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: Home () _____ Cell () _____ Other () _____

Year Graduated from Saint Joseph School: _____

Does your school require you to perform service hours? YES ___ NO ___ # OF HOURS _____

(Please provide documentation for completed service hours.)

Do you receive any credit for your work? _____

Which college or university will you attend? _____

Mailing address and phone number of the university: _____

Estimated annual cost to attend the school listed above: _____

Note: Scholarships are granted with the stipulation that the recipient give some service to young people and/or to the poor in return. How would you comply with this commitment?

Note: If final decision of school is pending, please inform Saint Joseph School office by May 2, 2012 to have application considered.

Year in School as of September 2012: _____ Major Area of Study: _____

(i.e., Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior, first year graduate...)

Please attach the following items to this application:

- A copy of your most recent academic transcript
- You must write an essay on the following topic: "How can I use my gifts and talents to provide services to help others?"

Your essay must be typed. Maximum length is 500 words. An essay on any other topic will not be accepted. Scholarships will be awarded on a competitive basis with special consideration given to financial need and extracurricular activities, including work experience and service to others.

- Annual costs associated with school, including tuition, room and board, books etc.

Who will be paying those costs? myself parents other

- A copy of your most recent Financial Aid Award Letter

The application, essay, and income statement may be submitted early, with the transcript and Financial Aid information forthcoming from the institution to the address at the top of this application.

Please return the completed application to the St. Joseph Rectory or the Saint Joseph School office by March 26, 2012.

Signature of Student

Date