

## Muskegon Catholic Central Academic Leadership Scholarships

### What are they?

Scholarships awarded to **NEW** middle and high school students who have at least a 3.0 GPA and who have exhibited academic excellence, leadership skills, and community involvement.

**\$8,000** high school scholarships (\$2,000 per year for up to four years)

**\$4,500** middle school scholarships (\$1,500 per year for up to three years)

### Criteria

Scholarship committee will select winners based on

- Academic potential
- Character
- Service and community involvement (school, parish, etc)
- Application essay and recommendation letters

### Qualifications for renewal

Student must maintain a 3.0 GPA, a satisfactory discipline record, and exhibit good character

## Academic Leadership Scholarship Application Process

1. Complete the Muskegon Catholic Central **Admission Form**.
2. Ask a current academic teacher, school guidance counselor, or school principal to complete the teacher **recommendation form** on the applicant's behalf. Completed recommendation forms must be sent directly to MCC by the teacher, counselor or principal. (see form)
3. Submit a copy of the applicant's prior year and year-to-date **report card(s)**.
4. Submit the Academic Leadership Scholarship **Essay**.
5. Return the admission form, grades, and essay to the Muskegon Catholic Central Business Office, Attn: Scholarship Committee 1145 W. Laketon Ave., Muskegon, MI 49441.
6. **Reminder:** In addition to submitting the Application for Admission, all applicants are required to complete an **interview** at Muskegon Catholic Central. Please call the appropriate school office to schedule an interview.

*The Greater Muskegon Catholic School system is a private, independent Catholic school system that does not discriminate on the basis of race, gender, national/ethnic origin, and/or physical limitations (given reasonable accommodations) in the administration of its admission policies, educational policies, financial aid program, or other school-administered programs. The Scholarship Committee determines qualification of candidates for admission on the basis of academic potential, developmental maturity, demonstrated work ethic, school achievement, and readiness for the school's program. Other admission considerations are shaped by the school's policy (as determined by the Board of Trustees) and the school's mission.*