



Knights of Columbus Council #14123 Scholarship Application

The Knights of Columbus Pope John Paul II Council Number 14123, at Holy Family Parish in Modesto, CA, is seeking qualified candidates for two \$500 monetary scholarship grants, to assist with their college and/or university education endeavors.

This scholarship is available to all college age youth of Holy Family Parish who will be attending any college or university recognized by the committee in the 2025/2026 school year.

All qualified candidates must complete and submit the following by no later than **Friday, May 23, 2025**.

- 1) The Application Form
- 2) An essay of no less than 100 words answering a topical question as noted on the Application Form.
- 3) Enclose a letter of recommendation from a teacher or other non-family reference, who is familiar with the applicant's academic, extra-curricular and community activities.
- 4) A copy of your high school transcript, or your college transcript if you are currently a college student. Provide the latest copy of what you have as we understand you may not be able to get into an office to obtain your latest documents.

As you consider filling out your application, here is how the applicants will be graded

Category	Max Pts	Judging Parameters
Academics	30	Overall GPA; Advanced Placement classes;
Activities -- Church	20	Any roles (teacher, assistant, altar server, etc); how often
Activities -- School	20	list of activities; how often; hours per week
Activities -- Community	5	list of activities; how often; hours per week
Essay	10	well written? Detailed?
Letter of Recommendation	10	qualification of reference? Objective?
Overall	5	
Total	100	

Sample tally picking the winner

Name	Judge 1	Judge 2	Judge 3	Total (J1+J2+J3...)
Candidate 1	92	90	90	272
Candidate 2	95	84	92	271

<<< Winner



If you have questions, call John Misiak at 209-996-7453 or Richard Almanza at 209-606-3577 and leave a message.

You can drop off your completed application at Holy Family office, mail it to Holy Family, or email it. The mailing and email addresses are below.

MAILING ADDRESS:

Holy Family Catholic Church
ATTN: Knights of Columbus Scholarships
4524 Tulley Road
Modesto, CA 95356

NOTE: This email address is for completed applications and not for asking questions. If you have questions, call John Misiak or Richard Almanza as listed above

EMAIL:

gt.krebs@att.net

Applications must be received **No Later than May 23, 2025**, to be considered.

Upon review of the applications by the Committee, any/all potential recipients may be contacted by the committee to allow applicants to further introduce themselves, explain their goals and discuss why they should be given a scholarship.



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1. Name: _____

2. Address: _____

3. Phone: _____ Date of Birth: _____

4. Sponsoring Knight's Name (optional): _____

5. College/University attending this fall: _____

6. School now attending: _____

7. Extra-Curricular Activities:

8. Church/community Activities:

9. Awards Received:



10. Accumulative Grade Point Average for last semester (please include last semester report card): _____

11. Church/Parish Attending: _____

12. Baptized? Yes or No (circle one) If yes, where?

13. Confirmed? Yes or No (circle one) If yes, where?

14. How do you expect to finance your College/University Education?

One letter of recommendation (to be filed with this application):

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Answer the following essay question:

“How has your Catholic faith made an impact on your life?”

(on separate paper)