

Should I apply for a scholarship?

Using the outline below, you can determine if you meet the requirements of the State of Pennsylvania, and the Neumann Scholarship Foundation.

1. Are you a resident of Pennsylvania? Scholarships are available to residents only.
2. Is your child attending or accepted to attend a Catholic School in the diocese?
3. Does your household income fall below the state guideline for maximum income? Using the table below, compute household income, and match against the guideline. Take income information from your State Income Tax form (PA-40) line 9.

Household Members: (List each member of the household that is listed as a dependent on the applicant’s federal income tax return)		Household Income: (List income from PA-40 Form filed by applicant and any dependents that are listed on the applicant’s federal tax return)		
	Names		Filed PA-40 Yes/no	Taxable Income from PA-40
Parent/guardian:		Parent/guardian:		
Parent/guardian:		Parent/guardian:		
Other members:		Other members:		
Total Other Members:		Total Household Income: \$		

Income Eligibility Guideline:

Parents/Guardians maximum combined income: **\$50,000**. Income limit increases **\$10,000** for each additional member of the household. If any other member of the household files a Pennsylvania tax form, that income must be included in your calculation of household income.

For example, parents combined earnings are \$55,000. There are two dependent children in the household. One is a high school student with a part time job, who earned \$5,000. Household income is actually \$60,000. However, the family’s income limit for eligibility is \$70,000 (\$50,000 + \$10,000 for each child). The family would meet the state eligibility guideline for a scholarship.

May I apply for more than one EITC scholarship?

Yes. There may be more than one organization offering partial scholarships in your area. The total amount of scholarship assistance you receive through the EITC program may not exceed the tuition that your family is responsible for.

Important Reminders

1. If you determine that you may be eligible for a scholarship, applications are available at the school office.

2. One application is used per family, even if students attend different Catholic schools in the diocese.
3. Please fill in all forms carefully and attach the required documents. Both Federal and State tax forms will be required.
4. **Applications are sent to PSAS only.**
5. Fee must be included with the application.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY April 1st.