

CATHOLIC SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE!

MATER DEI FOUNDATION was established to provide financial assistance for:

- Parishioners of the Diocese of Ogdensburg for the study of liberal arts and sciences at a degree granting Catholic institution;
- Catholic school educators to enhance and broaden teaching skills;
- Students with financial need towards the cost of attendance at a Catholic school in the Diocese of Ogdensburg.

1. **Elementary Education:** one scholarship for each diocesan elementary school in the amount of \$700. This scholarship may also be split into two scholarship awards of \$350; the administrator should apply accordingly.

2. **Junior High School:** one scholarship for each diocesan junior high school in the amount of \$700. This scholarship may also be split into two scholarship awards of \$350; the administrator should apply accordingly.

3. **High School:** two scholarships for each diocesan high school, one for an incoming freshman and one for a continuing student in the amount of \$700 per scholarship. This scholarship may also be split into two scholarship awards of \$350; the administrator should apply accordingly.

CRITERIA:

In selecting candidates for scholarships, administrators are directed to give consideration to:

1. The role of parents in the support and transmission of the faith to their child through Catholic education.
2. Economic need and scholastic achievement.

PROCESS/TIMELINE:

1. A written recommendation from the principal, in consultation with the pastor, classroom teacher and other persons as appropriate.

2. Send the completed application form(s) and letter(s) of recommendation no later than June 1st to:

Mrs. Valerie A. Mathews
Mater Dei Foundation
PO Box 369
Ogdensburg, NY 13669

3. Once the student's enrollment is verified for the coming academic year, the scholarship monies will be disbursed to the schools.

Mater Dei Foundation
1425 Washington St.
Watertown, NY 13601

CATHOLIC SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Address: _____ **County:** _____

Telephone: _____

Grade: _____

Name of Principal: _____

Name of School: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Please note: the letter of recommendation should accompany this form.

Send all items to: Mrs. Valerie A. Mathews
PO Box 369
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Or email to: ymathews@rcdony.org

Deadline: on or before June 1st

Further questions may be directed to Valerie Mathews at 315-393-2920 ext. 1331.