



## Incoming Freshman Scholarships 2020-21 School Year

**Block Top Tester Scholarship** awards \$1500 to the ten students who score the highest on the Entrance Exam at Resurrection. The \$1500 is awarded for the student's freshman year at Resurrection. The scholarship will be presented at the student's 8th grade award presentation or graduation by a representative of Resurrection College Prep High School. No application needed.

**Knudsen Family Band Scholarship** was established by Jon and Anne-Judine Knudsen in honor of their daughters, Mary Frances '04 and Kirsten '06. Mary and Kirsten were both four-year band members during their time at Resurrection and both young women earned the distinction of drum majorette. The Knudsen family appreciates the level of commitment and discipline required by band members as they collaborate with their individual talents to create beautiful music together. This \$1000 scholarship is awarded to an incoming freshman who expresses a desire to be part of the Notre Dame/ Resurrection College Prep High School Band and dedicates herself to improving her talents and sharing them with the community.

**Pay It Forward Scholarship** was established in honor of Arthur J. Slack (CPD, CFD) and George D. Slack (CPD) and their service to the City of Chicago. It is funded through the generosity of Nancy Slack Stachnik '67 and members of the Slack Family. Two scholarships are awarded each year in the amount of \$1000 to the daughter of an active-duty Chicago firefighter, paramedic or Chicago police officer.

**Raider/Bandit Incoming Freshmen Scholarship** recognizes a graduate of St. Tarcissus Catholic School or Pope Francis Global Academy who is also a member of the St. Tarcissus Parish and will be attending Resurrection College Prep High School. This \$1500 scholarship recognizes a student who best exemplifies school spirit.

**Sr. Stephanie Corporate Board Scholarship** is a \$1000 scholarship that was established through the generosity of the Resurrection College Prep High School Corporate Board to acknowledge an incoming freshman student who expresses a sincere desire to attend Resurrection College Prep High School and share her leadership abilities with the community. Applicants must be an incoming freshman student enrolled for the following school year who demonstrates financial need and exhibits leadership through her parish, school volunteer efforts, scouts or other activities.

**Sr. Mary Monica Hope Scholarship** is in memory of former teacher and principal, Sr. Mary Monica Widelski, C.R. In her memory, the school has dedicated the scholarship to provide financial assistance to Resurrection families in need. Sr. Mary Monica strongly believe in Catholic single-gender education and this scholarship recognizes students who best exemplify those values.

*Many local neighborhood organizations or Chambers of Commerce offer scholarship opportunities. Check with your local chamber or organizations to see if they have any upcoming opportunities.*

**The Gladstone Park Chamber of Commerce** offers scholarships to current 8<sup>th</sup> graders who reside in the 60630 or 60646 zip codes.

**The Jefferson Park Chamber of Commerce** offers a scholarship to current 8<sup>th</sup> graders who reside in the 60630 zip code.

**The Norwood Park Chamber of Commerce** offers scholarships to current 8<sup>th</sup> graders who reside in Norwood Park.

*Resurrection is also affiliated with a number of organizations that provide need and performance-based scholarships. These organizations include (but are not limited to):*

**The Madonna Foundation** provides financial, spiritual, psychological and academic support to young urban women, instilling in them the resources necessary to grow and thrive and the opportunity to succeed in a Catholic single-gender educational environment and beyond. Contact the Madonna Foundation at 331.318.5170 or visit their website at [www.madonnascholars.org](http://www.madonnascholars.org).

**The Big Shoulders Fund** provides scholarships to deserving inner-city students. They have over 60 different types of scholarships, many of which carry over with a student to their high school. For more information, please contact the Big Shoulder Fund at 312.751.8337 or visit their website at [www.bigshouldersfund.org](http://www.bigshouldersfund.org).

**The Sister Carmen de Barros Scholarship** is sponsored by the Sisters of St. Francis in Oldenburg, Indiana and supports students of Hispanic descent. Students must apply as an incoming freshman and applications are due to the Sisters of St. Francis each Spring.

**HighSight Organization** awards partial four-year scholarships for eighth grade students to attend quality private high schools in Chicago. Applicants must reside within the Chicago city limits, exhibit financial need, take the placement exam and be accepted to the private high school of their choice, attend HighSight's five-week Freshman Summer Program, and attend academic study sessions during the school year. Contact HighSight at 312.787.9824 or visit their website at [www.highsight.org](http://www.highsight.org) for more information.

**Link Unlimited** is a non-profit organization that provides opportunities for eighth grade students to receive a quality private high school education. Applicants must be African-American, academically motivated, and exhibit a financial need. Contact Link Unlimited at 312.225.5465 or visit their website at [www.linkunlimited.org](http://www.linkunlimited.org) for more information. Application deadline is November.

For a full list of scholarships available to all students, please visit [www.reshs.org](http://www.reshs.org)

All applications will be available on December 7, 2019 at the Entrance Exam as well as on our website.



## Incoming Freshmen Financial Aid and Scholarship Timeline

### *December 7, 2019*

Class of 2024 Entrance Exam

FACTS Application Available online - *December 2, 2019*

Scholarship Applications available at the exam and online

### *January 8, 2020*

FACTS Application due online

Scholarship Applications due to Resurrection

### *February 28, 2020*

Notification letters will go out to families about their scholarship and tuition assistance awards.

For more information and questions, please contact Christina Lampa at [clampa@reshs.org](mailto:clampa@reshs.org) or 773.467.4629

### **Who is FACTS?**

FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment is an independent, third party company that conducts financial analysis to determine your family's financial need. Your educational institution receives a confidential report outlining your financial situation based on the information obtained in your application and supporting tax documents. For more information or questions, please visit [www.factsmgt.com](http://www.factsmgt.com).