



As a school dedicated to the formation of well-rounded young men, we are thrilled to announce scholarships recognizing students who demonstrate strong character and achievement, as well as students with strong academic accomplishments.

Timeline

- September 1, 2020 - January 1, 2021: Accept scholarship applications
- January 1, 2021: All scholarship application materials must be received as detailed below
- January 2-10, 2021: Committee review of candidates
- January 15 - February 5, 2021: Notification of awards

Some families request a scholarship decision prior to making a first choice. In those instances, our scholarship committee may review the application early.

Reminders for All Scholarships

- **Please note all materials must be submitted to the Admissions Office at one time in an envelope/folder by January 1, 2021.** We cannot accept recommendation letters or materials via email.
- Number of scholarships is limited. Apply early.

Recommendation Letter Guidelines

Each applicant must provide a letter from a pastor, teacher, coach, or scout leader, etc. Letters should be one page in length and submitted with the application packet. We cannot accept recommendation letters via email. Letters should address the following:

- How long you've known the candidate and in what capacity
- Qualities you admire in the candidate
- Examples of leadership, service or kindness
- What attending De Smet Jesuit means to the candidate

Where To Submit

De Smet Jesuit High School
233 N. New Ballas Rd, St. Louis, MO 63141

Questions?

Contact Maria Lang at mlang@desmet.org.

Spartan Scholar Award

\$500-\$5,000 annually

For students excelling academically

Eligibility Requirements & Deadlines

- 3.5 GPA or higher, plus 90% or higher ITBS/MAP scores - core.
- De Smet Jesuit listed as first choice on the archdiocesan application form.

How To Apply

- Submit grade 7 report card, most recent grades available, and ITBS or MAP tests scores.
- Provide one recommendation letter. This can be from a pastor, teacher, coach, scout leader, etc. (see guidelines below).
- Provide 200+ word essay on: given your unique talents and gifts, describe how you can make a positive difference in the world during your high school experience.

Spirit and Leadership Award

\$500-\$3,000 annually

For students engaged in their schools and communities

Eligibility Requirements & Deadlines

- 3.0 GPA or higher
- Student of good character and active in school or community
- De Smet Jesuit listed as first choice on the archdiocesan application form

How To Apply

- Submit a list of current co-curricular and non-school activities (clubs, sports, scouts, student government, community involvement, church activities, etc.).
- Submit grade 7 report card and most recent grades available.
- Provide one recommendation letter. This can be from a pastor, teacher, coach, scout leader, etc. (see guidelines below).
- Provide 200+ word essay on: given your unique talents and gifts, describe how you can make a positive difference in the world during your high school experience.