



2021 Cathedral Preparatory School Merit-Based Scholarships

English/Writing Scholarship \$500

Requirements: Essay

Question: *In making your decision about where to attend high school, what three key factors played a role in where you would attend and why?*

Catholic Identity Scholarship \$500

Requirements: Essay and proof of service hours for parish and/or community. (i.e. Signed letter from pastor, troop leader, teacher, volunteer supervisor.) Service hours should have been completed without payment or reward of any kind.

Question: *How has your faith played a role in the decisions you make or have made in the past?*

Alumni Scholarship \$1,000

Requirements: Essay and a brother or father must have graduated from Cathedral Prep.

Question: *Cathedral Prep fosters an atmosphere of tradition and brotherhood. How have the messages you have heard about Prep influenced your decision to attend Prep? Give examples.*

Students must apply and be entering the 9th grade at Prep to be considered for a merit-based scholarship. The merit-based scholarship awards will not influence the distribution of the financial assistance awards from Cathedral Prep or the Catholic Diocese and will not affect the academic scholarships given as a result of Cathedral Prep's Entrance Exam. Notification will be mailed to the scholarship recipients on April 19th, 2021.

The essay(s) must be:

Double-spaced, typed - 250-300 words per essay.

All essays due Friday, March 26th, 2021

Stapled to form below.

Students are permitted to apply for all three scholarships.

Submit to:
Cathedral Preparatory School Admissions
225 West Ninth Street
Erie, PA 16501

Or Email to:
tim.dougherty@prep-villa.com
Questions? (814) 453-7737 ext. 3

Scholarships will be evaluated based on the following:

60% Content

20% Creativity

20% Grammar/Spelling

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Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ *Parent Signature _____

School _____ *Student Signature _____

Please attach essay(s) to this form. DO NOT put your name on the actual essay.

- Signature is verification of originality of a student's work.
Essays become property of Cathedral Prep and may be used for marketing and enrollment purposes.