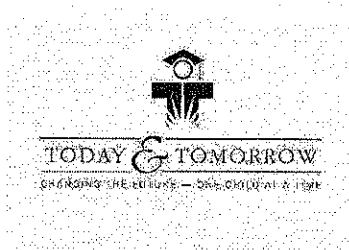


December 28, 2020



Dear Parent/Guardian,

We are excited to open the online application for the 2021-2022 school year on January 11, 2021 at 8:00 AM. For an application to be considered complete it must include proof of all income reported on the application. Please take the time to gather your documents now so you are ready to apply.

What documents are required for a complete application?

- **Proof of Income:** Please provide any of the following: your 2019 W-2 or 2020 W-2, or your most recent tax return, or 3 recent paystubs. We will also need proof of any social services you may receive: i.e. your benefit summary for proof of food stamps. For more information see the enclosed *Required Documents*.
- **Proof of Residency:** for St. Louis City residents applying to City elementary schools only
- **High School Students** entering 9th grade who are eligible for Beyond Sunday and do not already have an award are required to respond to two short answer questions, as well as provide contact information for two references within the application. For more information about the Beyond Sunday Fellows Program, please visit www.ttef-stl.org or see the flyer: Beyond Sunday Fellows FAQs.

How do you log on?

- To log in to the online system, visit www.ttef-stl.org and click on the **Scholarships – Info for Parents**, then **Apply Here**.
- On the Family Log In page, type your primary email in the Family Login box and enter your password. If you have forgotten your password click “Forgot Password?” and instructions to create a new password will be emailed to you. Detailed instructions on how to apply are posted on our website at www.ttef-stl.org.
- After you have logged in please go to the Application tab and begin the application process. Applying without logging in will duplicate your account in our system and will cause a delay in processing your application.

If you have any questions please call our office at 314-792-7777 or email us at ttef@archstl.org.

Thank you,

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Scholarship Information for Parents for the 2021-2022 School Year

One application is used to apply for all scholarships funded by the Catholic Education Office, the Roman Catholic Foundation of Eastern Missouri, and the Today & Tomorrow Educational Foundation. To apply, please visit www.ttef-stl.org and click Apply Here. The Scholarship Office at TTEF will review your family's application and determine if your family is eligible for any awards offered based on each program's guidelines and funding availability. The application is online only and is free of cost!

For families applying to Archdiocesan/parochial elementary schools: Funding is available through Alive! In Christ for approximately 600 *new* awards for students of all faiths. Alive! In Christ is first-come, first-served and the maximum award is \$2,000. Residents of the City of St. Louis applying for Archdiocesan and private schools in the City may be eligible to receive a Help for Today, Hope for Tomorrow scholarship. Maximum award in this program is also \$2,000 and approximately 350 new awards will be available.

Approximately 130 *new* awards primarily in Kindergarten will be available through the Beyond Sunday scholarship program for Catholic families registered in a parish. The maximum award for new recipients in this program is \$1,750 and the application deadline is February 26th, 2021. Because demand is high and preference for Beyond Sunday scholarships is given to Catholic families registered in a parish, it is expected that all new awardees will be registered Catholics.

For families applying to Archdiocesan and private-Catholic high schools: Approximately 50 *new* Beyond Sunday Fellows scholarships will be available, primarily for incoming freshmen applying for Archdiocesan high schools. Due to high demand, it is expected that all new awardees will be registered Catholics. The maximum award for new recipients in this program is \$3,500 and the deadline to apply is February 26th, 2021.

For families currently receiving ANY scholarship: All families are encouraged to apply as early as possible. *New and* returning applications for Beyond Sunday, SOAR!, CFTA, and PEEF are due by February 26th, 2021. Alive! In Christ is first-come, first-served, including for all eligible siblings! City residents should also apply as early as possible to be considered for new awards in Help for Today, Hope for Tomorrow. Requalification applications for Alive! In Christ and Help for Today, Hope for Tomorrow may be submitted through May 1st, 2021. However, you **MUST** apply by February 26th to be considered for any other programs.

For Catholic families applying to Archdiocesan/parochial elementary and high schools: Funding for Catholic students in Catholic families is available through the Catholic Families Tuition Assistance program. Approximately 350 new awards will be available. The application deadline for returning families and applying new is February 26th, 2021.

For students of parish employees: Students of parish employees working 1,000 hours or more per year may be eligible for the Parish Employees Endowment Fund. The application deadline for returning families and applying new is February 26th, 2021.

APPLICATION AVAILABLE JANUARY 11th, 2021!

***See Reverse for Important Additional Information
regarding Application Requirements!***

Required Documentation

- New Families applying may only receive one scholarship program per student. If your student currently receives CFTA or PEEF in addition to their primary scholarship they may continue to receive both as long as they qualify. Families may have multiple children receiving scholarships, depending on program guidelines.
- Documents needed to complete applications include:
 - High school students who are not awarded are required to submit responses to two short answer questions and contact information for two references at the time of application to be considered for the Beyond Sunday Fellows Program. For more information about the Beyond Sunday Fellows Program, please visit www.ttef-stl.org or see the flyer *Beyond Sunday Fellows Frequently Asked Questions*.
 - Proof of residency (St. Louis City residents only): ONE of the following documents
 - Missouri Driver's License or Utility Bill
 - House/Apartment Lease or Deed
 - Proof of Income (see table below)
 - W2
 - Federal Tax Return Form 1040
 - Government Assistance Award Letter

Please note that the income your family has listed on the application must be supported by all required documentation and confirmed by the TTEF scholarship office as eligible in order for an application to be considered complete!

Type of Income	ONE of the Following Proofs are Required for EVERY Type of Income You Receive
Adjusted Gross Income (Wages from employment and all other income reported on Federal Taxes)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pages 1 & 2 of your 2019 or 2020 Federal Income Tax Return (Form 1040) If you do not file taxes you may submit... • 2019 or 2020 W-2 for all places of employment for you and your spouse OR • Three paystubs from 2020 for all places of employment of you and your spouse
If applicable, please provide proof of any supplemental income your family is receiving.	
Business Income	<p>NOTE: If this income is already claimed on your taxes, do not list the amount as additional Business Income on your application and do not submit additional documentation or your income will be calculated higher than it should be.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Copy of your business tax return, financial statements or a notarized letter stating your total earnings
Child Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If court ordered, provide documentation stating amount of support and your name If not court ordered, you may submit... • Transaction record displaying your name and monthly or annual amount
Public Assistance Cash	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Benefit Summary or Award letter displaying name and award amount, OR • Transaction record displaying your name and monthly or annual amount
Food Stamps	
Social Security/SSI	
Unemployment/Worker's Comp	
Other (includes but is not limited to adoption or foster subsidies, tuition support from family, friends, or employer)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you have other sources of income not reported elsewhere, please provide notarized letters from your employer, family/friends providing financial assistance stating the annual amounts.

We look forward to providing your family with the opportunity to apply for scholarships funded by the following partners:

