



SANTA MARGARITA EAGLE FOUNDATION

A FOUNDATION FOR SANTA MARGARITA CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

Eagles Giving to Eagles Scholarship Application

Deadline for Submission: January 7, 2025

The faculty and staff of Santa Margarita Catholic School are dedicated to the students entrusted to them and wish to ensure that financial assistance is available to families in need, allowing them to remain in a faith-filled educational environment. For this reason, President Andy Sulick '91 developed a philanthropic avenue through which the faculty and staff can give back to our Eagle family, hence this scholarship: Eagles Giving to Eagles. Through generous faculty and staff contributions to the Eagle Fund Tuition Assistance, donations were made to the scholarship fund. Faculty and staff wish to assist two students who make excellent contributions to Santa Margarita. The students should embody our charism of "Caritas Christi" and live their lives desiring to make Santa Margarita a better place in all areas of the school. These students are leaders by nature and wish to give back to their school and peers, with no regard for praise or recognition, but simply for the good of the Eagle family.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

In the desire to recognize talented SMCHS students with demonstrated financial need, the faculty and staff of SMCHS have established the following criteria:

- Demonstrate financial need - **FACTS Application required.**
- Junior or senior student next school year.
- Demonstrates consistent investment to the well-being of the SMCHS community.
- Must be in good academic standing at SMCHS and in good standing with the Dean's Office.
- Completion of the Eagles Giving to Eagles Application.
- **Provide the names of two faculty/staff references.**
- The scholarship recipients will write an acknowledgement letter to the Eagles Giving to Eagles Scholarship Committee with a copy to SM Eagle Foundation.

Date: _____

Student's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

GPA: _____ weighted Junior next year(Class of 2027) Senior next year(Class of 2026)

IN THE SPACE BELOW, PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. (You may attach additional sheets of paper if necessary.)

Describe what it means to you to display the charism of Caritas Christi: _____

Describe the ways you have contributed to make the SMCHS community a better place: _____

List your school activities and please include any awards or honors received in these areas: _____

Names of two faculty/staff references: _____

Please briefly describe the reason there may be a need of financial assistance:

Student or Parent can complete this question.

If I am selected as a recipient of the Eagles Giving to Eagles Scholarship, I pledge to be in good standing at SMCHS and make every effort to be a model student in all regards. I hereby affirm that the answers and statements on this application are true and correct.

Student's signature: _____

For more information, contact the Foundation Office at 949-766-6080 or advancement@smeaglefoundation.org, or contact Cori Armstrong at ArmstrongC@smeaglefoundation.org

Completed applications are due to the Foundation Office by 1/7/2025.