



SANTA MARGARITA EAGLE FOUNDATION

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London Hudson '24 Determination through Faith Scholarship Application

Deadline for Submission: January 7, 2025

London Hudson graduated from SMCHS in 2024. He transferred to SMCHS for his senior year. He was an accomplished baseball player and enjoyed peer ministry as he especially liked going to the Catholic grade schools to act as role model for them emphasizing Christian leadership. London also demonstrated an incredible amount of school spirit including making the spirit stick and leading the student section in cheers during many football and basketball games. His contagious high-spiritedness was particularly notable as he had overcome challenges that could have dampened his enthusiasm for school and his faith in God.

London suffered a series of injuries his freshman year that kept him out of sports and attending school for several months. He found both making up his class work and getting back to the same playing level in baseball challenging and sometimes discouraging as it was very hard work. He also missed having the summer off between grades as he had to make up several months of class work over the summer. But he found that his determination, faith in God and belief in the Catholic Church kept him motivated. London received the Sacrament of Confirmation during this time and was sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit. London looked forward to attending weekly mass to set the spiritual tone for each week which helped him overcome his challenges that summer. He successfully caught up on his class work and went on to commit to play baseball at St. Lawrence University.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

Scholarship Criteria:

- Demonstrate financial need - **FACTS Application required.**
- Senior Class of 2025
- Good academic standing at SMCHS with a minimum GPA of 3.0.
- Completion of the London Hudson '24 Determination through Faith Application.
- If chosen, the scholarship recipient will write an acknowledgement letter to the scholarship committee with a copy to SM Eagle Foundation.

Date: _____

Student's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

GPA: _____ Senior (Class of 2025)

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

What are activities are you involved in at SMCHS: _____

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 London Hudson '24 Determination through Faith 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 contact Cori Armstrong at armstrongc@smeaglefoundation.org

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