

The Varghese Maliakal Scholarship

The Varghese Maliakal Scholarship was established in memory of Varghese Maliakal who was passionately dedicated to the pursuit of intellectual excellence in a female-centered, Catholic, academic environment. His four daughters graduated from Regina Dominican. This scholarship is awarded to an incoming freshman student who has demonstrated superior academic performance and a highly competitive Regina Dominican entrance examination score. Applicants must have demonstrated financial need.

This award is a four-year, \$5,000 scholarship renewable annually. The recipient must maintain a B average throughout her four years at Regina Dominican. Requirements for application:

- Be a Catholic eighth-grade student.
- Take the HSPT test at Regina Dominican on December 6, 2025.
- Complete and submit the application, including a 250-word essay, by **January 12, 2026.**
- Submit the FACTS Grant & Aid application by **January 12, 2026.**

STUDENT: Complete the attached application. Applications must be typed. The following pages are formatted in Word and the text boxes will expand as you type. submit your completed application via email to *kmaher@rdpanthers.org* by **January 12, 2026**

PARENTS: Submit the FACTS Grant and Aid application by **January 12, 2026.**

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TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT

Name:

School Attended for 8th Grade:

Please address the following points in a short essay (approximately 250 words):

- **How have you faced adversity in your life?**
- **What does a Catholic education mean to me?**
- **Why kindness and service towards others is important?**

(Type essay here.)