



Knights of Columbus  
St. Leonard Council 6448  
PO Box 305  
Muskego, WI 53150

### College Scholarship Application

Dear Prospective Student,

Congratulations on your upcoming graduation from high school and the start of your next leg of education!

The Knights of Columbus St. Leonard Council 6448 is a Catholic fraternal service organization dedicated to the principles of charity, unity, fraternity, and patriotism.

Our council was chartered in 1973 and has continually served the needs of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee and St. Leonard Catholic Church in the fields of education and vocations.

In this spirit, the Knights of Columbus St. Leonard Council 6448 invites **current high school seniors with a minimum 2.5 GPA** to apply for our college scholarship.

Three students will be awarded a \$500.00 scholarship. The merits in determining the qualifying candidate will be based on the timely completion of the application, attaching the appropriate supporting documents, and fulfilling other requirements noted on the application.

All applications are screened in complete confidence by a three-member panel of fellow Knights. The winning candidates and high school Guidance Office will be notified of the panel's decisions. (All applications will be destroyed.)

We encourage you to apply for this scholarship.

Fraternally yours,

Scholarship Committee Chair



## **Knights of Columbus St. Leonard Council #6448 --Scholarship Application--**

Three \$500 Scholarships will be awarded to the selected Applicants, who will be attending an accredited Private or Public College, University, Vocational or Technical School in the fall.

### **The Scholarship Application Package** will include:

1. The Scholarship Application (This 2-page form). Applicant must be a High School Senior.
2. Recommendation Letter (From a Non-Relative. Mailed to address shown, on the form.)
3. High School Transcripts with a minimum 2.5 GPA. and Student Ranking, if reported.  
The name of the High School must appear on the Transcripts.
4. Applicant's Essay, as described, in the Essay Component.
5. All required documents must be postmarked no later than March 31 (of the current year).

### **Scholarship Selection is based on:**

- \*Completion of Scholarship Application Package
- \*Applicant's Essay Component
- \*Applicant's Non-Academic Service/Volunteer/Outreach Component

### **Scholarship Applicant**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone** \_\_\_\_\_ **Circle: Cell or Landline**

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **State** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code** \_\_\_\_\_

**Your Church Affiliation** \_\_\_\_\_

### **Parent/Guardian Information**

**Father- Name** \_\_\_\_\_

Member of the Knights of Columbus-  Yes  No Council Number \_\_\_\_\_

Current or Former Military Service-  Yes  No Branch of Service \_\_\_\_\_

**Mother- Name** \_\_\_\_\_

Current or Former Military Service-  Yes  No Branch of Service \_\_\_\_\_

### **Applicant's Schooling**

I am currently a High School Senior

Name of School you plan to attend in Fall (of current year).

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Have you decided a major?  Yes  No If yes, what major? \_\_\_\_\_

### **Applicant's Non-Academic Service/Volunteer/Outreach Component**

List Service/Volunteer/Outreach Activities in Church, School, and Community. Include any positions held during the last five calendar years. (Attach an additional sheet, if necessary.)

## **Applicant's Essay Component**

- Essay should be typed and no more than one page, on 8.5" X 11" paper.
  - For your essay, address the following question.

**--In what ways, have the Non-Academic Service/Volunteer/Outreach Activities, that you have been involved with, impacted the person you are today?**

The Knights of Columbus, reserve the right to determine that, if an inadequate number of qualified applications are received, scholarship funds may not be awarded. The Applicant attests to the true authorship and ownership of his/her application and attachments, and hereby grants the right to the Knights of Columbus St. Leonard Council #6448 to publish the Applicant's name, if he/she is selected to be a Scholarship Recipient.

All applications will be screened in strict confidence and destroyed after the selection process is completed.

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**Applicant's Signature**

Date

Please mail **all components** of the Scholarship Application Package to the address listed below, postmarked no later than March 31 (of the current year).

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**Knights of Columbus St. Leonard Council #6448**  
**--Scholarship--**  
**--Recommendation Letter---Instruction Form--**

**Scholarship Applicant**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ **Circle:** Cell or Landline \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

**Recommendation Letter- Provider's Information**

**Relationship to Applicant (Provider Must be a Non-Relative.)**

**Circle:** Teacher, Supervisor, Co-Worker, Other \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Requirements for the Recommendation Letter**

--Include a Letter of Recommendation for the Scholarship Applicant.

--No more than one page, on 8.5' x 11" paper

**--What would make the Applicant an excellent Candidate for this Scholarship?**

Include: Provide personal characteristics of the Applicant

Share your personal observations of the Applicant

Why is the Applicant an excellent Candidate for the Scholarship

Please mail this **Form and the Recommendation Letter** to the address listed below, postmarked no later than **March 31 (of the current year)**.

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