



Scholarship & Tuition Assistance Programs Class of 2023

Pomona Catholic provides various forms of tuition assistance to students and their families. Some of the aid offered is based on the student's academic performance at either their previous grammar school or while attending Pomona Catholic. Other aid is dependent on need.

POLICY:

In order to qualify for a need based scholarship, one must complete a Financial Aid for School Tuition (FACTS) application (on-line only) by January 25, 2019.

Adopt a Student

Required Application:

- Must have a FACTS application on file.
- Must obtain application from Finance Department.

Emergency assistance is available to families who have suffered a significant, unforeseen financial circumstance to their income which would prevent their student from continuing at Pomona Catholic. Please communicate with the Finance Office as soon as this circumstance arises.

Bill Hannon Foundation

Required Application:

Must have FACTS application on file.

The Bill Hannon Foundation was established to honor a southern California real estate developer who demonstrated her devotion to the Catholic community by supporting education and healthcare organizations in southern California and other parts of the state.

\$1,000 tuition assistance is awarded to students based on both merit and need. Selection is made by Pomona Catholic's Administrators. Renewal is contingent upon maintaining a GPA of 2.0, school involvement, and conduct.

The Carrie Estelle Doheny Foundation

Required Application:

Must have FACTS application on file.

Mrs. Carrie Estelle Doheny formed the Foundation in 1949 with the intention of furthering the charitable causes she cared about most for generations to come. Mrs. Doheny was a resident of Central Los Angeles for over forty years and her heart lay with the people of the City who were suffering, as well as those who were working towards a brighter future.

Mrs. Doheny, a devout Roman Catholic, shared her fortune generously and lived a life of Christian service, ministering directly to the homeless and sick and weaving clothes for those in need. With the help of her friend and spiritual adviser, Fr. William G. Ward, C.M., Mrs. Doheny laid out a framework for how the Foundation would run and the good work and projects it would support.

To honor Mrs. Doheny's legacy, this scholarship is awarded to students who go above and beyond to provide service to their community. Recipients must maintain a 2.5 GPA. Selection is made by Pomona Catholic's Administrators. Renewal is contingent upon maintaining a GPA.

Catholic Education Foundation (CEF)

Required Application:

Must submit CEF application by January 25.

The Catholic Education Foundation provides assistance of \$1,000 to middle school students and \$2,000 to high school students. Parents of scholarship recipients must meet criteria for income at or below the Federal Income guidelines for poverty. Applications are due to Pomona Catholic by January 25. For more information, go to: www.cefdn.org.

Elias Family Scholarship

Open to:

Current Juniors, Applied to Account during Senior Year

Required Application:

Must submit Elias Application, available in the spring.

This scholarship was established to honor 39 Elias family members who earned a high school diploma from Pomona Catholic. Applications are open to current juniors who demonstrate merit and need. Scholarship Amount: \$1,000 (non-renewable).

George H. Mayr Scholarship

Required Application:

Must submit CEF application by January 25.

The George Henry Mayr Foundation, established in 1949, was established to give as much scholarship money as possible to California educational institutions. Support is offered to students who demonstrate need and merit.

Scholarship amount varies between \$2,000 - \$4,000. Selection is made by Pomona Catholic's Administrators.

Marina Pedroza Scholarship

Open to:

Incoming Freshmen

Required Application:

- Must have FACTS application on file.
- Must submit Scholarship Application by January 25.

This scholarship was established to honor Class of 1954 graduate, Marina Pedroza. She highly valued her Catholic education. So much that she left an estate gift to Pomona Catholic.

Each year, a scholarship in the amount of \$4,000 (disbursed over four years) is awarded to a freshman student who: possesses a 3.5 GPA. At the request of the Pedroza family, priority will be given to students who are Catholic and reside in the San Gabriel Valley. Renewal is contingent upon maintaining GPA.

Pete and Maria Borba Scholarship – High School

Open to:

Incoming Freshman

Required Application:

- Must submit Scholarship Application due by January 25.

A memorial endowment fund in the name of Pete and Maria Borba was established to perpetuate their life in a way that is personal and meaningful to the family. The students selected will be ones who best exemplify the traits that Pete and Maria possessed – hardworking and goal oriented individuals. At the request of the family, students from the Ontario/Chino area will be given priority. Renewal is contingent upon maintaining a GPA.

Awards are \$2,000 per year for incoming freshman students. The recipients receive an \$8,000 in tuition assistance over four years. Renewal is contingent GPA and need.

PC Merit Scholarship

Scholarship requirements:

Based on high school placement exam and awarded to top three students.

Scholarship Awards: Top Score: \$3,000 per year. Second: \$2,000 per year. Third: \$1,000 per year.

Awarded to incoming freshmen who have outstanding high school placement scores. The student must also be involved with her school, service her community, and be kind towards others.

Pomona Catholic Tuition Assistance Program

Required Application:

Must have FACTS application on file.

Additional specific amounts are appropriated through the school budget to underwrite financial aid that will be granted to needy students in addition to CEF awards or for those students whose CEF applications were not funded. Must complete **FACTS** and **FACTSS** online applications in order to qualify. Go to www.pomonacatholic.org

Prestigious Pacer Scholarship – High School

Open to:

Incoming Freshmen

Required Application:

No application process; Selection is based upon Middle School Principal and/or Teacher recommendations.

Awarded to incoming freshman based on the recommendation of her Catholic elementary principal and/or teacher. A Prestigious Pacer is a gifted student who helps and leads others. The student possesses qualities of our Integral Student Outcomes (ISOs): moral, spiritual, academically accomplished, thinks critically, and is self-directed.

One – time scholarship. Award amount: \$250 - \$1,500.

The Rose Hills Foundation – High School

Required Application:

Closed

This scholarship is awarded to students who are well – rounded members of the graduating Class of 2021. Recipients must maintain a 3.5 GPA. Selection is made by the Rose Hills Foundation.

Application: CLOSED

Legacy Scholarship

Open to:

Incoming Freshmen

Required Application:

Legacy Scholarship Application due by January 20, 2019

Awarded to incoming student whose parent graduated from Pomona Catholic. Award amount is \$500 per year. Must maintain a 2.0 GPA.