

Saint Dominic Academy



SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Incoming Freshmen will have the opportunity to apply for these scholarships.

The Robert James Salmon Continuing Catholic Education Scholarship

\$4500

SDA is proud to acknowledge the generosity of a 1979 alumna who has funded this scholarship in honor of her father. It will be awarded to an incoming freshman who is continuing her Catholic education.

The applicant must have attended a Catholic elementary school for first through eighth grade.

To apply, the student must submit two letters of recommendation, one of which must be from a church pastor or the student's (Catholic) school principal. In addition, the applicant must submit an essay on the personal importance of a Catholic education. There will be a careful review of the student's elementary school records and standardized test scores, including the COOP.

While the student must have a solid record of academic performance, consideration may also be given to need. Therefore applicants who apply for this scholarship should also have applied for financial aid. (www.factstuitionaid.com)

This scholarship *may* be renewable for the remainder of the student's tenure at SDA subject to her academic performance, her record of conduct and a faculty evaluation.

The Caldwell Dominican Tradition Scholarships

“To dare, to dream, to envision, to plan, and to have the courage to change.”

Caldwell Dominican Tradition

The following four scholarships are Academic scholarships and are not need-based.

The “Dare” Leadership Scholarship

\$4500

This scholarship will be awarded to an incoming freshman who exemplifies a true leader.

The applicant must be an Academic leader. Applicant must be in the top 5% of her graduating class and must submit documentation as such.

She must be a team/community leader. Please submit an essay: “I want to attend Saint Dominic Academy because I believe in the Caldwell Dominican Tradition “To dare, to dream, to envision, to plan and to have the courage to change.”

Applicants must also submit two letters of recommendation as well as examples of proven leadership experience. In addition, consideration will be given to student’s standardized test scores, including the COOP.

This scholarship *may* be renewable for the remainder of the student’s tenure at SDA subject to her academic performance, her successful participation in leadership activities, her record of conduct and a faculty evaluation.

The “Envision and Plan” Science and Math Scholarship

\$2500

This scholarship will be awarded to an incoming freshman who possesses outstanding ability in the areas of mathematics and science.

Applicants must submit three letters of recommendation specifically addressing her ability and achievement in the subject areas of math and science. Additionally, she must provide an illustrated history of science accomplishments unrelated to classroom activities, i.e. science fairs, competitions, etc.

Additional consideration will be given to the student’s elementary school grades in math and science and all standardized test scores, including the COOP.

This scholarship *may* be renewable for the remainder of the student’s tenure at SDA subject to her academic performance, her record of conduct and a faculty evaluation.

The “Dream” Performing Arts Scholarship

\$2500

This scholarship will be awarded to an incoming freshman who maintains a solid record of academic performance while she pursues a passion for the performing arts.

Applicants must submit two letters of recommendation, a performance resume, and must participate in an audition. Additional consideration will be given to the student’s overall elementary school academic record as well as all standardized test scores, including the Coop.

This scholarship *may* be renewable for the remainder of the student’s tenure at SDA subject to her academic performance, her active participation in SDA Performing Arts programs, her record of conduct and a faculty evaluation.

The “Courage” Scholarship

\$2500

This scholarship will be awarded to an incoming freshman who maintains a solid record of academic performance while pursuing a drive to serve others in the community.

Applicants must submit two letters of recommendation from organizations with whom she has performed community service and a list of her community service accomplishments. Additional consideration will be given to the student’s overall elementary school academic record as well as all standardized test scores, including the COOP.

This scholarship *may* be renewable for the remainder of the student’s tenure at SDA subject to her academic performance, her active participation in the Dominican Youth in Action club and the Campus Ministry program, her record of conduct and faculty evaluation.

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Empowering Women for Leadership Valedictorian Awards

Any incoming freshman who is the Valedictorian of her graduating class will receive a \$500 scholarship in addition to any other scholarship or financial aid award she may receive. (Total awards are not to exceed 90% of full tuition rate.)

This award will be given for Freshman year only.

Valedictorians must submit proof of such by June 30 of her (8th grade) graduation year.

