



FCSU 2026 SCHOLARSHIPS CATHOLIC GRADE SCHOOLS (5-8)

Rules & Requirements:

Applicants must have: a minimum of \$5,000 of reserve insurance (Ordinary Whole Life, Twenty Pay Whole Life, or Single Premium Whole Life), or minimum of \$25,000 JEP policy (on new policy); or minimum of \$1,000 of Juvenile Life Savings; or minimum of \$500 in an annuity or Coverdell IRA with the FCSU for at **least three years** prior to April 1st of the year in which they are applying.

Applicants are eligible to pre-apply in 4th grade and during grades 5-7 of Catholic grade school.

Applicants can win only once in each of the 5 categories: (Catholic Grade School, Catholic High School, College, Graduate School, Vocational/Trade School). All scholarship winners must maintain an active policy during their school years.

Applicants must provide: application, official report card, 1 letter of recommendation, high-res headshot photo (jpeg preferred) taped to the application and also emailed to scholarship@fcsu.com.

Applicants must complete and sign an official FCSU Scholarship application obtained from a branch officer, the Home Office or www.fcsu.com and mail it to: Scholarship Program, FCSU, 6611 Rockside Rd, #300, Independence, OH 44131 or email to scholarship@fcsu.com.

Winners will be chosen by the Scholarship Committee, and checks will be made payable to the winners upon submitting proof of Catholic grade school enrollment.

Find applications at www.fcsu.com/membership/scholarships.

CATHOLIC GRADE SCHOOL

30 Scholarships
\$500 Each

Can pre-apply in
4th grade and
during grades 5-7
of Catholic
Grade School

Checklist:

- Completed and Signed Application
- Headshot photo
- Official Report Card
- One Letter of Recommendation

**Applications
must be
RECEIVED BY
MARCH 13, 2026**

**For more info
call us at
800.533.6682**



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2026 FCSU Scholarship

CATHOLIC GRADE SCHOOL APPLICATION

Name of Applicant: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Social Security #: _____

Certificate #: _____ Branch #: _____

In 2026-27 I will be enrolled in: 5th Grade 6th Grade 7th Grade 8th Grade

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Certified By: _____

Signature of Branch Officer: (The application can also be submitted to the Home Office for certification).

Branch #: _____ Date: _____

Mail to:
Scholarship Program
FCSU
6611 Rockside Road, Suite 300
Independence, OH 44131
or email to: scholarship@fcsu.com

Attach photo:
2.5" x 3.5"

If possible, please provide a high resolution jpeg file, as this photo will be printed in Jednota & posted online.

Email the photo with your full name and home address to: scholarship@fcsu.com

PLEASE NOTE: INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS (THOSE WHICH ARE RECEIVED NOT FULLY COMPLETED OR DO NOT HAVE ALL ATTACHMENTS) WILL BE INVALID AND WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED BY THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE. APPLICATIONS MUST BE **RECEIVED BY MARCH 13, 2026** OR THEY WILL BE CONSIDERED INVALID.

Grade School Information

Name of Grade School: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Have You Been Accepted: Yes No

Date of Enrollment: _____

Have you ever received an FCSU Catholic Grade School Scholarship? Yes No

If yes, enter year: _____

How many of your family members belong to the First Catholic Slovak Union? _____

Essay Requirements

Provide an essay of approximately 100 words on “What I like Best About My School”.

Please indicate at the end of your essay any school activities and volunteer work in which you participated.

Checklist: Received By March 13, 2026

Please follow this checklist to prevent mailing us an incomplete application:

- Completed and Signed Application**
- Essay**
- Headshot photo**
- Official Report Card**
- One Letter of Recommendation**
- My school will mail my Report Card
- My school will mail my Letter of Recommendation