



## Tuition assistance is available for your child.

The Catholic Education Foundation (CEF) partners with schools in the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas to provide need-based scholarships to families who may not otherwise be able to afford Catholic school tuition.

### CEF offers two needs-based scholarship programs :

- **Tuition-Assistance Scholarships** are awarded annually to students in need at qualifying Catholic schools.
- **Tax Credit Scholarships** are available to eligible students through the Kansas Tax Credit for Low Income Students Scholarship Program.

► [Flip the page for eligibility requirements.](#)

Depending on your financial need, you may receive scholarships that cover a large portion of your student's grade school or high school tuition. All of our scholarships are given in partnership with your family's and school's contributions.

### HOW DO I APPLY?

The application process starts at the school. Please contact the principal or enrollment manager at your school of interest to request more information and to see if you qualify for a scholarship through CEF.

### 26 schools in the Archdiocese qualify to offer CEF scholarships.

Bishop Miege High School, *Roeland Park\**  
Bishop Ward High School, *KCK*  
Christ The King, *KCK*  
Hayden High School, *Topeka*  
Holy Cross, *Overland Park*  
Holy Family School, *Topeka*  
Holy Name of Jesus, *KCK*  
Holy Trinity, *Paola*  
John Paul II, *Overland Park*  
Mater Dei, *Topeka*  
Most Pure Heart of Mary, *Topeka*  
Our Lady of Unity, *KCK*  
Resurrection, *KCK*  
Sacred Heart, *Emporia*  
Sacred Heart, *Ottawa*  
St. Agnes, *Roeland Park\**  
St. Benedict, *Atchison*  
St. Gregory the Great, *Marysville*  
St. John, *Lawrence*  
St. Joseph, *Shawnee\**  
St. Matthew, *Topeka*  
St. Patrick, *KCK*  
St. Paul, *Olathe*  
Sts. Peter and Paul, *Seneca*  
St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, *Garnett*  
Xavier, *Leavenworth*

*\*Tax Credit Scholarships Only*

Contact your school principal to apply and for more information about scholarships available through the Catholic Education Foundation.

## Tuition-Assistance Scholarships

The Catholic Education Foundation provides **Tuition-Assistance Scholarships** to students who meet the eligibility requirements below.

Typically covers 20-60% of tuition.

### ELIGIBILITY

- New and returning students,
- enrolled at a qualifying CEF school, and
- eligible for free or reduced-price meals (see chart below) or with other extraordinary financial need.

### National School Lunch Program Guidelines For school year 2023-24

Household size	Monthly	Yearly
1	\$2,248	\$26,973
2	\$3,041	\$36,482
3	\$3,833	\$45,991
4	\$4,625	\$55,500
5	\$5,418	\$65,009
6	\$6,210	\$74,518
7	\$7,003	\$84,027
8	\$7,795	\$93,536

## Tax Credit Scholarships

The CEF **Tax Credit Scholarship Program** provides financial assistance to new students who meet the eligibility requirements below.

Typically covers 70-85% of tuition.

### ELIGIBILITY

**Qualifications for this scholarship require that a student must be a Kansas resident and:**

- entering Catholic school for the first time,\* and
- eligible for free or reduced-price meals under the National School Lunch Program. (HH Income = 185% of federal poverty guidelines or less.) See the chart on this page.

*\* Students must be entering a Catholic school for the first time as a kindergartner (under the age of 7), or as a transfer student in grades 1-9 who attended a KS public elementary or middle school in the previous school year.*

**Note:** Students who receive a CEF Tax Credit Scholarship remain eligible to renew the scholarship in successive years through high school graduation, dependent upon continuation of the program and the availability of funding.

Eligibility for a Tax Credit Scholarship is determined by KSDE per legislative program guidelines.



## Ready to apply?

Contact your school of interest for more information about CEF scholarships and other financial assistance opportunities.

Not sure which school is closest to you? For a full list of Archdiocesan Catholic schools with students receiving CEF scholarships, visit [cefks.org/schools](https://cefks.org/schools).