

April 26,2024

LUKE DENISON SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Dear Scholarship Applicant,

Attached is an application, a sheet with requirements and directions for an essay.

Please complete the application sheet, along with the essay and other requirements and return your completed package by Friday, May 16, 2025, at 3p.m. to the Holy Family Catholic Church Office or place in the Knights of Columbus mailbox outside the church office. The winner will be announced in June 2025.

I want to extend my sincere appreciation to you for applying for the Luke Denison Scholarship, which will now be awarded annually by Fr. Alex and the Knights of Columbus, on behalf of Sir Knight Brian and Peggy Denison, in memory of their son, Luke. The amount of this scholarship is \$500.00.

Please accept my sincere best wishes for a very successful year,

Fraternally,

Frank Elfring

Grand Knight

Luke Denison Scholarship Award Application

Date: _____

NAME: _____ AGE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

GRADUATION DATE: _____ DIPLOMA: ____ Y ____ N

NAME OF COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY ATTENDED/ATTENDING:

ADDRESS: _____

DATES OF ATTENDANCE: _____

NAME OF PARISH/CHURCH: _____

NUMBER OF SIBLINGS: _____ BROTHERS: _____ SISTERS: _____

NAMES OF PARENTS: _____

PARENTS ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE):

Knights of Columbus Scholarship Requirements

There will only be one scholarship awarded in the amount \$500.00

Application Procedure for High School Seniors

- ____ Complete the application including an essay following the essay requirements
- ____ Provide a letter of recommendation from Pastor
- ____ Provide a letter of recommendation from high school principal
- ____ Provide a high school grade transcript with evidence of strong scholastic achievement
- ____ Provide a letter of acceptance from an accredited community college, college or university
- ____ Show evidence of strong moral character
- ____ Show evidence of involvement in school activities

Application procedure for Current College Students

- ____ Complete the application including an essay following the essay requirements
- ____ Provide a letter from College or University verifying satisfactory performance ("C" Average or better) and certification of good standing
- ____ Provide a letter of recommendation from college or university counselor
- ____ Provide a letter of recommendation from a Pastor (preferably college or university parish pastor or parish in college or university town)
- ____ Show evidence of strong moral character
- ____ Show evidence of involvement in school activities

Completed applications must be received by ***Friday, May 16th 2025 at 3 p.m.*** Please use a sealed envelope and place it in the Knights of Columbus mailbox, or Holy Family Catholic Church office. Or mail: Holy Family Catholic Church, 1453 N. Road St., Elizabeth City, NC 27909, Attn: Deputy Grand Knight, James White-Scholarship. For further information contact the Deputy Grand Knight, James White at 774-238-9363.

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LUKE DENISON SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION ESSAY

Write an essay describing why you are the most deserving of this scholarship and **“How your faith guides you in your current education and how it influences and affects your choices in pursuit of a future career.”**

Essay Requirements

- Written within one page or less
- Double Spaced
- Typed and printed or Hand-written
- **No use** of AI (ex. Chat GPT, Siri, Gemini, etc.)
- Correct Spelling and Grammar
- Well Organized

Your ideas, ability to organize your thoughts clearly, how you express yourself and utilization of standard grammar and spelling rules will be considered in the evaluation of your essay.