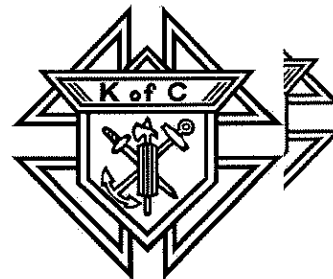


**Heights Knights of Columbus Council #8345
St. Bernard's Parish / St. Cyril Methodius
Billings, Montana**



April 1, 2021

Dear Students and Parents:

In the interest of promoting Catholic education, St. Bernard Heights, Knights of Columbus Council #8345 has established a **Tuition-Assistance Scholarship**. This scholarship is open to young men from St. Bernard Parish now attending Billings Central Catholic High School, or who plan to attend Billings Central High School in the fall. We will be offering a \$1000 tuition-assistance scholarship for school year 2021-2022.

An application form and instruction page is attached. Please complete this application and submit it accompanied with the requested documents to the Knights of Columbus Council #8345 Scholarship Committee. Applications may be turned in at the St. Bernard parish office or mailed to Kevin Holland 1650 Natalie St., Billings MT 59105. Application and documentation must be received no later than **May 7, 2021**.

Our committee looks forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Scholarship Committee – St. Bernard's
Heights Knights of Columbus Council #8345

**St. Bernard's / St. Cyril Methodius Parish
Knight of Columbus Council #8345**

Tuition Assistance Scholarship

INSTRUCTIONS

Heights Council Knights of Columbus #8345 Billings, Central Catholic High School scholarship program application instructions.

Deadline: May 7, 2021

ELIGIBILITY

1. Applicant must be a young man and a registered member of St. Bernard Parish or Sr. Cyril Methodius Parish.
2. He must be entering grade 9-12 at Billings Central Catholic High School in the fall of 2021.

REQUIREMENTS

Applicant must:

1. Complete attached Application form (typed or handwritten) and enclose:
 - a) An essay of not more than 1000 words, giving his views on the importance and benefits of a Catholic education. He should include information about his family and his financial benefit from receiving this scholarship.
2. Submit a letter of recommendation from either his principal, guidance counselor, teacher, or coach. The following points may be used as a guide for such a letter:
 - a) What are applicant's personal traits, leadership qualities, special talents, and participation at church, in school, and or extra-curricular activities.
 - b) Are there additional children in the family attending St. Francis Elementary/Middle/Upper, Billings Central Catholic High School, or a Catholic college?
3. If no students apply or none have fulfilled all requirements, no scholarship will be awarded that specific year.

**Heights Knights of Columbus Council #8345
Tuition-Assistance Scholarship Program**

Application Form

(additional sheets may be added if needed, typed or hand written)

Student's full name _____

Address _____

Parent'(s) name(s) _____

Current grade and school _____

Activities and involvement in St Bernard's Parish or St. Cyril Methodius Parish _____

Honors, awards, and offices held in school and or extra curricular activities

Participation in school speech, drama, music, sports, etc. _____

Out-of-school activities and awards: Employment, clubs, volunteering, etc. _____

Parent(s):

Comments regarding the importance of a Catholic education for my son at BCCHS:
