M. Thomas Moore Family Scholarship
For Elementary School Students
2020-2021 School Year

History
In 2008 M. Thomas and Beatrice L. Moore established an endowed scholarship fund
the Catholic Community Foundation.

Purpose
To provide scholarships to students in financial need attending Catholic elementary
schools in the Diocese of Cleveland.

Awards
Four annual $500 scholarships will be awarded.

Who is Eligible
Catholic elementary school students currently in grades 1 through 7 who will be
entering grades 2 through 8.

Criteria
Financial
• The family will fill out a FACTS application

Merit
• Scholastic achievement in accordance with the student’s potential
• Involvement of student in school life
• Positive character traits

Letter
The parent/guardian and/or the student is required to write a letter
(one-page maximum in length) stating why he/she believes the student fulfills the
merit requirements.

Nominations
Each elementary principal is asked to review his/her student selected based
upon the criteria stated above. Principals’ can submit up to four applications to
the Office of Catholic Education (OCE).

Review/Awards
The Grants Administration Office of the OCE will review the nominations and will
have the final approval of the recipients

Timeline
March 1, 2020—Parents/Guardians and/or students must return their completed
applications with letters, to their principal.
March 15, 2020—Deadline for principals to send their four nominations to the OCE.
On or before May 1, 2020—OCE will send written notification to each of the four
scholarship recipients and copies to their principal.

Mail completed applications/letters to: The Office of Catholic Education
Attn: Cindy Williams
1404 East 9th Street
Cleveland, OH 44114

Contact Cindy at 216-696-6525 ext. 2830 or cwilliams@dioceseofcleveland.org
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Application for the 2020-2021 School Year

Student name ________________________________________________________________

Street address __________________________________City/State/Zip _________________________

Parent/Guardian name ____________________________________________________________

Phone number _________________________ Email ______________________________________

School attending ___________________________________________ Grade ________________

List the school activities in which the student participates ____________________________

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Parent/Guardian and or student, please use the reverse side of this application for writing your letter.

This section to be completed by the school principal

Scholastic Achievements of the student ________________________________________________

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Current GPA __________

Comments ________________________________________________________________

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Principal Signature _________________________________ Date ____________________________
To be completed by the parent/guardian and or student

Please explain why student is a good candidate for this scholarship. What positive character traits do they exhibit? How is the student involved in their school?

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Name of person who wrote this ______________________________________________________________