



2021 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Thank you for your inquiry about the scholarship program offered by the Catholic Union of Texas, The KJT and the KJT Memorial Foundation. The information below explains our scholarship program.

1. Applicants for a KJT scholarship or a KJT Memorial Foundation scholarship **must be KJT insured members for one year** prior to the application deadline of March first (1st) of the year before graduating from high school.
2. The Catholic Union of Texas, The KJT, offers \$30,000 in scholarships ranging from \$800 - \$1,500 each to the most qualified KJT members who will be enrolling in an institution of higher learning or vocational trade school. If any of the scholarship winners enroll in a Catholic institution, the scholarship award is doubled up to \$3,000.00.
3. The KJT Memorial Foundation, our charitable, educational and non-profit organization, will offer two scholarships of \$800.00 each. The scholarships will be awarded to applicants attending a vocational or technical school or enrolled in a technical course regardless of his/her ranking.
4. The scholarship winners are selected by a non KJT member panel with academic backgrounds to insure judgment is fair and impartial.
5. Scholarship awards are payable in two (2) installments. One half of the scholarship award will be payable upon enrollment and the remaining half of the award will be paid upon successful completion of the first semester and enrollment for the second semester.
6. Scholarship winners will be eligible for only one scholarship. Scholarship winners must enroll in an institution of higher learning or vocational trade school within one year from the date notified of the scholarship award, and if curriculum commitments are not completed within one year thereafter, the Board of Directors may award all the remaining portion of such scholarship award to the next alternate scholarship winner.
7. Amount awarded is weighted according to the applicant's performance in the following four (4) categories during the previous four (4) years only:
 - A. Scholastic achievement
 - B. Extracurricular and Community Activity
 - C. Church Participation
 - D. State and Local KJT Involvement and Contributions

When listing your involvement in the KJT on the local, district and state level, please be as specific as possible.

8. **Applications must be fully completed and accompanied by a copy of the high school transcript through the fall semester of the school year of graduation, only 2 letters of recommendation and applicant's photo. Mailed applications must be postmarked no later than March 1, 2021 to be considered.**



FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Application No. _____

Cert. No. _____

**P. O. BOX 297
LA GRANGE, TEXAS 78945-0297
2021 K.J.T. COLLEGE
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

APPLICANT'S NAME: _____
(last) (first) (middle)

HOME ADDRESS: _____
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____ SOCIAL SECURITY NO.: _____
(area code) (phone number)

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

DATE ADMITTED INTO THE K.J.T.: _____ CERTIFICATE NO.: _____

MEMBER OF SOCIETY NO. _____ IN _____, TEXAS.

PARISH _____ SCHOOL _____

DATE OF GRADUATION: _____

NAME OF PARENT(S) OR GUARDIAN: _____

All applications become the property of the Scholarship Committee, whose decision is final. Alternates will be selected and in the event a winner does not choose to attend college for any reason, the first alternate will be notified and given the scholarship. Submit original application in one (1) copy only.

THE FOLLOWING MUST BE INCLUDED WITH YOUR APPLICATION:

- A copy of your high school transcript through the fall semester of the 2020-2021 school year
- A photo of yourself to be placed in the KJT News if selected as a winner
- Letters of recommendation from TWO teachers or counselors (only 2 letters will be sent to judges)

An applicant must be a K.J.T. Insured member for one (1) year prior to the application deadline. Applicant must be a 2021 high school graduate and must meet all qualifications for entry into and be accepted by the institution named below.

University, College or Technical school you plan to attend: _____

Money is to be used to pay for education in an accredited University, College, Junior College, Technical School, Business School, whichever the applicant selects. Money will be paid to the applicant in two installments. One half of the scholarship award is due and payable upon enrollment and the remaining half will be paid upon successful completion of the first semester and enrollment for the second semester.

THE APPLICATION MUST BE POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE MARCH 1, 2021 TO BE CONSIDERED. FAXED COPIES ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE.

Date of Application

Applicant's Signature

ACTIVITY RECORD (Include only the last 4 years)

APPLICATION # _____

I. SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT

A. Scores

GPA: Weighted _____ Non-weighted _____

SAT/ACT: _____

B. List academic honors received: _____

II. EXTRACURRICULAR AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT AND CONTRIBUTIONS (List Athletics, School Clubs and offices held, Band, 4-H, Scouts, and Volunteer Activities such as Big Brothers/Sisters, Youth Sports Coach or Referee, Habitat for Humanity, etc.)

III. CHURCH Participation
(Altar Server, Lector, Choir, Greeter, CYM, Festivals, Programs, etc.)

IV. STATE, DISTRICT AND LOCAL KJT INVOLVEMENT AND CONTRIBUTIONS:
(Meetings, Flag Day, Join Hands Day, District & State Family Days, offices held, etc.)

I verify that _____ has participated in the KJT Activities listed above.

President _____

Society Number _____

Secretary _____

Society Number _____