

The Community Foundation for Greater New Haven
Universal Scholarship Application



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Application Deadline - Postmarked or Faxed by:

George J. Bysiewicz Scholarship Fund

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Tuesday, March 31, 2009

SECTION I: Student Information

Name _____

Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Number _____ Cell #: _____

E-Mail _____

Gender: _____ Male _____ Female Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____

Are you on any social networking sites? If so, please list below name of site and your user name below.

Face book: _____ Username: _____

My Space: _____ Username: _____

Other: _____ Username: _____

Are you a member of a Roman Catholic Parish? Yes No

What High School do you plan to attend? Sacred Heart Academy, Hamden
 Notre Dame High School, West Haven

(Please attach a copy of your Acceptance Letter)

SECTION II: Family Information

____ **Father** ____ **Stepfather** ____ **Guardian**

Full Name: _____
Last First Middle

If Different then student

Address: _____
Street City / State / Zip

Phone #: _____ Alternate #: _____

Email Address: _____ Employer: _____

___ **Mother** ___ **Stepmother** ___ **Guardian**

Full Name: _____
Last First Middle
If Different then student

Address: _____
Street City / State / Zip

Phone #: _____ Alternate#: _____

Email Address: _____ Employer: _____

Check if Applicable: ___ Father Deceased ___ Mother Deceased ___ Parents Divorced

What was the family's Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) as shown on your most recent Income Tax Return Form (IRS form 1040)? _____

Please attach a copy of your parent's most recent tax return and your Student Aid Report (SAR) from FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) which includes your Estimated Family Contribution (EFC). In addition, if you earned taxable income during the previous year, please attach a copy of your IRS form 1040.

List Names, ages and educational levels of siblings for next school year:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Educational Level / Institution</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

SECTION III: School Information

Name of Current School: _____

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Guidance Counselor / Advisor: _____

Counselor Email: _____ Phone #: _____

Anticipated Graduation Date: _____ Cumulative GPA / Rank: _____

SECTION V:

Personal Statement & Unique Circumstances

Parental Statement:

(required)

Please describe how your child can benefit from attending either Sacred Heart Academy or Notre Dame High School and any unusual family or personal circumstances affecting your child's application for the scholarship. Please limit your statement to 500 words. The statement should be typed or printed on a separate sheet.

SECTION VI:

Transcripts, Financial Information and Recommendations

TRANSCRIPT - You must attach copy of your academic transcript to this application. DO NOT SEND SEPERATELY.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION - You must attach a copy of the most recent tax return.

RECOMMENDATIONS – Please submit with this application, two (2) letters of recommendation.

**One from an academic / athletic source (teacher, coach, principal or counselor / advisor) and a second one from an external entity (church member, work supervisor, community member etc...)

SECTION VII:

School / Community Activities

School Activities

Community and Church Activities

Awards and Honors

Application must be submitted as a package. DO NOT send items separately. All incomplete applications will not be considered and returned after the deadline. A complete application MUST include the following items:

- ☐ Completed and Signed Application
- ☐ Letter of Acceptance from either Sacred Heart Academy or Notre Dame
- ☐ 2 Letters of Recommendation (to be submitted with this application)
- ☐ Parent/Guardian most recent tax returns
- ☐ Parental Statement
- ☐ Please note – if awarded, you may be asked for a wallet size photo

**Send or fax completed application to:
The Community Foundation for Greater New Haven
Attn: Bethany S. Watkins, Scholarship Program
70 Audubon Street
New Haven, CT 06510
FAX - (203)787-6584 PHONE – (203) 777-7079**

Certification:

In submitting this application I (we) certify that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my (our) knowledge. I (we) understand that the falsification of information may result in termination of scholarship grants. I (we) understand that all information will be considered confidential for review by The Foundation and/or members of the Education Sub-Committee. I also give permission for my high school to release any information necessary to process my application.

Student's Signature

Date

Parent's/Guardian's Signature

Date

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