



APPLICATION *for* SAINT SCHOLASTICA SCHOLARSHIP

*We live by **Benedictine values of community, hospitality, and stewardship**, finding strength in our prayerful spirituality, beauty in God's creation, and joy in serving others.*

*We create a **diverse, nurturing and inclusive community** in which together we make one another stronger.*

*We develop the **whole student** by stimulating pursuit of intellectual excellence, physical well-being, expressive creativity and spiritual discovery.*

*We exhibit **high moral character** in the way we show respect for ourselves and others.*

These are core values that we live by at Saint Gertrude High School and characteristics of successful Saint Gertrude graduates. Saint Scholastica scholarships will be awarded to new students who demonstrate outstanding potential and embody these ideals and spirit in their lives. Applicants will be considered not only on their academic success (including transcripts, tests scores and a written essay), but also on their leadership experience, community service and extracurricular activities. Financial need may be a secondary consideration. The scholarships will be renewable for all four years provided the student continues to be academically qualified and an active and participating member of the SGHS community.

Application Directions

1. Print or type all responses.
2. Complete a Saint Gertrude High School Admission application (either online or paper version) along with a transcript release form no later than **January 22**.
3. Scholarship application directions:
 - a. Complete this application and return to the Saint Gertrude Admission office no later than **January 22**. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.
 - b. Provide a personal recommendation from someone other than a relative. Recommendations must also be received by **January 22** and are to be forwarded by the individuals making them directly to the Saint Gertrude Director of Admission
 - c. Submit an essay, neatly written or typed on 8 1/2 x 11 paper. Your essay should be no more than 300 words and should address the following:

SGHS' core values are based on the seven Benedictine values of Beauty, Community, Hospitality, Listening, Peace, Spirituality, and Stewardship. Choose one of these seven values and tell about a time that you have lived it out in your life.

4. Submit all scholarship application materials to the Director of Admission, 12829 River Road, Richmond, Virginia 23238, no later than **January 22**.

Full Name _____
first middle last

Address _____
street city state zip

Home Phone _____ Date of Birth _____

School presently attending _____

School Address _____
street city state zip

School Phone _____

Please complete the following

(Based on your experience during the past three years ~ grades 6-8)

Honors, Awards, and Elected Positions of Leadership	School/Organization	Dates
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Extracurricular Activities	School/Organization	Dates
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Work or Volunteer Experience	School/Organization	Dates
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

My personal recommendation will be from _____

Student Signature

Parent Signature

Date