



Scholarship Application Overview

Guardian Angels Women's Club

Two \$3,000 Scholarships for female students to be awarded for fall 2026

Eligibility requirements

- Female applicants must be either -
 - 1) a senior graduating from high school who intends to continue her education at a university, college or technical school in fall semester; or
 - 2) a current student attending a university, college or technical school who will attend the fall semester; or
 - 3) an adult returning to a university, college or technical school who will take classes in fall semester; or
 - 4) an adult taking Continuing Education Units/Credits.
- Applicants must be a registered member of Guardian Angels parish.

Application procedures

Please submit:

- completed application form with involvement list and essays
- copy of the student's current high school and/or college transcripts (not required for CEU's)
- two letters of recommendation (one must be from within the Guardian Angels community)
- applicant photo to be used in church bulletin and social media announcement if you are chosen as a recipient

Applications are due May 15, 2026 to the Parish Office. Office is open 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday - Friday.

Selection criteria: Applicants will be judged on community engagement, service to parish and/or community, leadership potential, character and academic aptitude as demonstrated by the application materials.

Applicants will be informed of the committee's decision by June 5, 2026. Award winners chosen will be expected to provide the name/address of the university/college/trade school business office and student id # to issue the check directly to the school. If Continuing Education Units/Credits, winner will be expected to provide a current receipt for reimbursement for CEU cost up to \$3,000.

Questions or to submit application materials electronically, please contact the Selection Committee (womensclub@guardian-angels.org).

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To be completed by the applicant (please print). Submit to the Parish Office.

Applicant Name: _____
First Name _____ Middle Initial _____ Last Name _____

Applicant Address: _____
Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email address: _____

Cell phone: _____

Award Notification: Prefer txt call email

current high school senior current college student returning adult student/CEU

What schools, or CEU classes have you applied to (or attend)? Have you been accepted (or attend)?

_____ yes no waiting to hear back

_____ yes no waiting to hear back

_____ yes no waiting to hear back

If CEU's, please provide an estimated cost, if less than \$3,000: _____

Please provide a short biography that can be used in a bulletin or social media announcement should you be selected as the winner. Should include a brief summary of your involvement, talents, school you are graduating from, school you plan to (or do) attend, anticipated major and/or job focus upon graduation or reason for taking the CEU.

--Please attach or email a photo that could be used as well. Photo

Parent(s) or Guardian(s) contact information (for verification of parish membership if applicable)

Name(s): _____

Address: _____
Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email address: _____

Cell phone: _____

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Involvement

(please share on additional sheets as needed)

Please share your community engagement and leadership activities. Please include community service, extracurricular activities, jobs, etc. – all the things that contribute to your social, cultural, educational and spiritual development. Don't forget to include your participation in Parish organizations and service projects. Please include the following information:

| Name of activity | Months/year(s) active | Describe your involvement (be specific) |
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Essays

On a separate sheet, please answer the following questions:

Engaging in God's service is important at Guardian Angels. How have you used your talents to engage in God's service? What do you gain and learn by giving back to the community?

How do you plan to engage with the community you will be part of during your time at the university, college or trade school, after graduation or post CEU in the future?

How would you use this scholarship?

Recommendations

Please submit two letters of recommendation.

- One from a high school teacher, counselor, advisor, supervisor or other source who knows you.
- One from a leader within the Guardian Angels community.

Please ask them to share their knowledge and perception of your engagement, leadership, talents and potential. They can mail or email the letter to the Parish Office or you can drop them off or attach them to the application.

Submission Instructions

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