

ST.JOHN'S COLLEGE JUNIOR COLLEGE JESUIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM 2024



The Jesuit Scholarship program is a partnership between St. John's College and specific Jesuit Colleges and Universities in the United States. The purpose of the scholarship program is to:

- Provides S.J.C. graduates with opportunities to pursue bachelor's degrees.
- Support S.J.C. graduates who will make a positive contribution to the development of Belize.
- Recognize S.J.C. graduates who embrace the Ignatian philosophy of Cura
- Personalis (care for the whole person), free inquiry, the highest of intellectual standards, service to others and a Life of purpose.

St. John's College nominates students for scholarships in the form of 100% tuition waivers tenable at participating Jesuit Colleges and Universities. Final award of the waiver is given by the participating university and is dependent on the nominee gaining admission into the University.

ELIGIBILITY:

To be eligible, the applicants must be an SJC student who:

- Has a minimum cumulative GPA to date of 3.00 OR has already gained admission to one of the partner Jesuit Colleges or Universities.
- ❖ Is a Belizean Citizen
- Expects to earn or has earned the Associate Degree between June 2023 and June 2024.
- Has demonstrated leadership potential and commitment to the community.
- Can access financial resources to meet non-tuition expenses
- Has SAT test results or shows proof of registration for SAT

SELECTION CRITERIA:

Nominees are selected based on:

- Demonstrated academic potential in the are of study
- Clarity of purpose
- Performance in the interview
- Evidence of leadership
- ❖ Commitment to Belize

Candidates must choose a program of study which will enhance Belize's development.

SCHEDULE:

Wednesday, January 31st, 2024 Deadline for submission of applications including personal development

records, birth certificate, preliminary financial declaration, and letters of

recommendation from current teacher and one outside source.

Monday, February 12th, 2024 Final Deadline for re-submission (incompletes)

Wednesday, February 28th, 2024 Announcement of short-listed applicants and interview schedule

Monday, March 18th , -Thursday, March 21st,

Interviews with Eligible applicants

2024

Tuesday, April 9th, 2024 Announcement of Selected Students

Thursday, April 11th, 2024 Meeting with Parents and Selected students and submission of Financial Declaration

Thursday, April 18th, 2024 Deadline for Confirmation of Acceptance

Thursday, April 25th, 2024 Submission of nominations of Selected Students to Colleges / Universities

^{*}Please note: Persons with citizenship, residency, or immigrant status in the USA are **NOT** eligible.



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JESUIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION FORM 2024 THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING THIS APPLICATION IS January 31st, 2024

SECTION I: PERSONAL DATA

Name:			
Last : Home Address:	name	First name	Middle
Street			City/Town/District
Telephone#:(Home)		(Cell)	Email Address:
Gender : Male F	emale Date of Bi	irth:// //	Place of Birth:
Citizenship: Do you ha Yes(country)	ave citizenship, res	sidency, or imm	nigrant status in a country other than Belize? No
Marital Status:	Single M	Iarried Divo	orced Widowed
Religion: Roman Catholic	Adventist	Anglican Oth	Baptist Methodist Presbyterian ner(please specify)
SECTIONII: PAREN 1. Name:			OATA: elationship to Applicant:
Telephone#:	01		Email Address:
(Home) Employer:		(Work)	(Cell) _Job/Title:
2. Name:			elationship to Applicant:
Telephone#:		SA.	Email Address:
(Home) Employer:		(Work)	(Cell) Job/Title:
SECTION III: EDU Schools Attended (beg From			tended Diploma/Certificate To received
	V: EDUCATION your educational and		EER GOALS:



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low will your goals contribute to the development of Belize?	
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What particular field of study do you wish to pursue?	200
Iow would a scholarship allow you to make a difference in Beliz	ze in the field of study of your choice?
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Iow have you been making a difference in your community?	
are there any circumstances you believe make you particularly que	ualified and deserving of a scholarship?

SECTION V: ACADEMIC

If you have already applied and gained admission to one of the participating colleges or universities, please attach the original letter of acceptance to this application along with SAT results. You need not submit transcripts as the review committee will obtain documentation of your academic standing at St. John's College.

SECTION VI: FINANCIAL

The scholarship covers tuition only. Room and board costs average about US \$12,00.00 per year and transportation, books, fees, and other expenses average about US \$3,500 per year. Cost of internships varies according to program of study. The schools awarding scholarships are obligated by the United States Government to have notarized financial Statements relative to covering the costs of education prior to issuing the forms necessary to obtain a visa for study in the United States. You must submit a preliminary financial declaration as proof of your ability to cover these costs for a two-year period before you will be considered for the scholarship.

SECTION VII: RECOMMENDATIONS

Submit the following with this application:

- 1. A copy of your Personal Development Record (to be obtained from the Student Affairs Office).
- 2. Completed recommendation form (attached) from a teacher in a subject area related to the field of study you wish to pursue.
- 3. Two letters of recommendation from persons not related to you:
 - 3A. One addressing your leadership preparation and potential (Preferably someone outside of school)
 - 3B. One addressing your accomplishments in service to the community
- 4. A copy of your birth certificate.
- 5. A completed Preliminary Financial Declaration.
- 6. Copy of your junior college school transcript

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- ✓ Completed application form
- √ Birth certificate
- ✓ Completed preliminary financial declaration
- √ personal development record
- ✓ Completed recommendation form from teacher
- ✓ letter of recommendation pertaining to leadership
- √ letter of recommendation pertaining to community service
- ✓ Copy of your Junior College Transcript
- ✓ application form contains signature and date
- √ acceptance letter from university
- ✓ SAT results or show proof of registration

PLEASE DO NOT SUBMIT ANY DOCUMENTS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN REQUESTED AS PART OF THIS APPLICATION AS THEY WILL NOT BE INCLUDED IN YOUR APPLICATION FILE FOR CONSIDERATION.

I have read all of the statements on this application and affirm that the information provided is accurate and complete.

Signature of Applicant Signature of Parent/ Guardian Date

Completed application packets are to be submitted to:
Jesuit Scholarship Program
Office of the Dean
Yorke Hall
St. John's College

Deadline for submission is Wednesday, January 31st, 2024



2024 JESUIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FORM

SECTION I (to be completed by applicant)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE APPLICANT:

Complete Section I then give this form to your recommender. After completing section II the recommender should return the form to you in a sealed envelope which you will attach to your application.

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Proposed Field of Stud	y:							
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SECTION II (to be co	mpleted by the recomn	iender)						
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PRELIMINARY FINANCIAL DECLARATION

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timated expenses for 2021-2022 based on 2 ser mmer. (Expenses can be expected to increase		not including
EXPENSES	2022-2023	2023-2024
uition- waived by sponsoring university	\$0	\$0
Room & Board	US\$10,680- \$12,040	US\$11,748-\$12300
Books, Fees, Supplies & Personal Items (airfare costs not included)	US\$2,500- \$6,100	US\$2,750-\$6,182
Medical & Accident Insurance (if not covered by any existing policy)	US\$330-\$2,270	US\$363-\$2,497
OTAL ESTIMATE PER YEAR	US\$13,510- \$20,410	US\$14,861-\$20,410
OTAL ESTIMATE FOR TWO YEARS	US\$28,371-\$41,389 (BZ \$82,778)	\$56742-
ISURANCECOVERAGE		
ne above named student has medical and acc	ident insurance coverage v	alid in the United State
YES Insurance Provider: NO		

SOURCES OF FUNDS/ANNUAL SUPPORT PER YEAR

*Personal Funds of Student: <u>\$</u>	_Name of Financial Institution:
*Parent's or Sponsor's Funds: \$	Name of Financial Institution:
**Other: \$	
**Other: \$	
*Supporting Bank Statement must be attached	**Letter of Support must be attached
CERTIFICATION OF RESPONSIBILITY	
This is to certify that I understand all of the above and four semesters of study at a participating university shows a participatin	ould the student be awarded a 100% tuition waver.
Address: Street & Number City	Country
Relationship of person responsible to student:	
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