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**Trinity Education Assistance Fund
Scholarship Application**

DEADLINE: May 24, 2023

The Trinity Education Assistance Fund welcomes applications for a Trinity Scholarship from any active, confirmed member of Trinity Lutheran Church, Worcester, Massachusetts. To be considered, applications must be filled out completely and accompanied by 1) an essay from you 2) one letter of recommendation from an unrelated adult and 3) a single semester's tuition bill.

If you are applying on Part II (on the back of this form) you must include the FAFSA form and a copy of the financial aid package granted by the college you will attend. All information will be held in strict confidence. The TEAF program is available only to individuals enrolled in full time, undergraduate degree programs (Associate and Bachelor degrees). Advance degree programs such as Masters, Ph.D., Industrial Certification or Technical Training School programs are not eligible. Please return the completed form and other required documentation to the parish office by email to [**admin@trinityworc.org**](mailto:admin@trinityworc.org) or in an envelope addressed to the TEAF Scholarship Fund by May 24, 2023.

Awards will be made in two parts: August 2023 and January 2024

REQUIREMENTS

1. In an accompanying one-page essay, please describe your involvement in church activities, community groups, social, sports and student organizations.
2. Attach a letter of recommendation from an unrelated adult with the application.
3. Please include a single semester's tuition bill. (Undecided students, please submit your chosen school's tuition bill by June 1, 2023 to confirm your enrollment.)

PART I

Name _____

Street _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

List the college you will be attending in the fall. If you are an undecided first year college student, list all the colleges to which you have applied and place an asterisk (*) next to the one you will most likely attend. Undecided students, a copy of your chosen school's tuition bill needs to be submitted by June 1, 2023 in order to confirm your college attendance.

Major _____ Anticipated date of degree _____

PART II (Optional)

If your family income is below \$50,000 or you have any unusual circumstances confronting you and/or your family (extraordinary medical bills or parental occupational issues or other), please contact a member of the Ministry Staff ***before May 24, 2023***. Additional consideration will be given to those with special needs.

Be prepared to provide the Scholarship Committee with the FAFSA documentation.

I understand that any monies I receive from the Trinity Education Assistance Fund may be used only for educational costs. If my plans for college change and I do not attend, I am responsible for returning the Scholarship Award to Trinity Lutheran Church.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Pastor's Signature _____ Date _____