



## MOTHER CABRINI COUNCIL #1841 SILVER LAKE, MINNESOTA

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### 2011 Scholarship Requirements

The long history of the partnership between the Knights of Columbus and Catholic education dates back to 1904. Over the years, the Order has remained a staunch ally of institutions of learning, of parents, and of students through a well-developed and well-financed series of undergraduate scholarships and graduate fellowships. In addition to Supreme Council programs, state and local councils can offer independent scholarship programs. Our council's scholarship program provides monetary grants to eligible students to defray post secondary education expenses.

#### Eligibility:

1. The applicant and/or their parent are members of the Church of the Holy Family in Silver Lake, Minnesota.
2. The applicant is a practical Catholic in communion with the Holy See.
3. The applicant is a high school senior graduating in the spring of 2011.
4. The applicant will be attending a post secondary school in the fall of 2011.
5. The applicant must be sponsored by a member in good standing of Silver Lake Mother Cabrini Council 1841.

#### Application:

1. The applicant must complete the supplied 2011 Scholarship Application Form from Mother Cabrini Council 1841. Forms may be requested from our Scholarship Chairman Bob Penas at either his email address [bobpenas@wildbluecoop.com](mailto:bobpenas@wildbluecoop.com) or phone # 320-327-2122. Forms are also available on the church website at [www.holyfamilysilverlake.org](http://www.holyfamilysilverlake.org) and at the parish office.
2. Applicant must submit a written recommendation from a high school faculty member.
3. Sponsor and applicant must sign and date the application.
4. All required materials must be received by April 15, 2011.

#### Awards:

1. Two non-renewable \$250.00 scholarships are available annually.
2. Award recipients will be notified by May 15, 2011.
3. The scholarship monies will be paid out upon the completion of fall semester. The scholarship recipient must provide proof of completion (grade transcript for that semester).
4. Scholarships not distributed by the application deadline of the following year will be withdrawn.
5. Withdrawn scholarships may, at the council's discretion, be made available during the next scholarship cycle.

#### Selection Criteria:

The Knights of Columbus Mother Cabrini Council 1841 Scholarship Committee will consist of the current Grand Knight and Trustees. They will consider the following criteria, in the order listed, to select award recipients:

1. All requested information must be completed and submitted before April 15, 2011.
2. Response to Essay Question
3. Parish and Community Service (above and beyond Confirmation requirement)
4. Faculty Recommendation
5. Extracurricular Activities, Accomplishments, and Awards



## 2011 Scholarship Application Form

Please print neatly or type all responses.

### Section 1: Biographical information.

First Name		Last Name	
Father's Name		Mother's Name	
Address			
City		State	Zip Code
Date of Birth	Phone Number	Email Address	
Sponsoring Knight		Relationship Father   Grandfather   Other _____	
Name of High School			
School Planning to Attend			
Degree/Program	Program Duration 2 Yr   4 Yr   Other _____		Accepted Yes   No

### Section 2: Essay

Please describe in less than 200 words how you apply one or more of the four tenants of the Knights of Columbus (charity, unity, fraternity, patriotism) in your life.

### Section 3: Parish and Community Service

Please attach a list of your parish and community activities (above and beyond your Confirmation requirement).

### Section 4: Extracurricular Activities, Accomplishments, and Awards

Please attach a list of your extracurricular activities, accomplishments, and awards.

### Section 5: Recommendation

Please attach a written recommendation from a high school faculty member.

“I certify that all of the statements made in this application are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.”

Signature of Applicant	Date
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Signature of Sponsor	Date
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**Mail completed form & attachments (sect. 2-5) to Silver Lake Knights of Columbus 1841 ~ PO Box 93 ~ Silver Lake MN 55381**  
**MUST BE RECEIVED BEFORE APRIL 15, 2011 TO RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIP CONSIDERATION**  
**Late applications will not be considered by the Scholarship Committee**