



Knights of Columbus

Msgr. Laughlin Scholarship Application

Scholarship administered by:

**Knights of Columbus
Msgr. Laughlin Council #5288
Penacook, New Hampshire**

High School Seniors who will graduate in the year 2012, with the intention of pursuing their education at an accredited two or four-year college, university or trade school, are invited to compete in the writing of an essay by the Knights of Columbus, Monsignor Laughlin Council #5288. The Msgr. Laughlin Scholarship Committee will select the two best essays and award each writer with a \$250 scholarship

I. Eligibility

The Msgr. Laughlin Scholarship is open to all High School Seniors who attend Merrimack Valley High School, Bishop Brady High School, and Canterbury residents who attend Belmont High School.

II. Scholarship Program Requirements and Description

The Msgr. Laughlin Scholarship will be awarded to two separate individuals who write the most complete and thorough essays on a topic determined by the Scholarship Committee. Each applicant is limited to one essay. The desired length of the essay is four typed pages, double spaced, with 1 inch margins on each page.

The Scholarship Committee will select the two best essays and award each writer with a \$250 scholarship

The topic for this year's essay is:

"Responsibilities of Citizens Living in a Democratic Society".

III. Application Deadlines

In order to be considered for the 2012 Msgr. Laughlin Scholarship, the application form on page 3 is to be filled out and submitted with the completed essay no later than March 15, 2012.

The scholarship will be awarded on May 8, 2012.

IV. Privacy Statement

All information provided by the applicant in the written scholarship will be kept confidential by the Msgr. Laughlin Scholarship Committee

APPLICATION

Name of applicant _____

Address of applicant _____

I hereby apply for the Msgr. Laughlin Council #5288 Scholarship for the academic year beginning in the fall of 2012 to be used for attendance at the college, trade school or university shown below:

Name of college, trade school or university _____

Address of college, trade school or university _____

I have read the Scholarship Requirements and have done my best to comply with them. The essay I presented is a reflection of my own thoughts and ideas. I understand that the Msgr. Laughlin Scholarship Committee will select the two best essays and award each writer with a \$250 scholarship and that neither the Knights of Columbus nor the Msgr. Laughlin Scholarship Committee has any obligation to me in any manner whatsoever.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Please include your application and completed essay and mail to:

Mr. George Hashem
Msgr. Laughlin Scholarship Committee
1169 Battle Street
Webster, NH 03303