

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

Fr. Grom Fund

Dear Parents:

Enclosed you will find an application form and other information about the St. John the Evangelist Fr. Grom Fund, which funds grants for Catholic Education. Any student in our Grade School or an eighth-grade student planning to attend a Catholic High School accredited by the Archdiocese of Milwaukee is eligible to apply.

The amount of the award will be determined by the amount of money available, the number of applications received, the applicant's financial needs, and academic achievements. Each year the student must re-apply for the grant. There is no guarantee that the student will be able to receive a grant in consecutive years. The awards are paid directly to our Grade School or the high school in the fall of the year. If you were to receive a grant and would change your mind about entering our Grade School or a Catholic High School, prior to entering, you must notify St. John's parish office immediately.

The enclosed information should answer all or most of your questions, but if you need additional information, please call the school office.

Please keep in mind that the completed application must be received by May 1, 2021.

Sincerely,



Fr. Michael Merkt
Pastor

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Enclosures

EDUCATIONAL GRANT (RULES AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICANTS)

I. OBJECTIVE

The St. John the Evangelist Fr. Grom Fund's objective is to encourage the youth of St. John the Evangelist Parish to excel in scholastic endeavors in a Catholic environment for the betterment of the individual faith community and their country.

II. ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Candidates must be:

- A. A student of St. John the Evangelist grade school or an accredited Catholic High School who is Catholic.
- B. A United States Citizen.
- C. Planning to attend St. John the Evangelist Grade School or accepted by an accredited Catholic High School.
- D. Must be a registered, supporting member of St. John the Evangelist. Support can come in various forms but usually includes volunteering at parish functions (festival, dinners, etc.), being an active member of an organization, and at minimum, making regular weekly or monthly contributions in the envelopes provided to you.
- E. Must be practicing Catholic. Regular Mass attendance and reception of the sacraments are essential to abide by the spirit under which this program was initiated.
- F. Have a Christian attitude be of good moral character, good conduct, and promote achievement through learning.
- G. In the event the parish grade school shall cease operations, the candidates must meet all other requirements and be in the Religious Education program at St. John the Evangelist.

III. AWARDS

The awards are paid directly to our Grade School or the high school in the fall of the year. The Selection Committee will determine awards. The committee reserves the right to terminate the entire fund at any time without notice.

Every student awarded a grant in a previous year must re-apply every year for an annual grant.

IV. MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR JUDGING

The Selection Committee will require the following from each applicant:

- A. Application for Scholarship.

All required forms must be completed in full. The applicant's information will be held in strict confidence and will be reviewed only by the Selection Committee.

V. RULES FOR THE PROGRAM

1. The Selection Committee must receive the materials required for judging at the address given below no later than May 1, 2021.

St. John the Evangelist Fr. Grom Fund
Selection Committee
c/o St. John the Evangelist School
8500 W. Cold Spring Road
Greenfield, WI 53228

2. All applicants will be notified of award status and the amount of the award by June 1, 2021.

Award recipients must be enrolled as a full-time student in either St. John the Evangelist Grade School or an accredited Catholic High School during each semester.

3. List the children counted in question 2 and state their ages.

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CERTIFICATION: All the information on this form is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. If asked by an authorized official, I agree to prove the information that I have given on this form.

Student's Signature

Parent's Signature

Date completed: _____

To be considered for the scholarship award, this completed form must be given to the selection committee no later than May 1, 2021.

INCOMPLETE applications will be rejected.

Please describe the student's academic achievements or performances or the student's demonstrated effort in the classroom. Please include a copy of the most current report card.

Please describe any student volunteer activities for the parish or school or volunteer activities in the community. Elaborate fully and include dates if possible. (i.e., scouts, neighborhood volunteers, mass servers, children's choir, family mass, etc.)

Please describe any volunteer activities performed by the immediate family for the parish, school, or the community. Elaborate fully and include dates if possible. (i.e., parish organizations, parish council member, Home & School officer, Red Cross Volunteer, etc.)
