



## 2025-2026 Tuition Assistance Opportunities Kindergarten - 8th Grade

### Quincy Catholic Elementary Schools Foundation

The QCES Foundation provides about \$130,000 in tuition assistance to families each school year. Awards for assistance are based on financial need. Applications, including required supporting documents such as W-2s and tax returns, must be submitted online through the FACTS Grant & Aid Program. Links to each school's FACTS program are located at the link below. While funding is not guaranteed, families who fall within 200% of Federal Poverty Guidelines are encouraged to apply.

Household Size	200% FPL
1	\$31,300
2	\$42,300
3	\$53,300
4	\$64,300
5	\$75,300
6	\$86,300
7	\$97,300
8	\$108,300
9	\$119,300
10	\$130,300

The QCES Foundation also facilitates multiple scholarships. To be considered for a scholarship, families must complete the scholarship form AND the FACTS Grant & Aid application.

- Fr. Augustus Tolton Scholarship - Full-tuition scholarship (K-8) awarded to one family at each of the four Quincy Catholic Elementary Schools.
- Newcomer's Scholarship - Partially need based, full-tuition scholarship (K-8), either Catholic or non-Catholic, whose family does not currently have any children enrolled in one of Quincy's four Catholic Elementary Schools.
- St. Thomas Aquinas Scholarship - Full-tuition and fees scholarship (K-8) for four students registered at one of the four Quincy Catholic Elementary Schools whose family does not currently have a student enrolled. The scholarship is intended for students of color, non-Catholic students, students below poverty level, or students with disabilities.

All scholarship applications must be submitted to [director@quincycatholicschools.org](mailto:director@quincycatholicschools.org). FACTS applications and scholarship applications must be completed and submitted by April 4, 2025.

**Tuition assistance and scholarship applications will not be accepted past this date without approval from the foundation director.** More information and links to the applications are available at [www.quincycatholicschools.org/tuitionassistance](http://www.quincycatholicschools.org/tuitionassistance).

### Gene Grawe Fund

Participation in the Gene Grawe Fund can offset tuition by the purchase of gift cards offered through many retailers. These businesses donate a percentage of the profits which is then distributed to the tuition accounts of the families participating. Every year, during Spring school registration, all students and their parents are extended the opportunity to participate in the Gene Grawe Fund. To learn more, visit [www.genegrawefund.org](http://www.genegrawefund.org) or stop by the office located in the lobby at St. Peter Church, 2600 Maine Street.