



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNAPOLIS COUNCIL 1384**  
**FRANK RISTAINO SCHOLARSHIPS**

**APPLICATION FORM –ELEMENTARY AND HIGH SCHOOL**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Is he a member in good standing  
of the Annapolis Council? Yes / No (circle)

What Council activities did member participate in during the past year.

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Family Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Family Parish : \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School Presently Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

School Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

School City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School Attending Next September: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Principal's Name \_\_\_\_\_

*The following questions should be answered by the parent or guardian*

How many dependent children are in the home? \_\_\_\_\_ How many of school age? \_\_\_\_\_  
How many attend parochial schools? \_\_\_\_\_

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What is the published annual tuition cost for this child? \$ \_\_\_\_\_ What other costs will be  
incurred next year? \_\_\_\_\_

What is the family's approximate family income? \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Did this child receive a scholarship  
award from K of C Council #1384 last year? Yes No (circle) Value = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Were awards from other sources received last year? Yes/no Value = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

If there are financial burdens or if there is other pertinent information you wish to have considered, please  
present that information here:

**Special:** The application must be accompanied by (1) copy of the child's most recent report card, and (2)  
a one-page essay on: "What a Catholic education means to me." See other side for criteria used in making  
awards and other pertinent information.

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Office use:

Date Application Received: \_\_\_\_\_

## FRANK RISTAINO SCHOLARSHIP FUND

### Knights of Columbus, Annapolis Council 1384

**Purpose of the Scholarship:** The purpose of the scholarship fund is to assist practicing Catholics and their school attending children in meeting the cost of education at accredited Catholic elementary, high school, and parish-supported programs of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD)

**Eligibility:** Relatives of Knights of Columbus, Council 1384 members who are in good standing are eligible to apply for financial aid from this fund. Preference will be given to grades 7 through 12 at parishes and schools that are local to Annapolis.

**Award Criteria:** Criteria for determining awards include: total number of applicants; financial need based upon suitable financial disclosure; academic record; number of siblings; tuition costs; the one-page essay on “**What a Catholic education means to me;**” any additional information that was considered pertinent to the application; completion of all information on the application; and the degree of active participation in Council 1384 meetings, events, and activities by the sponsor-member of Council 1384. **Failure to submit any of the required credentials will result in elimination from review by the Scholarship Committee.**

**Award Amount:** The Council has set aside \$9300 for this scholarship fund and awards will be made using criteria outlined above.

**Application and Award Dates:** Applications are due by January 31 for the school year starting in September, and notification letters will be sent by February 15 of each year. **Late applications will not be considered unless there are legitimate extenuating circumstances that prevented submission by the due date.**

**Award Notification:** Notification of awards will be made by letter to the recipients and the applicant’s school, with payment to the receiving institution for application to student’s account.

**Scholarship Committee:** The Scholarship Committee membership and chairman are appointed by the Grand Knight of the Annapolis Council. The names of the Committee membership and chairman, shall be announced at the regular January business meeting of the Council.

**Disbursement of Awards:** The disbursement of the award funds shall be by check to the school or the supporting parish for a CCD program. The award recipient will present the check to the receiving institution for application to his or her account.

**Submission of Application:** Applications should be submitted to **Joseph Woerner, Treasurer at 511 Ridge Road, Annapolis, MD 21401 no later than January 31.**