

Date: December 5, 2025

To: High school guidance counselors

**From: St Victor Conference,
Society of St. Vincent de Paul**

Regarding: Scholarships for fall 2026

Deadline: March 1, 2025

Terms:

1. We are offering multiple scholarships of \$1000 each. We will select students from 1 or more area high schools.
2. We are restricting the applicants to those students planning to attend a trade/vocational school next Fall. The students must be enrolling in a 1 to 2 year vocational program.
3. This scholarship is not renewable.
4. Please use the enclosed special SVdP scholarship application.
5. To be properly considered please make sure your application addresses each of the 3 selection guidelines.
6. Final selection may require the candidate to interview with the scholarship committee.
7. Payment will be made in the form of 2 checks for \$500 each written to the school and student. The fall semester check will be issued upon proof of enrollment in the fall semester. The spring semester check will be issued upon proof of enrollment in the spring and proof of successful completion of the fall semester.
8. The recipient is responsible for arranging for payment of the scholarship.
9. To arrange for payments of the scholarship call St. Vincent de Paul at (608) 329-7837 ext. 228 and make an appointment with the intake and assistance coordinator.

Selection guidelines: (In order of our priority)

1. Demonstrated financial need.
 - a. Do you or your family currently qualify for/receive financial assistance in some form? Ex; Free/Reduced lunch in school, food assistance (EBT Card), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF; Formerly welfare), Medicaid/Medicare, etc)
 - b. If you or your family do not qualify for/receive financial assistance but feel you have a financial need related to college expenses; please explain.
2. Lifestyle of community service to others and volunteerism to assist others.
3. At least average grades, demonstrating academic ability. Please include class rank and GPA.

Scholarship descriptions: Society of St. Vincent de Paul of Monroe, Inc. Scholarship

To be awarded to graduating seniors from 1 or more area high schools who will be attending an accredited technical school. Selection is based on need, community service/volunteerism to assist others and scholarship. The scholarships will be in the amount of \$1000 each. The first half will be paid upon proof of enrollment in the fall semester and the second half upon satisfactory completion of the first semester and proof of enrollment in the second semester. The recipient is responsible for arranging for payment of the scholarship by calling the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift store and makes an appointment with the intake and assistance coordinator or their representative.

A separate application and face-to-face interview of the candidate by the committee may be required.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS IS MARCH 1ST.

Questions: Please contact the intake and assistance coordinator or their representative at the St. Vincent de Paul store. (608)329-7837 ext. 228

Please mail completed applications to:

St. Vincent de Paul-Scholarships

P.O. Box 178,

Monroe, WI 53566

16. Name of high school you are attending. _____

17. List 3 references (can be employers or teachers)

18. List activities outside of school. _____

19. List any awards you have received. _____

20. Why are you interested in your future occupation? _____

21. Why should you receive this scholarship? (Be sure to address your financial need; examples being; do you or your family currently qualify for/receive financial assistance in some form such as Free/Reduced lunch in school, food assistance (EBT Card), Medicaid/Medicare, Disability Assistance, or other financial assistance)

	Receive?	Do not Receive?	If yes, please explain
Free/Reduced School Lunch			
Food Assistance (EBT Card/Foodshare)			
Disability Assistance (SSI/SSDI)			
Medicaid/Medicare			
Other Type of Assistance			

22. I or my family do not qualify for/receive financial assistance but feel that we have a financial need related to college expenses; please explain:

23. What community service or volunteer activities do you give time to? Tell us about your community service and volunteer activities, including the amount of time you give to each.
