

Cookie Harris Pro-Life Advocacy Scholarship Application

The Cookie Harris Pro-Life Advocacy Scholarships are awarded to developing leaders within the pro-life movement. Two scholarships, each for \$750, will be awarded; one to a rising junior and one to a rising senior. Applicants will be evaluated based on an application and essay detailing the student's pro-life activities to date. The announcement of the scholarship recipients will take place at the MDSA Honors Assembly and the awards will be applied to the recipients' next year's tuition.

The ideal Cookie Harris Pro-Life Advocacy scholar has the following characteristics:

- Is active in pro-life advocacy
- Demonstrates effort in the classroom
- Maintains a minimum of a 2.0 GPA
- Conducts herself in a manner that reflects the mission and values of Mount de Sales
- Is not involved in disciplinary incidents deemed serious by the administration

Scholarship Application Steps:

1. Complete application

2. Write a 250-500-word essay on the three elements detailed below.

- a. Describe your pro-life advocacy efforts during your high school experience. Explain the impact your efforts have had on your mission to serve, protect, and defend the unborn.
- b. Having experienced success and/or failure in your efforts, how would you like to grow as a pro-life advocate?
- c. What is your hope for the future of pro-life advocacy? How can you help realize this vision?

Please type the essay and put your name, grade, and "Submission for the Cookie Harris Pro-Life Advocacy Scholarship" at the top of the page.

3. Submit application and essay by May 1 to:

Mount de Sales Academy
c/o Claire Cohagan
700 Academy Road
Catonsville, MD 21228

Or, email the information to Claire Cohagan at ccohagan@mountdesales.org

4. The Scholarship will be awarded at the Honors Assembly.

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Please fill out the information below in entirety and obtain appropriate signatures.

Name: _____

Grade: _____

- 2.0 GPA or Higher**
(Obtain GPA and signature from the Registrar.)

Current GPA: _____

Signature of Registrar

- Disciplinary Good Standing**
(Obtain verification and signature from the Vice Principal of Student Affairs.)

Yes **No**

Comments:

Signature of Vice Principal of Student Affairs

- Pro-Life advocacy outreach efforts and/or events you have attended or initiated (if more space is needed, please attach list):**

Outreach	Description of Advocacy	Location	Dates
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

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- Pro-Life organizations of which you are a member and your position, if applicable (is more space is needed, please attach list):**
i.e. Sodality, March for Life

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