



The Maguire Scholars College Program

About The Program

The Maguire Foundation will provide “last dollar” scholarship support students graduating from the listed Philadelphia area high schools for four years of matriculation. Maguire Scholars who are selected by their respective institutions must maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of a 3.0 or higher. They also must be an active participant in their school through extra-curricular activities and/or volunteer in their community. There are currently 27 partnership institutions in higher education.

Eligibility

Eligible students for this scholarship program

1. Have graduated from one of the high schools listed on the attached list.
2. Have earned *at least* a 3.0 grade average or equivalent in high school.
3. Have completed an **online** Maguire Scholars Program Application .
 - a. Including a letter of recommendation from supervisor of a volunteer/community service or extracurricular activity.
4. Are engaged in community service and/or extracurricular activities.
5. Qualify for admission to selected institution.
6. Demonstrate financial need by having an Expected Family Contribution (EFC) of \$0-\$15,000.
7. Contribute at least \$5000 per year to tuition, room & board. (\$1000 at a community college).
8. Will participate with regular Maguire Scholar activities in accordance with university requirements.

Application Guidelines

College deadlines may vary. Please see online applications at individual colleges for deadlines.

- Complete the application
- Complete the personal statement
- Attach a letter of recommendation

You may submit a scholarship application to as many schools as you would like.

- See the following list of schools with Maguire Scholars programs
- **All applications should be submitted online**

Please check the individual school's website for Maguire Scholarship applications

Applicants must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov>, **before February 15, 2018** and include your desired institutions.



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Name: _____
Last First MI

Address: _____
Street Address or PO Box

City State ZIP

Email: _____

Telephone: (H) _____ (C) _____

High School: _____

Graduation Date: _____ Cumulative GPA: _____

SAT: _____ ACT: _____

Application Submitted for: _____
College/University Name

Please Indicate:

- I am a current Maguire High School Scholar*
 - I am a current Distinguished Maguire High school Scholar*
- (This information will be verified at each college by the Maguire Foundation)***

Student Signature

By signing below, I acknowledge that all information I have provided in this application is true, complete, and accurate.

Student Signature

Date



Essay Question

DIRECTIONS: Please answer the following question. The response should be no less than two paragraphs, but no more than one page. Answer should be typed in a standard 12-point font. Each page should have your name, your high school, and the college to which you are applying for the Maguire Scholars Program.

QUESTION: The mission of The Maguire Foundation is grounded in St. Ignatius Loyola's teachings that we are men and women for others. What do you do to serve others?

**Incomplete applications will be deemed ineligible and will NOT be returned to the applicant. All colleges will select and notify recipients directly.
DO NOT SEND ANY MATERIALS TO THE MAGUIRE FOUNDATION**



Recommendation

When submitting your application materials, please include a letter of recommendation from a community or activity leader who can accurately assess your potential to maximize this scholarship opportunity. Letters should be submitted in a sealed envelope **directly to your selected college/university** and addressed to ATTN: **Maguire Scholars Program** and marked with your name on the front of the envelope.

Name of Recommender: _____
Last *First* *MI*

Title: _____ School/Organization: _____

Address: _____
Street Address or PO Box

_____ *City* *State* *ZIP*

Email: _____

Telephone: (H) _____ (C) _____



Colleges with Maguire Scholars Programs:

You may apply to as many colleges as you would like but must apply online separately at each college.

Boston College
Cabrini University
Chestnut Hill College
College of the Holy Cross
Community College of Philadelphia
Drexel University
Fairfield University
Fordham University
Gallaudet University
Georgetown University
Gwynedd Mercy University
Immaculata University
Jefferson (Philadelphia University/Thomas Jefferson University)
LaSalle University
Loyola University - Maryland
Montgomery County Community College
Neumann University
Penn State - Main Campus
Rosemont College
Saint Joseph's University
Temple University
University of Pennsylvania
University of Scranton
Villanova University
Widener University
Williamson College of the Trades