



State of Illinois “Invest in Kids Act” Tax Credit Scholarship Program

Support Catholic Education and Receive a 75% Tax Credit

The State of Illinois has created a way to fund scholarships for children who choose to attend Catholic schools through the “Invest in Kids Act.” Tax Credit Scholarships offered through this program have the potential to **cover up to 100 percent of tuition for a year at Diocese of Joliet Catholic Schools.**

Under the “Invest in Kids Act” Tax Credit Scholarship Program, individuals and corporations make donations to Scholarship Granting Organizations (SGOs) that distribute scholarships to eligible students.

In 2018, more than 2,800 students applied for a scholarship to attend a Diocese of Joliet Catholic School. Thanks to our donors, more than 300 students were awarded a scholarship for 2018-19. **Funding is needed immediately to meet the new demand at your school and across the Diocese for the 2019-20 school year.** Scholarships will be awarded beginning January 28, pending funding.

Claim a 2019 tax credit today and make a gift. Visit <https://mytax.illinois.gov/#1> and sign up today to activate your account!

Visit the Diocese of Joliet Catholic Schools Office website at www.weteachmore.org for more information on the program, step-by-step instructions on how to donate and to see the impact your gift will make. You may also contact Mercy Robb, Director of Catholic School Marketing and Enrollment Management, at (815) 221-6124 or mrobb@dioceseofjoliet.org for details.

