



Manheim Christian Day School

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We are pleased to offer financial aid in the form of scholarships to make tuition more affordable. Scholarships are awarded from the money the school receives through Pennsylvania's EITC/OSTC program. This program allows PA taxpayers to make donations to private schools for scholarship/financial aid purposes in exchange for PA income tax credits. The majority of the money received through this program MUST be used toward tuition scholarships for families who apply and meet the state's and school's requirements. Thank you to those who participate in the EITC/OSTC program...without you, this scholarship fund would not exist.

Scholarships are awarded based primarily on the tuition to income ratio while also considering extenuating circumstances. Every effort is made to allocate our limited scholarship funds on a fair and equitable basis. **MCDS requires that a patron family pay at least 50% of their total tuition. Families who qualify for OSTC or other special funding may be granted an exception to the MCDS requirement.**

Pennsylvania's Household Income Allowance/(limit) is based on your 2021 income tax return. Listed below are adjusted gross income (AGI) allowances from 2020. The 2021 numbers are not available as of publication but should increase to reflect inflation.

- Single Parent with 1 child \$ 113,693
 - Married Couple with 1 child \$ 113,693
 - Married Couple with 2 children \$ 130,710
 - Married Couple with 3 children \$ 147,727
- *Add \$17,017 for each additional child or dependent.

Household income does not include: disability payments; worker's compensation; retirement pensions; public assistance or unemployment compensation; reimbursement for work-related expenses; employer or union payments for hospitalization, death benefits, supplemental unemployment; strike benefits; social security and retirement; and combat pay for military personnel.

The deadline to submit scholarship applications is Friday, April 29, 2022. Please be sure to include:

- **A completed application (see following pages of this document).**
- **A copy of your 2021 federal income tax return (Form 1040).**
- **A \$25 processing fee per family (make check payable to "MCDS").**

Your scholarship application WILL NOT be considered without all of the above items.

If applying after April 29, patrons should inquire if funds are available before submitting an application.

**TUITION ASSISTANCE APPLICATION
2022-2023**

FAMILY INFORMATION

FATHER

MOTHER

Name _____

Name _____

Address _____

Address _____

Occupation _____

Occupation _____

Employer _____

Employer _____

Phone _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Email _____

We live in the _____ school district, and if we attended public school, our child(ren) would go to _____ school(s).

Please supply the following information for ALL dependents who reside in your household.

Name	Age	Name of School	Enrolling Grade (2022-2023)
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

STATEMENT OF INCOME

Your 2021 Adjusted Gross Income \$ _____

Please check any of the following that affected your financial situation in 2021:

- Loss of job
- Recent separation/divorce
- Change in family living status
- Change in work status
- Income reduction
- Illness or injury
- Medical expenses
- Bankruptcy

Do you receive child support? ___ Yes ___ No How much do you receive monthly? _____

Do you receive a Ministerial Housing Allowance? ___ Yes ___ No How much do you receive monthly? _____

Do you anticipate a change in your household income in 2022? ___ Yes ___ No If yes, please explain:

Total anticipated household income in 2022: \$_____

Amount of financial aid requested: \$_____

Please explain any additional relevant financial information from 2021 and 2022 that the committee should be aware of:

PLEASE NOTE:

Applications will be considered only if tuition accounts are current.

If parents are divorced or separated, or do not reside in the same household, the custodial parent must provide the information requested.

Recipients of financial assistance agree to inform Manheim Christian Day School immediately, and in writing, of any change in financial status that affects the qualifications for assistance.

When assistance is awarded for more than one family member, withdrawal of one or more students reduces the amount allocated to that family proportionately.

The undersigned parent(s)/guardian(s) certify that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of their knowledge, and the accompanying copies of federal income tax return(s) are true and correct copies of the originals. The school is authorized to deliver this application and the accompanying information to the scholarship organization.

Father's Signature

Date

Mother's Signature

Date