

## **Scholarship Information**

Thank you for your interest in applying for a DCS scholarship. It is the desire of the scholarship committee that Christian families who would like to send their children to DCS will be able to do so. We hope these scholarships opportunities will make it easier for more families to choose DCS.

Applicants need to complete the Application Form below. Also, as part of the application process, we would like you to provide a reference and ask them to fill out the attached form. This person should know about your family and your particular circumstances that would qualify you for a particular scholarship.

Both your application and the reference form should be mailed or dropped off to North Campus (middle school) in a sealed envelope. A selection committee made up of 4-6 individuals will review all applications and award the scholarships.

### **Important dates:**

**Scholarship Applications due: April 13**

**Scholarships will be awarded: May 31**

### Scholarship Application Check List:

- 1) Complete the Scholarship Application.
- 2) Ask a reference to complete the Scholarship Reference Form.

If you have any questions, please contact Eric Van Hofwegen at 616-340-6955 or [ericvanhof@gmail.com](mailto:ericvanhof@gmail.com).

**Application to Receive a DCS Scholarship(s)**

Circle One- name of scholarship(s) you are applying for: **Lucas Boerema** or **General**

Parents Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Children's names/grades at DCS during the 2020-21 school year:

Other children names/ages:

Please use a separate sheet of paper to complete responses to the following questions and submit them with this application by April 13, 2020. Provide enough details to allow the selection committee to become acquainted with you through your thoughtful responses. Scholarships are granted based on criteria designated by each donor.

1. How does your Christian faith influence your views on providing a Christian education for your family? Why do you desire a DCS education for your family?
2. What church do you attend and how are you involved?
3. Describe how you are currently involved in school, work and community?
4. Tell us about your family. Also include your hobbies, interests, etc.
5. Why you are applying for this particular scholarship?

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to remain anonymous to the donor of the scholarship.

I acknowledge that the information contained in this form is correct to the best of my knowledge.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed—Father Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed—Mother Date

## Scholarship Reference Form

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarship Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Reference Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Reference Phone Number or e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

The above named applicant is applying for a scholarship(s) at Dutton Christian School for his/her family. Along with the application form, the scholarship selection committee will be reading a reference written by you. Your recommendation will be very important to the committee as they make the final recipient decisions. Send the completed reference to the following address by April 13, 2020.

Eric Van Hofwegen  
Dutton Christian School  
6729 Hanna Lake Ave SE  
Caledonia, MI 49316

For how long and in what capacity have you known the applicant?

Tell us about the applicant's Christian faith and commitment along with their views on Christian education.

Tell us about the applicant's other activities and church involvement.

Tell us about the applicant and why you feel they should receive this scholarship. This should include general characteristics about the family as well as unique or specific criteria that make them a candidate for this scholarship.

Is there anything else we should know as we determine the family's eligibility for this scholarship?

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_