



## ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

There are four levels of merit-based scholarships awarded by St. Thomas High School. The amount of the award depends on a student's Independent School Entrance Exam (ISEE) score for incoming Freshmen and cumulative GPA for Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors.

**President's Award:** *Introduced in 2015 in honor of Fr. Ronald G. Schwenzer and Fr. Kevin J. Storey, CSB, the first and second Presidents of St. Thomas High School.*

- 50% of tuition.
- Awarded to Freshmen only, not renewable for subsequent years.
- Awarded to the top seven scores on the ISEE (a total of seven scholarships).
- Winners of this award cannot receive additional financial aid.
- In subsequent years (Sophomore, Junior and Senior), student can be awarded other academic scholarships (listed below) if the student qualifies.

**Principal's Award:** *This award was renamed in 2015 to honor the 27 Principals that have served almost 10,000 students in St. Thomas High School's 116 year history.*

- \$7,000 of tuition awarded 50% each semester.
- All grade levels qualify for this award.
- Awarded to those scoring in the top 1% on the ISEE or that maintain a core curriculum cumulative grade point average of 5.0.
- Calculations are based on a student's core curriculum cumulative grade point average (GPA) and are announced during contract renewal each year for the following school year.

**Aquinas Award:** *The Aquinas Scholarship is named for the School's patron, St. Thomas Aquinas. He is the patron saint of scholars.*

- \$5,000 of tuition awarded 50% each semester.
- All grade levels qualify for this award.
- Awarded to those scoring in the top 2% on the ISEE or that maintain a core cumulative grade point average of 4.75 - 4.99.
- Calculations are based on a student's core curriculum cumulative grade point average (GPA) and are announced during contract renewal each year for the following school year.

**Goodness, Discipline & Knowledge Award:** *This award exemplifies the Man of St. Thomas and honors St. Thomas High School's revered motto.*

- \$3,000 of tuition awarded 50% each semester.
- All grade levels qualify for this award.
- Awarded to those scoring in the top 3% on the ISEE or that maintain a core curriculum cumulative grade point average of 4.5 – 4.74.
- Calculations are based on a student's core curriculum cumulative grade point average (GPA) and are announced during contract renewal each year for the following school year.