



2025 Application Form

President's Scholarship

The President's Scholarship celebrates students who wish to embody all aspects of the St. Joseph's College experience through academic formation at SJC, living in our community, and serving others.

The SJC President's Scholarship is open to current and prospective UofA students. The student selected for this scholarship will receive up to a \$7,500 reduction on their SJC residence fees as follows:

- \$2,500 will be deducted from Fall 2025 term SJC residence fees
- \$2,500 will be deducted from Winter 2026 term SJC residence fees
 - Note: at least one SJC course must be taken during one of the Fall/Winter 2025–26 terms.

If the recipient chooses to stay an additional year in an SJC residence (this second year is optional):

- \$1,250 will be deducted from the Fall 2026 SJC residence fees
- \$1,250 will be deducted from the Winter 2027 SJC residence fees
 - Note: at least one SJC course must be taken during one of the Fall/Winter 2026–27 terms.

Eligibility:

- Academic Achievement:
 - For students currently in university: Must be a student in good standing (at UofA or other postsecondary academic institution) with an average GPA of 3.0 for all courses taken during the 2024 calendar year, and maintain good academic standing throughout the scholarship period.
 - For students applying from high school: Must be in good standing and have an 80% average grade for all courses taken during the 2024 calendar year (or, if already graduated, during the last year of high school).
- Must be accepted into, and commit to reside in, one of the SJC residences for the 2025–26 academic year (September through April) at minimum, and remain in good standing. The final \$2,500 will be deducted from residence fees for students choosing to stay through the Fall/Winter 2026–27 year. Prior SJC Residents applying for the scholarship must have maintained good standing during their stay with us.
- Must successfully complete at least one SJC course during one of the Fall/Winter 2025–26 terms, and at least one additional course during one of the Fall/Winter 2026–27 terms if the recipient is staying a second year in residence.
- Must commit to providing a minimum of 10 service hours per term while receiving scholarship funds. These hours will ideally be arranged within the SJC community; alternatively, the hours can be completed through volunteer service in the wider community. The SJC Campus Ministry Office will assist in identifying placements in which to earn these hours.

Personal Information (Please Print)

Name: _____

Current Address: _____

City/Prov: _____ Postal Code: _____ Phone: _____

UofA Student ID number: _____ Email: _____

Required Attachments

Please submit the following as separate attachments:

- I have included unofficial transcripts from ALL institutions attended during the 2024 calendar year (January–December). This may include transcripts from high school and/or UofA and/or other postsecondary institutions.
- I have included a one-page letter of application describing my future (or current) commitment to the SJC community and how I will contribute fully to the academic, residential, and service/spiritual life of the College.
- I have included two letters of reference from individuals who can speak to my academic achievement and investment in my community.

Application Declaration: Under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act we are required to advise you that the information you have provided in this application is necessary to determine your eligibility for this scholarship. If you have any questions about the collection of this information, please contact the Vice-President (Academic) & Dean, St. Joseph's College, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, T6G 2J5, phone (780) 492-7682.

I hereby certify that the information contained in this application is complete, true, and correct in all respects. I authorize St. Joseph's College to access my academic records and confirm other information contained in this application as necessary.

I understand that

- I may have to repay my scholarship if there are changes to my academic status or if any information I have provided is false.
- I will provide a photo for promotional purposes, a thank you note for the scholarship donor(s), and attend the annual Commencement Awards Breakfast in April, if selected for this scholarship.
- A student selected for this scholarship who does not complete all components of the scholarship will owe back to the College any reduced fees gained during the award period.

I consent to the public release of my name and study plans to the donor(s) and for SJC advertising media if I am a recipient of the scholarship.

I confirm that I have read and understood the eligibility criteria for this scholarship, and agree to the terms therein.

Signature

Date

Please submit your application and all additional attachments to the Office of the Vice-President (Academic) & Dean by email at sjcdean@ualberta.ca

Application Deadline is January 31, 2025