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Thank you for applying to be a Quigley Scholar! Our Quigley Scholars are focused on their faith and have a sense that God is asking them to consider a vocation to the Catholic priesthood. Quigley Scholars want to make a difference in the world though helping others. You are joining a community of other students like yourself who are all trying to respond to the way God is working in your life right now.

An application includes the following pieces:

- The **Quigley Scholars Application Form**. The application asks for general information about you, your family and your faith.
- The **Parent Agreement Form** should be filled out by a parent or guardian indicating their responsibility and support of their son in the program.
- The **School Recommendation Form** may be filled out by anyone who works in your school—the principal, a teacher or someone in the office who knows you well. You can receive a recommendation either from someone at your grade school or high school.
- The **Family Recommendation Form** may be filled out by anyone in your family. Your family sees good things in you and they will have a chance to show their support of you.
- The **Priest/Pastor Recommendation Form** will need to be filled out by the pastor or one of the other priests in your parish. It would be a good idea to have this priest also be your Priest Sponsor.
- The **Priest Sponsor Form** will need to be filled out by a priest who already knows you, or who is willing to get to know you. Priest Sponsors make a promise to meet with you and to offer encouragement as you participate in the Quigley Scholars Program. This will be a good opportunity to get to know a priest and learn from him!
- The **Transportation Form** will help us to get to know how you'll be able to get to Saint Joseph to participate in the program. If you have any concerns about transportation, please let us know.

When you submit your application, please also include a copy of a current **Baptismal Certificate** (which should also show the dates of your First Holy Communion and your Confirmation if applicable). Parents will need to help you with this. You can receive a current Baptismal Certificate by calling the parish office of the church in which you were baptized.

May God bless you as you complete your application!



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 at SAINT JOSEPH COLLEGE SEMINARY
 1120 W. Loyola Avenue
 Chicago, IL 60626-6198

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 www.quigleyscholars.org

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1. Personal Information

Applicant's Name:

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Address:

City/State/Zip Code:

Home Phone No.:

Cell Phone No.:

eMail:

Social Security No.:

Date of Birth:

Place of Birth:

City

State

Country

Is the applicant a U.S. Citizen?

Yes No

If no, indicate country of citizenship: _____

Father's Name:

Cell Phone No.:

Work Phone No.:

Father's Religion:

eMail:

Mother's Name:

Cell Phone No.:

Work Phone No.:

Mother's Religion:

eMail:

Applicant lives with: (*Check all that apply*) } Father Step-Father Guardian
 Mother Step-Mother

Parents are: Married Divorced Separated Single Widowed

Total children in the family: _____ Number Older: _____ Number Younger: _____

3. Education

Grade Level When
Entering the
Program:

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Grade School:

Elementary School:

School Address:

City/State/Zip Code:

Principal's Name:

School Phone No.:

eMail:

Has the applicant ever been suspended from elementary school? Yes No

If yes, please explain:

High School:

Current High School
(or High School Will
Be Attending):

School Address:

City/State/Zip Code:

Principal's Name:

School Phone No.:

eMail:

Has the applicant ever been suspended from high school? Yes No

If yes, please explain:

For High School Transfer Students:

Previous High School:

School Address:

City/State/Zip Code:

Has the applicant ever been suspended from this high school? Yes No

If yes, please explain:

4. Special Needs

Does the Applicant have any medical issues or physical disabilities which would prevent him from engaging in sports or other physical activities? Yes No

If yes, please explain:

Does the Applicant have any professionally diagnosed learning disabilities which would prevent him from taking part in verbal, written and/or visual aspects of a spiritual formation program conducted in a group environment? Yes No

If yes, please explain:

5. My Spiritual Life

This section must be completed by the applicant. Please check all that apply:

- I personally know a priest or a religious sister (or brother)
- I often pray alone.
- I pray with my family members.
- I enjoy going to Mass on Sundays.
- I think about being a priest at times.
- I don't know what I would like to do when I get older.
- I enjoy sharing faith with my family.
- Mass and prayer can be boring at times.
- My family encourages me to think about priesthood.
- I would enjoy praying with a group of people my age.
- I like to help people whenever I can.
- I admire the work that a priest does.
- I am willing to think about the priesthood.
- I am already an altar server.
- I like to talk about my faith.
- My family talks to me about faith and God on a regular basis.

6. Scholarship Questionnaire for Catholic High School Students Only

If you attend a Catholic high school, please check the boxes that best describe your situation:

High School Attending: _____

- As well as applying for the Quigley Scholars Program, I would also like to apply for the scholarship portion as my family has financial need. I currently am enrolled in a Catholic high school and my family supports me through tuition.
- I am applying to the Quigley Scholars Program only and not for the scholarship as my family does not require financial assistance.

Please also check one:

- If I am accepted into the Quigley Scholars Program, and do not receive a financial scholarship, I will still participate as a Quigley Scholar throughout the year.
- If I do not receive a financial scholarship, I will not participate in the Quigley Scholars Program this year.

7. Program Location

Please indicate which location you prefer to attend:

- Saint Joseph College Seminary on the campus of Loyola University Chicago
- Mundelein Seminary on the campus of University of St. Mary of the Lake in Mundelein, IL

8. Signatures

For the Student/Applicant:

To the best of my knowledge, all the answers we have given are truthful. It is my wish to apply for the Quigley Scholars Program, to participate in the spiritual formation and to consider the priesthood.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

For the Parents or Guardian:

I hereby testify to the truth of the answers given. I agree to the terms and conditions of the Quigley Scholars Program and the Scholarship (if applicable and granted) and I will, to the best of my ability, help my son honor his responsibilities.

Mother: _____	Date: _____
Father: _____	Date: _____
Guardian: _____	Date: _____

Please mail completed and signed applications and others forms to:

Rev. Mark Augustine
Quigley Scholars Program
1120 West Loyola Avenue
Chicago, Illinois 60626-6198

Please enclose copies of the following documents with this application:

- A Current Baptismal Certificate, which should include
 - Date of First Holy Communion
 - Date of Confirmation (if applicable)
 - And if applicable, proof of reception into the Roman Catholic Church

A Note about Baptism Certificates:

If you don't have a copy of your baptism certificate, don't worry. You may request a copy by calling the parish office of the church in which you were baptized. They can send you a current copy, which also should have the dates of First Holy Communion and Confirmation. (If it does not, you may have to contact the parish(es) where those sacraments were received for a separate certificate.)

A Complete Quigley Scholars Application includes:

- The Student Application
- The Parent Agreement Form
- The Priest Sponsor Form
- The Pastor/Priest Recommendation Form
- The School Recommendation Form
- The Family Recommendation Form
- The Transportation Form
- Sacramental Certificates (See above)