



BAKERSFIELD CATHOLIC EDUCATION FOUNDATION

GARCES MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION – DUE APRIL 8, 2026

Student First and Last Name _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Primary Phone _____ Email: _____

Student Awards and Honors _____

Student Involvement: (Clubs, Sports, Activities) _____

Student Community Service or Activities: _____

Student Employment: _____

If Catholic, please list your parish: _____

Please see next page for description and requirements of each scholarship. If you are applying for more than one scholarship, please provide an application for each scholarship selected. The applications can be found at www.bakcathedfoundation.com

- Dominic and Edith Bianco*
- Jane and Vincent Di Gorgio*
- Carl and Barbara Fanucchi*
- Dennis Goodell*

- Lou Koelzer*
- Karen and David Reis*

Student Release Authorization:

I certify that I have considered each question carefully and that my statements are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Student Applicant

Date

Parent Release Authorization:

I authorize Garces Memorial High School to release copies of my student's school records, if needed, to the scholarship selection committee for scholarship consideration.

Signature of Parent

Date

Please submit to the Development Office or email to: ldurrett@garces.org. College Scholarship Applications are due by Wednesday, April 8, 2026.

TIMELINE:

Scholarship applications must be submitted to the Development Office of Garces Memorial High School by **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 2026.**

ESSAYS: PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

You may apply for more than one scholarship, just be sure to write a separate response for each scholarship prompt as requested in the scholarship description. Submissions should be typed in paragraph format. Each submission should have the student's name, the scholarship name, and the date.

COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

THE DOMINIC AND EDITH BIANCO SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to an outstanding senior who has plans to further his/her education in Math or Science. The award is a minimum of \$1,000. ESSAY REQUIRED. SEPARATE APPLICATION REQUIRED.

THE VINCENT AND JANE DI GORGIO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a graduating senior who is attending a four-year college, has a 3.0 GPA or better, and is studying communications, agriculture, liberal arts or planning on becoming an attorney. Eligible students must submit an essay describing future goals. The award is a minimum of \$3,000. ESSAY REQUIRED. SEPARATE APPLICATION REQUIRED.

THE BARBARA AND CARL FANUCCHI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to two graduating seniors who demonstrate financial need. One who attended St. Francis Catholic School, Bakersfield and one who attended Our Lady of Guadalupe School, Bakersfield. The award is \$1,000 per senior. ESSAY REQUIRED. SEPARATE APPLICATION REQUIRED.

THE DENNIS GOODELL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a graduating senior who has demonstrated financial need. Senior must have a 3.0 GPA or better and attending Cal Poly, SLO in the fall. Student must have participated in one or more sports while attending Garces. The award is \$500. ESSAY REQUIRED. SEPARATE APPLICATION REQUIRED.

THE LOU ALICE KOELZER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a Garces senior majoring in a Business Administration field of study in college. The award is a minimum of \$500. ESSAY REQUIRED. SEPARATE APPLICATION REQUIRED.

THE KAREN AND DAVID REIS SCHOLARSHIP

Award of a minimum of \$1,000.00 to a male and female graduating senior. Male must have been an Eagle Scout or majoring in Engineering or have an NROTC goal. Female must have been a high school athlete and is pursuing her sport in college or a current Girl Scout or spent several years in Girl Scouts. ESSAY REQUIRED. SEPARATE APPLICATION REQUIRED.