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**RELIGIOUS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
2025-2026 TERM**

An applicant for a religious scholarship must be a member of the Catholic Union of Texas, The KJT.

1. Full name of applicant _____ Social Security Number _____
2. Payment mailing address _____
_____ E-Mail Address _____
3. Mobile Number _____ Seminary Telephone _____
4. Are you a member of KJT? _____ Where? _____
5. How long have you been a member? _____ Certificate Number _____
6. Enclose a photograph of yourself for the **KJT NEWS** (with your first application only).

A. SEMINARIAN

1. What Seminary did you attend last year? _____
2. What Seminary will you attend this year? _____
3. For which diocese in Texas are you studying? _____

Indicate your current year of study below:

Propaedeutic Year _____	College IV _____	Theology II _____
College I _____	Pre-Theology I _____	Pastoral Year _____
College II _____	Pre-Theology II _____	Theology III _____
College III _____	Theology I _____	Theology IV _____

B. PERMANENT DEACON CANDIDATE

1. For which diocese in Texas are you preparing to be a permanent deacon? _____
2. Indicate your current year of formation below:

Formation Year I _____	Formation Year III _____	Formation Year V _____
Formation Year II _____	Formation Year IV _____	Formation Year VI _____

Any comment the applicant wishes to make: _____

The Board of Directors of the Catholic Union of Texas, The KJT will make the final approval of this application.

Date _____ Signature of applicant _____

Recommendation of Vocation/Formation Director

Signature of Vocation/Formation Director

THE RELIGIOUS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM OF THE CATHOLIC UNION OF TEXAS

The Catholic Union of Texas, The KJT, is a religious fraternal organization founded in 1889 near La Grange, Texas. One of the principles in the KJT Charter is the propagation and support of the Roman Catholic religion. One of the ways in which this is accomplished is through financial scholarships awarded to members studying for the priesthood or permanent diaconate.

The present amount of the scholarship for seminarians is \$6,200 payable in the following amounts as the recipient progresses through his studies:

Propaedeutic Year	\$300.00	College IV	\$400.00	Theology II	\$800.00
College I	\$300.00	Pre-Theology I	\$400.00	Pastoral Year	\$800.00
College II	\$300.00	Pre-Theology II	\$500.00	Theology III	\$800.00
College III	\$300.00	Theology I	\$500.00	Theology IV	\$800.00

In addition to the annual payments above, the KJT offers a monetary gift upon ordination.

The present amount of the scholarship for permanent deacon candidates is \$4,200 payable in the following amounts as the recipient progresses through his studies:

Formation Years I-II	\$500 per year
Formation Years III-VI	\$800 per year
Ordination	Monetary gift

PLEASE NOTE:

The applicant for a religious scholarship must be a member of the Catholic Union of Texas, The KJT, and must be studying for a diocese located in the state of Texas.

To qualify for the entire annual scholarship the application must be received by July 31, 2025. The amount awarded is payable in two increments: one half the first semester and one half the second semester. If the application is not received by July 31, 2025, only the second semester payment will be made.

**Officers and Board of Directors
Catholic Union of Texas, The KJT**

In order for this program to continue, it is imperative that recipients of these religious scholarships maintain their membership in the KJT after ordination and continue to give their support to the endeavors and objectives of the KJT.