IONA UNIVERSITY ARCHDIOCESAN SCHOLARSHIP FOR GRADUATE STUDIES

Eligibility

Individuals who are currently employed full-time as teachers, administrators, guidance counselors and teaching assistants working in Pre-K programs in Catholic elementary or secondary schools in the New York Archdiocese or neighboring dioceses. Recipients must be admitted to and enrolled in a graduate degree program at Iona. Visiting students and those enrolled in Certificate programs are not eligible. A new form must be filed for each term of enrollment.

Scholarship Value

The scholarship provides a waiver of one-third (33%) of graduate tuition (not fees) for a maximum of six credits per semester or trimester. Although there are two summer sessions, the summer is considered one study period, and thus one-third of tuition for a maximum of six credits will be waived for the summer. Scholarships are not available for intersession courses, and cannot be combined with any other scholarship, assistantship, or waiver from Iona.

Application Process

To have the Archdiocesan Scholarship credited to your account at Iona, complete the following steps:

- Be admitted to a degree program within the School of Arts & Science.
- Be in good academic standing within the degree program and satisfy all registration requirements.
- Be in good financial standing with the University.
- Complete a FAFSA (www.fafsa.ed.gov) for the current financial aid year. The deadline for continuing students is April 15 of every year and the deadline for newly admitted students is 30 days after the date of admission to the University.
- Have passed any probationary period as required by your teaching position.
- Complete the attached IONA UNIVERSITY ARCHDIOCESAN SCHOLARSHIP FOR GRADUATE STUDIES application form for each semester or trimester of enrollment. Secure the signature of the school principal and have an official school seal affixed to the above form. **THIS FORM MUST BE RECEIVED AT IONA UNIVERSITY BY SEPTEMBER 2ND FOR THE FALL SEMESTER AND JANUARY 27TH FOR THE SPRING TERM. THE DEADLINE FOR THE SUMMER IS THE 2ND DAY OF CLASSES. THE ARCHDIOCESAN AWARD WILL NOT BE AWARDED IF THIS FORM IS NOT RECEIVED BY STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES BY THE ESTABLISHED DEADLINES.**
- Return the form to the Office of Student Financial Services. If you have additional questions, please contact our office at 914-633-2497 or sfs@iona.edu.
APPLICATION FOR TUITION WAIVER
(a new form must be filed for each term of enrollment by the established deadlines)

Student Name:

Home Address:

Iona ID Number: Term:

Courses for the semester or trimester:

I am currently employed full-time as a in the Catholic school listed below. I understand that this tuition scholarship will provide a waiver of one-third (33%) of graduate tuition (up to six credits per term) in the degree program for the semester/trimester term. I understand that this waiver does not apply to other fees and cannot be combined with other financial assistance or scholarships from Iona.

Student’s Signature _______________________________ Date

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PRINCIPAL’S ENDORSEMENT

By my signature, I confirm that the above information is correct and if applicable, has passed any probationary period

Name of Principal: _______________________________

Name of School: _______________________________

Address: _______________________________

Telephone: _______________________________

Place official school seal in the space above

Principal’s Signature (must be original) _______________________________ Date