

# **The J.L. Merrick Scholarship**

## **APPLICATION INFORMATION**

Seton-La Salle Catholic High School is a four-year, Catholic, co-educational high school located in Mount Lebanon, Pennsylvania. It is a challenging, caring environment where students are motivated to strive for the highest standards both academically and morally while preparing themselves for the future.

In keeping with the tradition of quality education, the J.L. Merrick Scholarship was created to attract students of high academic achievement by offering half-tuition scholarships to two incoming freshmen students. The scholarships are renewable for the subsequent three years provided the students maintain a 3.5 minimum QPA and continually display the qualities expected of Seton-La Salle students as defined by the rules and regulations of the school.

This prestigious merit scholarship is awarded based upon demonstrated academic achievement, substantiated by standardized test scores and the Seton-La Salle Placement Test scores. Up to five finalists will be selected to participate in an interview by the selection committee.

Interested students should complete the enclosed application form and the required essay. They should then attach copies of their most recent standardized test scores from their present school and the Seton-La Salle Catholic High School Placement Test scores. Completed applications must be received in the Admissions Office of Seton-La Salle Catholic High School by Friday, March 30, 2012.

Questions concerning the application may be directed to Mrs. Nancy Rizza, Admissions Coordinator at Seton-La Salle Catholic High School by calling 412-561-3583 ext. 127 or emailing [rizzan@slshs.org](mailto:rizzan@slshs.org).

### **Application checklist:**

- Completed J.L. Merrick Scholarship Application Form.
- Completed essay in 500 words or less.
- A copy of the student's most recent standardized test results.
- A copy of the student's Seton-La Salle High School Placement Test results.

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## **APPLICATION FORM**

This application must be filled out completely and accurately. Please print or type.  
ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY MARCH 30, 2012.

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Father's/Guardian's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's/Guardian's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Elementary School \_\_\_\_\_

School Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

School Phone \_\_\_\_\_

All applications must be accompanied by a copy of the student's most recent standardized test scores from elementary school and a copy of the Seton-La Salle High School Placement Exam scores.

Completed applications should be returned to:

Admissions Office  
Attn: Mrs. Nancy Rizza  
Seton-La Salle Catholic High School  
1000 McNeilly Road  
Pittsburgh, PA 15226

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## **APPLICATION ESSAY**

In 500 words or less, evaluate a personal significant experience or achievement that has special meaning to you. Typed, hand printed, or computer generated essays attached to this page are acceptable.