



Application for 2026 - 2027

The Sisters of St. Joseph of St. Augustine are accepting applications for the Rosina Patterson Scholarship Fund for students attending St. Joseph Academy (155 State Road 207, St. Augustine, FL). This scholarship is based on financial need and character.

About the Scholarship

Rosina Patterson (October 29, 1892 – February 28, 1992) was a graduate of St. Joseph Academy when it was owned and operated by the Sisters of St. Joseph. She valued her education and remained grateful to the Sisters who shaped her early life. This scholarship honors her lifelong appreciation for Catholic education and her connection to the Academy.

Eligibility & Requirements

Applicants must submit:

- Completed application (2 pages)
- Two (2) letters of recommendation (non-relatives)
 - Examples: pastor, minister, rabbi, youth director, employer, scout leader, etc.)
- Parent/guardian financial documentation and explanation of need
- Student autobiography (about 100 words)
- Recent student photo
- For previous recipients, list amounts received for each grade

Financial Documentation

- Current year Form 1040, signed and dated
- Redact Social Security numbers and bank information
- Include Adjusted Gross Income (AGI)
- Report additional income (if applicable) with documentation
 - Examples: alimony, child support, cash income, inheritance, VA benefits, Social Security/disability, retirement, military pay, unemployment

Application Materials

- Parent/guardian financial explanation of need
- Student autobiography (neatly written or typed)
 - Examples: activities, service, honors, and importance of scholarship
- Recent student photo (class preferred but individual acceptable)

Applications must be received by April 17, 2026, at 3:00 p.m



Deadlines

- Applications must be received by **April 17, 2026, at 3:00 p.m**
- Late or emailed applications will not be accepted
- Only complete applications will be reviewed

Submission

Mail:

Rosina Patterson Memorial Scholarship Committee

c/o Mrs. Phyllis Croucher

P.O. Box 3506

St. Augustine, FL 32085

Hand Deliver:

241 St. George Street

St. Augustine, FL 32084

Additional Information

- Award decisions are based on financial need and application review
- Recipients are notified by mail
- Scholarship funds are paid directly to St. Joseph Academy
- Recipients must accept within two weeks, or the award may be reassigned
- Applications must be submitted each year

PARENT / GUARDIAN INFORMATION & AUTHORIZATION

Mother / Guardian

Name: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
_____ Email Address: _____ Occupation: _____
_____ Company: _____ Adjusted Gross
Income: _____

Father / Guardian

Name: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
_____ Email Address: _____ Occupation: _____
_____ Company: _____ Adjusted Gross
Income: _____

Adjusted Joint Gross Income: _____

Other Income: _____

AUTHORIZATION

I authorize the Sisters of St. Joseph to photograph and/or videotape my child for educational or promotional purposes. I understand that these materials will not be used for profit and that no compensation will be provided.

I understand that scholarship recipients may be invited to a social function and that transportation may be required or provided.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

RECOMMENDATION FORM

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Recommendation for Applicant – Name: _____

Recommendation from:

Name: _____ Date: _____

Best Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Relation to Applicant (check one): Teacher Pastor/Minister/Rabbi Youth Director Scout Leader Employer Other: _____

How long have you known this applicant?

Please describe why you consider this student to be a worthy recipient of this scholarship:

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