


The White Family Foundation

Grant Request: CCCHS #758

March 31, 2022

Date of grant proposal submission	Wednesday, April 20, 2022
Are you an IRS compliant 501(c)3 public charity/nonprofit?	Yes
Legal name of organization	Clearwater Central Catholic High School, Inc.
Address	 2750 Haines Bayshore Rd Clearwater, Florida 33760 United States
Website	http://www.ccchs.org
Telephone	7275311449
Organization Director/Title	John A. Venturella, Ed.D./President
Contact Person/Title	Beth Lani/Director of Advancement
Contact Person's Telephone	727-531-1449
Contact Person's Email	blani@ccchs.org
Grant Request Amount	\$20,000.00
Please provide us with a brief description of your organization (no more than 500 words).	As a Private College-Preparatory high school in the Diocese of St. Petersburg, Clearwater Central Catholic High School is committed to educating our students with the ideals of "minds for truth, hearts for love, and hands for service." Our distinctive and focused academic program inspires students to fully develop their moral, physical, spiritual, intellectual, and creative potential, as well as learn to respect diversity in the world around them.
Grant Purpose (one paragraph)	The purpose of this grant is for tuition assistance funding for the growing number of families who are finding it increasing difficult to afford a Catholic education for their children.

**Annual
Organization
Budget**

\$8,243,400.00



Clearwater Central Catholic High School

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GRANT REQUEST PROPOSAL

Submitted to:
The White Family Foundation
May 11, 2022

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CONTACT

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CASE STATEMENT

A premier college-preparatory high school in the Diocese of St. Petersburg, Clearwater Central Catholic High School (CCC) has continued a more than 59-year history of dedication to traditional Catholic values, a rigorous academic curriculum, and extensive co-curricular programs. CCC welcomes students of all backgrounds and faiths to experience the comprehensive education of mind, heart and spirit in a safe and nurturing environment. At Clearwater Central Catholic, students prepare for higher education and the global marketplace beyond and consistently rank above Florida and national averages on the SAT and ACT. Annually, 100% matriculate to college, and more than half of graduating seniors are offered academic and athletic scholarships.

OPPORTUNITY/NEED

Built in 1962 to educate approximately 150 students, CCC now endeavors to provide approximately 550 students from throughout the Tampa Bay area with a Christ-centered, values-based academic environment in which they are encouraged to pursue levels of higher education and other lifelong learning experiences. Each year, we strive to keep a balance between affordability and accessibility for our families and the strategic needs of the school.

Over the years, an increasing number of families have found it financially difficult to provide a CCC education for their child(ren). Since 2010, the amount of tuition assistance awarded to students has more than doubled. With recent substantial increase in costs for housing, food and fuel, the requests for financial assistance continue to increase.

To meet the need for assistance, we have increased our tuition assistance budget for the 2022-2023 academic year by 4.76% from \$525,000 to \$550,000. Our request for a \$20,000 grant from the White Family Foundation will help us meet the growing tuition assistance needs of our CCC families.

Enrollment for the 2022-2023 school year reached capacity within two weeks of enrollment being opened and we currently have an extensive waiting list. Strong enrollment alone, however, is not enough to cover the tuition assistance deficit as an increasing number of our students need your help. A White Family Foundation grant will help our most dramatically affected students whose families may no longer be able to afford a CCC education for their children.

Clearwater Central Catholic High School has an established process for annually evaluating program performance in light of predetermined goals. The school will regularly communicate with the Trustees concerning activities at CCC and encourage your presence and involvement at all times. Program oversight is the responsibility of the President.

Respectfully submitted,

John A. Venturella, Ed.D.
President



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SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

John A. Venturella, Ed.D., President
James W. Deputy, Principal
Enrique Garza, Assistant Principal

ADVISORY COUNCIL

Executive Committee

Peter Cunzolo, Chair
Richard Falls
JoAnne Hopkins
Michael McGinn
Steven Piazza '82
John Rich

Committee

Kimberly Cass
Paulee (Coughlin) Day '87
Sr. Donna Daniels, SND
Dean Koutroumanis
Missy Liermann
Janet Long
James Madden '68
Matthew Noyes '83
Brian Riley '98
Nermine Rubin
Mary Sullivan
Darren Vermost



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PROGRAM BUDGET

<https://files.constantcontact.com/fd3bd94e001/e966ca1d-8305-4bdb-8db3-2579452be1a0.pdf>

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

<http://www.ccchs.org/about-us/administration/>

ADVISORY COUNCIL

<http://www.ccchs.org/about-us/advisory-council/>

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

School Website: www.ccchs.org

Winter 2022 *Tolle Lege*, CCC's community magazine including latest Annual Report

<http://www.ccchs.org/giving/tolle-lege-magazine/>

IRS 501(c)3 DETERMINATION LETTER

<https://files.constantcontact.com/fd3bd94e001/e254123a-0b54-4004-9a7a-aed084c2cf5f.pdf>

Tuition Assistance Historical Data

	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	Budget
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Sources of Tuition Assistance

CCCHS (includes white, etc.)	114,400	156,649	189,464	198,831	274,252	278,118	321,492	331,150	369,840	424,250	423,800	427,306	511,799	511,074	525,000
Step-up For Students & AAA	0	0	3,950	4,000	32,088	52,020	92,720	147,616	278,145	456,724	522,322	550,070	654,643	717,085	740,000
McKay Scholarship	5,633	0	24,651	43,359	43,916	41,839	69,488	96,090	123,409	107,410	97,321	118,550	189,289	211,274	200,000
Gardiner											10,058	7,558	20,600	58,588	50,000
DOSP	24,360	20,970	20,220	49,387	56,857	86,284	92,644	103,683	93,946	113,793	129,853	170,171	178,000	180,897	145,000
Mary C Forbes	19,750	13,250	9,250	15,250	17,250	16,000	12,250	12,000	11,000	11,500	11,500	11,500	13,000	13,000	12,500
Weinhausen	0	10,000	16,500	14,500	15,000	11,000	21,000	27,000	35,000	30,000	31,000	27,000	33,000	26,700	36,225
Parishes	53,150	1,300	22,700	22,080	18,442	20,000	17,420	20,167	21,800	20,250	18,200	27,700	9,000	3,000	5,000
Catholic Foundation	3,000							13,600	45,105	59,410	33,510	17,807	4,004	0	0
Misc.	3,750	4,500									10,000	12,500	12,500	20,773	12,500
TOTAL	224,043	208,669	286,735	347,407	457,805	505,261	640,614	782,821	893,550	1,196,887	1,273,861	1,356,359	1,621,831	1,742,381	1,726,225

Total Tuition Income	4,948,330	4,721,843	4,518,512	4,602,930	4,622,909	4,874,300	5,270,572	5,841,824	6,075,235	6,794,263	7,037,302	7,000,313	7,170,250	7,439,002	7,463,600
Total Tuition Assistance %	4.53%	4.42%	6.35%	7.58%	9.90%	10.37%	12.5%	13.40%	16.35%	17.62%	18.10%	19.38%	23.82%	25.42%	23.13%
CCCHS Tuition Assistance %	2.31%	3.36%	4.19%	4.32%	5.93%	5.71%	6.10%	5.67%	6.09%	6.24%	6.05%	6.10%	7.14%	6.87%	7.03%
Net Tuition Income Rec.	4,833,339	4,583,194	4,326,048	4,404,989	4,348,257	4,586,192	4,959,089	5,510,664	5,705,295	6,370,063	6,611,502	6,573,007	6,658,451	6,927,928	6,936,600

Total Number of Students	623	584	497	461	452	461	477	525	540	557	554	547	550	548	540
Ave. Tuition Per Student	7,943	8,842	9,092	9,985	10,227	10,573	11,049	11,127	11,350	12,198	12,703	12,799	13,037	13,560	13,821
Net Percentage Increase	11.33%	2.82%	9.82%	2.42%	3.39%	4.50%	0.70%	1.11%	8.42%	3.39%	4.14%	0.75%	1.87%	3.94%	2.00%
Ave. Net Tuition Per Student	\$ 7,789.12	\$ 8,545.24	\$ 8,710.36	\$ 9,553.36	\$ 9,620.04	\$ 9,970.83	\$ 10,375.43	\$ 10,496.30	\$ 10,565.55	\$ 11,436.38	\$ 11,934.12	\$ 12,026.47	\$ 12,106.27	\$ 12,619.18	\$ 12,840.36
Net Percentage Increase	10.13%	1.93%	9.68%	0.70%	3.64%	4.07%	1.17%	0.66%	8.24%	4.35%	0.69%	0.75%	4.24%	1.82%	
Tuition: Affiliated	\$ 8,175	\$ 8,665	\$ 8,925	\$ 9,330	\$ 9,800	\$ 10,300	\$ 10,600	\$ 10,700	\$ 10,900	\$ 11,700	\$ 12,100	\$ 12,400	\$ 12,750	\$ 13,150	\$ 13,400
Tuition: Non-Affiliated	\$ 11,775	\$ 11,775	\$ 11,775	\$ 11,775	\$ 11,775	\$ 12,160	\$ 12,500	\$ 12,625	\$ 12,950	\$ 13,950	\$ 14,450	\$ 14,950	\$ 15,380	\$ 15,850	\$ 16,260

**Internal Revenue Service
P.O. Box 2508
Cincinnati, OH 45201**

Department of the Treasury

Date: August 21, 2019

Person to Contact:

R. Meyer ID# 0110429

Toll Free Telephone Number:

877-829-5500

United States Conference of Catholic
Bishops
3211 4th Street, NE
Washington, DC 20017-1194

Group Exemption Number:

0928

Dear Sir/Madam:

This responds to your August 14, 2019, request for information regarding the status of your group tax exemption.

Our records indicate that you were issued a determination letter in March 1946, that you are currently exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, and are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code because you are described in sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(i).

With your request, you provided a copy of the *Official Catholic Directory for 2019*, which includes the names and addresses of the agencies and instrumentalities and the educational, charitable, and religious institutions operated by the Roman Catholic Church in the United States, its territories, and possessions that are subordinate organizations under your group tax exemption. Your request indicated that each subordinate organization is a non-profit organization, that no part of the net earnings thereof inures to the benefit of any individual, and that no substantial part of their activities is for promotion of legislation. You have further represented that none of your subordinate organizations is a private foundation under section 509(a), although all subordinates do not all share the same sub-classification under section 509(a). Based on your representations, the subordinate organizations in the *Official Catholic Directory for 2019* are recognized as exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code under GEN 0928.

Donors may deduct contributions to you and your subordinate organizations as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to them or for their use are deductible for federal estate and gifts tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of section 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

Subordinate organizations under a group exemption do not receive individual exemption letters. Subordinate organizations are not listed in Tax Exempt Organization Search (Pub 78 data), and many are not listed in the Exempt Organizations Business Master

File extract, or EO BMF. Donors may verify that a subordinate organization is included in your group exemption by consulting the *Official Catholic Directory*, the official subordinate listing approved by you, or by contacting you directly. IRS does not verify the inclusion of subordinate organizations under your group exemption. See IRS Publication 4573, *Group Exemption*, for additional information about group exemptions.

Each subordinate organization covered in a group exemption should have its own EIN. Each subordinate organization must use its own EIN, not the EIN of the central organization, in all filings with IRS.

If you have any questions, please call us at the telephone number shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Stephen A. Martin".

Stephen A. Martin
Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements