



# Kansas Tax Credit for Low-Income Students Scholarship Program

CEF is a registered Scholarship Granting Organization (SGO)

Catholic Education Foundation  
TAX CREDIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

## Do you have a KS income tax liability?

This program offers a 70% KS Tax Credit and helps students in need!

### Catholic Education Foundation (CEF)

Our mission is to make a high-quality, faith-filled education possible for children in need (Catholic & non-Catholic) within the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas.

CEF has awarded over \$17 million in scholarships since 1997

\*CEF's participation in the Tax Credit Scholarship is separate from the traditional program.



Will you help us make a child's dream of a Catholic education a reality?

### Tax Credit Program Overview:

The Kansas Legislature enacted this School Choice program in January 2015.

#### Purpose:

Provide qualified low-income families with the opportunity to choose a private K-12 education that they may not otherwise be able to afford.

#### Eligible Donors:

All Kansas taxpayers (corporate, privilege, premium and individual tax payers).

#### Student Requirements:

Reside in Kansas, qualify for the government's free lunch program, and attend a Title I Focus or Priority public school the previous school year (or eligible to enroll if under the age of 6).

### Our Catholic Schools:

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Archdiocese of Kansas City, KS

**\$60,975**

Average cost of a KS K-12 Catholic education

Provide a community of students, teachers and families growing together in strong academics, faith formation, and virtuous character.



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### How it Works:

Eligible donors contribute to CEF-SGO.

Donors receive a tax credit against their KS tax liability.



**70% Tax Credit**

**\$10 million**

in 2018  
KS Tax Credits  
(First-Come First-Serve)

The credits roll over and do not expire. Non-transferable.

CEF-SGO funds Tax Credit Scholarships to eligible students to cover a portion of tuition, fees and expenses.

#### Example:

Eligible donor contributes **\$10,000** to CEF-SGO

Donor receives a **\$7,000** KS Tax Credit Certificate

\*Cost is no more than **\$3,000**

\*Consult your Tax Professionals to discuss your specific tax situation.

✓ CEF-SGO requested minimum individual contribution: \$10,000.

✓ Per the Legislation, the maximum contribution is \$500,000 per donor/year.

✓ The CEF-SGO processes the contribution with the KS Dept. of Revenue. Once approved, CEF sends the Tax Credit Certificate to the donor.

Dear Tax Credit Donor,  
Thank you for my education.

