



*Catholic, College Preparatory
School for Young Women*

Patrick and Barbara Hackett Scholarship*

This perpetual scholarship was established to honor Patrick and Barbara Hackett who gave their seven daughters the gift of a Mercy High School education and whose lives reflect their commitment to fostering the spiritual, intellectual, moral, physical and cultural development of young women.

In their honor, the Hackett Family wishes this scholarship, renewable for up to four years, to be awarded to a young woman who is in financial need and who, in the opinion of the Scholarship Committee, fulfills the following criteria.

Criteria

- Demonstrates a commitment to making a difference, at Mercy High School and beyond.
- Understands the mission of Mercy high School and her on-going responsibility to develop and share her unique gifts in keeping with that mission: serving as a compassionate leader, addressing human needs, respecting human dignity, acting with mercy, working for justice, and serving the poor.

Each applicant is asked to write a short essay describing herself and how she meets the scholarship criteria. Essays are to be no longer than one typed, double-spaced page. Please mark "Patrick and Barbara Hackett Scholarship" at the top of the page and attach the Named Scholarship Application Cover sheet to the essay.

Essays should be placed in one large envelope and delivered to the Advancement Office by **Monday, March 19, 2012.**

Recipients of Scholarship awards will be notified by mail at the end of June.

**Available to incoming 9th grade students who are registered at Mercy for the upcoming school year, renewable for up to four years.*

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