

## The Baumann Public School Scholarship Opportunity

- Incoming first-year student who attended and graduated from a public high school in the United States with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Open to those studying to be a pastor or teacher
  - One scholarship for Pastoral Ministry, one scholarship for Education Ministry (elementary or secondary), and one scholarship for Early Childhood Ministry
- Scholarships may be renewed for a student's remaining years as long as the GPA is met and funding is available.
- Winners are selected based on their responses to the essay topic. Names are removed from the essay before the Financial Aid Committee reviews the application to ensure non-preferential selection.
- Scholarships are awarded in fall

To apply, prepare an application addressed to the Financial Aid Committee. Submit your application electronically to the Financial Aid Office: <a href="mailto:scholarships@mlc-wels.edu">scholarships@mlc-wels.edu</a> no later than **September 15, 2025**.

On the top portion of your application, provide:

Your name
 Scholarship name
 Cumulative GPA
 Education Major(s)
 Word count for your essay
 Bullet point that applies to you

Example:

 John Doe
 Baumann Public School Scholarship
 3.0 or Higher
 Pastoral or Education
 500 words
 Graduate of a public school

## Submit a short essay (limited to 500 words).

*Please answer the following questions in your response:* 

- 1) Why are you choosing to attend MLC to become a called worker in the WELS after your experience in the public school system?
- 2) What experience(s) during your time in the public school system will inform your approach to ministry?