

*Bishop O'Connell High School
Scholarships
Class of 2014*

Description	Number Given	Eligibility	Deadline	Sponsorship
Presidential Scholarship (For exemplary academic achievement) \$2,500/year; renewable	4	Students scoring in the top 5% of the HSAPT/HSPT. An essay must be completed for first round consideration; candidates selected for the second round of review will be evaluated on the quality of their responses to questions in core subject areas in the Presidential Scholarship Test.	Student must submit the application by January 25, 2010; notification of students advancing to the second round will be made on February 3.	Sponsored in part by previous valedictorians, salutatorians and past and present National Honor Society members of Bishop O'Connell High School and their families
Principal's Scholarship (For outstanding academic achievement and leadership) \$2,000/year; renewable	6	Students scoring in the top 15% of the HSAPT/HSPT; candidates will be evaluated on areas of academic achievement and on evidence of leadership qualities they have shown among classmates and in their parish or local community.	Student must submit the application (signed by the school principal) by January 25, 2010	Sponsored in part by past and present members of the Student Council and their families
De La Salle Award (For achievement beyond the classroom setting) \$1,000/not renewable	6	Students scoring in the top 40% of the HSAPT/HSPT; candidates will be evaluated on evidence of their commitment to learning shown through projects, presentations, performances, portfolios, academic competitive events, graphic or written compositions and similar expressions of academic achievement.	Student must submit a sample of his/her work (such as a CD, DVD, composition, portfolio, science fair log book or similar) and the application by January 25, 2010.	Sponsored in part by past and present members of the Shield, Visor and Largesse staffs, the Bishop O'Connell band, choral, drama, visual arts programs and their families
IHM Award (For joyful service and faithful witness) \$1,000/not renewable	8	Each elementary school in the Diocese of Arlington may nominate up to two candidates for these awards. Candidates should be students who offer spontaneous, dependable and responsible service to others without seeking recognition or reward; whose character and example give witness to others of the gospel values seen in the works and teachings of Jesus our Redeemer.	Student must submit an application and essay to his/her school principal by January 25, 2010. Principal will forward nominations of up to two students by February 19, 2010.	Sponsored in part by past and present administrators, faculty, staff and members of Bishop O'Connell service organizations and their families