



# CHRISTIAN ACADEMY OF WESTERN NEW YORK

## Application for Tuition Assistance for 2020-21 School Year

In an effort to be fair to all families, CAWNY only uses your family's size and total household income to determine eligibility for tuition assistance.

### Names and title of all adults in your household:

(e.g. Andy Taylor, Dad; Beatrice Taylor, Aunt)

(please include all individuals over the age of 18, who contribute to the household income)

- Full Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Title:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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### Names of all children in your household who will be attending CAWNY for 2020-21 school year:

- Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_
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If you have children in Grades K – 8 and you did **not** receive Bison Fund last year, did you apply for Bison Fund for the upcoming school year? (This is a requirement for returning families.)

- \_\_\_ No, we did not. Reason: \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ No, our family doesn't qualify for Bison Fund.
- \_\_\_ Yes, but our family was not selected.
- \_\_\_ Yes, we will be receiving a scholarship from Bison Fund this upcoming year.

Do any of the children who will be attending CAWNY have a parent not living in the home? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No  
If yes, would that parent help cover any of the tuition costs?

- \_\_\_ Maybe. I will speak with him/her about contributing. \_\_\_ No.

### Names of all children in your household who are under 18 and will **not** be attending CAWNY:

(this may include all children who live in your home, including grandchildren, etc.)

- Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_
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**Names of all of your children, in your household, who attend college full-time:**

- Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_  
What is the total cost of tuition for this student each year? \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
What amount of out-of-pocket funds does your family provide to cover his/her college tuition each year? \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Does this student rely on you primarily for their daily living expenses? \_\_\_\_\_  
Does this student have a full-time job \_\_\_\_\_ or a part-time job? \_\_\_\_\_
  
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**Income Information** (Please do not leave any blanks. Write N/A for what doesn't apply to your family):

1. Gross Income as listed on the attached Federal tax forms: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Federal Tax Refund amount (if any) as listed on the attached tax forms: \_\_\_\_\_
3. NYS Tax Refund amount (if any): \_\_\_\_\_
4. **Any income** not reported on the your tax forms (including child support, subsidies, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_  
Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Total yearly amount of State or Federal aid received by your family: \_\_\_\_\_  
(i.e., food stamps, EBT, SNAP, housing assistance, State or Federal Assistance of any kind, etc.)
6. Cash on hand, savings or checking account total (if over \$500): \_\_\_\_\_
7. Not including the home your family resides in, do you own any other property?  
If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_  
Any income received from this property: \_\_\_\_\_  
Any expenses associated with this property: \_\_\_\_\_

**Christian Education**

Please understand that we are a Christ-centered, non-denominational school that is funded almost entirely on tuition from our CAWNY families. We are not supported by any church or denomination.

We ask that you prayerfully review your monthly budget. In the space below, please write the **MONTHLY** amount that you feel your family could afford to pay in tuition.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ per month.

**If, after all your information is reviewed, your family does not qualify for tuition assistance** and you feel that your family has a financial strain or burden due to extenuating circumstances specific to your family, the Board of Education will gladly meet with you to determine if assistance can be given.

**If, after all of your information is reviewed, your family feels that your tuition assistance amount should be higher** and you feel that your family has a financial strain or burden due to extenuating circumstances specific to your family, the Board of Education will gladly meet with you to determine if more assistance can be given.

***Please note: Applications will not be reviewed unless all sections are completed and the previous year's FEDERAL income tax returns are attached. Thank you for understanding.***

# Household Adult

Please complete a form for each adult living in the household.  
(Extended relatives not included, i.e., Grandma, Great-Uncle Lou, etc.)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Check all that apply.

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to commit to being an **Assistant Coach** for at least one season in the school year. I would prefer:  
(Men) \_\_\_ Football (Fall) \_\_\_ Basketball (Winter) \_\_\_ Soccer (Spring)  
(Ladies) \_\_\_ Cheerleading (Winter) \_\_\_ Volleyball (Fall)

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to complete an application so that my name to be added to the **Volunteer Substitute Teacher** list.  
I can substitute for \_\_\_ Pre-K and K \_\_\_ Elementary \_\_\_ Middle School \_\_\_ High School

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to apply to be a **High School Monitor** from 8:45 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. one day a week. I am available on: \_\_\_ Mondays \_\_\_ Tuesdays \_\_\_ Wednesdays \_\_\_ Thursdays \_\_\_ Fridays  
(If you are interested in this particular position, but have questions, please contact Mrs. L for details.)

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to commit to simple **Library** maintenance once a week. This position would involve returning books to their proper place on the shelves, general straightening up and wiping down tables. I am available on: \_\_\_ Mondays \_\_\_ Tuesdays \_\_\_ Wednesdays \_\_\_ Thursdays \_\_\_ Fridays

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to assist the **maintenance** staff in any way that I can. I am available on  
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\_\_\_\_\_ I have a trade or skill (such as photography or computer knowledge or a technology) that I think might make an excellent elective for the High School students. I would like to complete an application to see if my skill is one CAWNY would be interested in teaching to its students. Please contact me. My skill is \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ I didn't see anything that really applies to me. I feel I am gifted by God in the area of \_\_\_\_\_.  
I would like to receive more information on areas at CAWNY to which I can contribute on a routine basis.

\_\_\_\_\_ Because I work full-time, either at home with small children or outside the home, I cannot help on a daily basis. However, I would like to offer my help with (check all that apply):

\_\_\_ Fall Fundraiser      \_\_\_ Spring Fundraiser      \_\_\_ Speech Meet Judge  
\_\_\_ Christmas Cupboard      \_\_\_ Open Houses      \_\_\_ Mother's Day Plant Sale

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