

The School of Theology Application for Tuition Assistance 2021-2022

**Mail your completed application to:**

**Seminary Office of Financial Aid, 335 Tennessee Ave, Sewanee, TN 37383-0001**

Returning Student Deadline  
March 1, 2020

New Student Deadline  
Due in conjunction with application for admission

Last Name, First Name, Middle Name (Preferred Name)

Date of Birth Social Security Number Banner ID

COUNTY Current Street Address, City, State, Zip

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Degree or Cert Program** **Check One**

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|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| M.Div.                          | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| DAS                             | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| C.T.S.                          | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Master of Arts in Theology (MA) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| MA in Religion and Environment  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| S.T.M.                          | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| S.T.M./AS                       | <input type="checkbox"/> |

**Canonical Status** **Check One**

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|--|--------------------------|
| Postulant                                | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Candidate                                | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Ordained                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Lay Ministry<br>(not seeking ordination) | <input type="checkbox"/> |

**Marital Status** **Check One**

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|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| Single                | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Married Couple        | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Married with Children | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Single Parent         | <input type="checkbox"/> |

**Class Standing in 2021-2022** **Check One**

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| M.Div. Junior                   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| M. Div. Middler                 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| M. Div. Senior                  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| One-year student                | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| First year of two-year program  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Second year of two-year program | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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| <b>Will you attend <u>both</u> semesters full-time?</b> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <b>or part-time?</b>                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> |

**If you plan to attend only one semester, or you plan to attend part-time for two semesters, list planned number of credit hours per semester below**

If part-time **list number of credit hours** planned for each semesters- **Fall:**\_\_\_\_\_ **Spring:**\_\_\_\_\_

Diocese \_\_\_\_\_ Bishop \_\_\_\_\_

Home Parish \_\_\_\_\_

Home Parish Address \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be commuting or moving to Sewanee? \_\_\_\_\_

**Report spouse's and dependent data as you anticipate it will be on August 30, 2021.**

| Full Name | Relationship to applicant | Will household member live with you in Sewanee? Yes or No | Age | Grade | Will dependent attend St. Andrew's Sewanee? Yes or No | Is dependent a full-time college student? |
|-----------|---------------------------|---|-----|-------|---|---|
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| Church Sponsorship* | Annual Amount | # of payments | Will payment |
|---------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
|                     |               |               |              |

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|                  |  |  | <b>come to student or institution?</b> |
| Diocesan Support |  |  |  |
| Parish Support   |  |  |  |

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of Applicant*    *Date*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of Spouse*    *Date*

**Application Instructions/Requirements**

- 1. Who can use this form? First-year MDIVs and second-year degree-seeking students who wish to request assistance to cover tuition and fees only** may fill out this Application for Tuition Assistance.
- 2. Who cannot use this form? First-year students in programs other than MDIV** cannot use this form; you must demonstrate need to receive tuition assistance by completing the need-based form for first-year students. **First-year MDIVs and second-year degree-seeking students who are requesting need-based aid beyond tuition and fees** cannot use this form; you must fill out the need-based form for first-year students.
3. For ordination-track students, signed forms from the sponsoring parish and the sponsoring diocese, indicating all local sources of support, are required as part of the financial aid application.
4. If both spouses wish to enroll in seminary and seek financial aid at the same time, they must indicate this intention at the time of their applications. Financial aid will be awarded on the basis of the expenses of a combined household.
5. Submit your application to: [Seminary Office of Financial Aid, 335 Tennessee Avenue, Sewanee, Tennessee 37383-0001](#)

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**Extraordinary and Emergency Need**

A Sanford Fund loan of \$1,000 is available to School of Theology students for extraordinary circumstances. Students may borrow no more than this amount from the Sanford Fund during their seminary years. No justification is required for a Sanford Loan, as long as the student meets the loan requirements. In the event of emergency need, students should first request a loan from the Sanford Fund. The dean may designate funding from other sources if that fund has been used and the student presents evidence of need due to extraordinary circumstances.

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**Reporting Changes**

Students receiving need-based financial aid must report significant changes in their financial situation as they occur during the course of an academic year. In cases where the change impacts the assessment of need, the financial aid award may be increased or reduced. Such adjustments will be made as soon as possible after changes are reported.

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**Termination of Financial Aid**

A student whose performance is evaluated by the faculty of the School of Theology as “inadequate” is not eligible to receive financial aid for the following year. Reinstatement of aid is dependent upon re-acceptance into the graduate program of the School of Theology and a new application for financial aid.

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### **Appeals and Complaints**

Appeals and complaints concerning financial aid should be directed to the director of operations, 931.598.1340.