

Use Tax Dollars for Catholic Education by Redirecting \$\$\$ to GRACE Scholars

Tax Redirection Process (Easy as 1-2-3)

1. Submit approval (TP1 form) to State Department of Revenue. Indicate intended donation amount and list GRACE as the SSO. (*NOTE: Donation can't exceed \$2,500 for joint return and \$1,000 for single or total Georgia tax liability. 75% of State tax liability for C-corp*). Mail to:

**Georgia Department of Revenue
Qualified Education Expense Credit
1800 Century Blvd NE
Suite 8301
Atlanta, GA 30345**

- State will approve and return form in 30 days



2. Upon receipt of State approval, **donation must be made within 30 days and before December 31**. Donors mail check to "GRACE Scholars, Inc." and copy of State approved form (TP1 form) to:

**GRACE Scholars
680 West Peachtree NW
Atlanta GA 30308**

Donors may designate specific schools by using the [2010 GRACE Scholars Designation Form](#). Donors may also pay ONLINE at www.gracescholars.org. Schools can be designated while paying on-line. Copy of approved TP1 form must be mailed to GRACE Scholars regardless of payment method.

- GRACE Scholars will send back tax credit form (TSD-SSO1 form) and acknowledgement receipt.



3. Claim GRACE donation as a charitable deduction on Federal Return. Claim 100% tax credit on GA Return: Increase Georgia Adjusted Gross Income by adding back GRACE donation on GA Form 500 Schedule 1 line 4. On GA Form 500 Schedule 2 line 4 list GRACE Donation as the Qualified Education Expense Credit.

Federal and State returns may be electronic. If you file a State paper return, be sure and attach [TSD-SSO1 Form](#) and [TP2 Form](#) with your return.

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CORPORATE DONORS (C-corporations)

Want to “do good”, help hundreds of students (and their families) at no cost to you?

Share your State income tax liability by redirecting them to GRACE Scholars. We will ensure they will go to students with financial needs. **We give the gift of a quality Catholic education to ALL students regardless of their religious affiliation.**

Why Grace Scholars?

We represent some of the best schools in the State. Our schools offer effective contribution to those families who are poor and disadvantaged, especially in poor inner city neighborhoods and rural areas. Our schools cultivate healthy interaction among the increasingly diverse populations of our society. Students in our schools are afforded the fullest and best opportunity to realize the fourfold purpose of Christian education, namely,

1. To provide an atmosphere in which the Gospel message is proclaimed,
2. Community in Christ is experienced,
3. Service to our brothers and sisters is the norm,
4. Thanksgiving and worship of our God is cultivated.

[Interested in reading about some of the students we helped?](#) Click on the **Resources** link on the right (under About GRACE section) and read the most recent story of a grateful GRACE scholar – from her own words, no less!

GO AHEAD, share *GRACE* with hundreds of students. Redirect your corporate dollars to GRACE Scholars. Call us anytime at (404) 888-7828. We'll be happy to work with you.

Sincerely,

Rick Medina, Director