**2021 International Student Program (ISP) Scholarship Criteria Summary**

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|  | **Board Awards** | | |
| 1. | Top International student for HCDSB (university stream) | Award Criteria | ISP Scholarship - Funds (to remain private) |
|  | Each Secondary school to submit one candidate. | * Highest Academic average for the 6 University/ Level Grade 12 courses. * Student has been accepted to an Ontario university program. * Student has demonstrated the Catholic Graduate Expectations within the school community * Student has been involved in co-curricular activities within the school community and /or beyond. * Student has demonstrated overall leadership beyond the ISP program. * Student promotes the ISP program to other International students * Successful academic achievement. * At least one teacher letter of recommendation required, i.e. ESL, Guidance, Student Success | $500.00  One Award Winner for the board. |

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| 2. | Top International student for HCDSB (college stream) |  |  |
|  | Each secondary school to submit one candidate. | * Highest Academic average for prerequisite College level courses. * Student has been accepted to an Ontario college program. * Student has demonstrated the Catholic Graduate Expectations within the school community * Student has been involved in co-curricular activities within the school community and /or beyond. * Student has demonstrated overall leadership beyond the ISP program. * Student promotes the ISP program to other International students * Student has immersed him/herself into the Canadian school culture through extensive involvement in the school and greater community. * Successful academic achievement. * At least one teacher letter of recommendation required, i.e. ESL, Guidance, Student Success. | $500.00   * One Award Winner for the board. |

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| 3. | Most Well-Rounded International Student for HCDSB |  |  |
|  | Each school to submit one candidate. | * Student has demonstrated a positive integration into the culture of their school community and is a leader for both international and domestic students in their school. * Successful academic achievement. * At least one teacher letter of recommendation required, i.e. ESL, Guidance, Student Success | $500.00  One Award Winner for the board. |
| 5. | Best Cultural Ambassador |  |  |
|  | Each school to submit one candidate. | * Student is involved in a wide range of school and community- based initiatives. * Student is a contributing member of volunteer initiatives in the community. * A letter of recommendation from community group. * Leader in demonstrating and promoting equity and inclusivity in the school community. * Successful academic achievement. * At least one teacher letter of recommendation required, i.e. ESL, Guidance, Student Success | $500.00  One Award Winner for the board. |
|  | **School Award** | | |
| 1. | Top International Student for each Secondary school | * Academic achievement – top 6 marks; minimum average of 80% required; * Extracurricular involvement in school and in the greater community; * Embodies Catholic Graduate expectations; -successful academic achievement. * At least one teacher letter of recommendation required, i.e. ESL, Guidance, Student Success. | $500.00 per school |