

ANGEL SCHOLARSHIP FUND:

2025 Update for Professional Advisors

Donations received from January 1, 2025 - April 15, 2026 are eligible for a 2025 state tax credit



The Angel Scholarship Fund (ASF) is a State of Ohio approved Scholarship Granting Organization. Donors to ASF may be eligible for a 100% tax credit on their State of Ohio income tax return for the year the contribution is made.

The maximum credit amount is \$750 per individual; married couples that file a joint return can each claim this credit if both spouses make eligible donations (\$1,500 total).

HERE'S HOW IT WORKS:

- Donations to ASF may reduce Ohio income tax liability on a dollar-for-dollar basis. That is, money that ordinarily would have been owed to the State of Ohio can be "redirected" to fund Catholic education scholarships.
- Sample Net Result: Let's assume that, normally, after tax credits and deductions, a family's Ohio income tax is \$2,000. Look at the positive impact a \$1,500 (if married filing jointly) donation can have for you.

	OPTION A Without ASF Donation	OPTION B With ASF Donation	
Scholarship Donation	\$0	\$1,500	→ Donation
Ohio Income Tax	\$2,000	\$500	→ Revised Tax Liability
Total Amount Spent	\$2,000	\$2,000	

*TAX IS REDUCED BY AMOUNT OF DONATION

NOTE: THIS DOES NOT CONSTITUTE LEGAL OR TAX ADVICE. ASSUMES ACTUAL STATE TAX LIABILITY AFTER OTHER HIGHER PRIORITIZED CREDITS AND/OR DEDUCTIONS MEETS OR EXCEEDS \$750 FOR AN INDIVIDUAL OR \$1,500 IF MARRIED FILING JOINTLY.

NEW! COMING IN 2027
FEDERAL TAX CREDIT PROGRAM

WE ARE HERE TO HELP WITH THE STATE TAX CREDIT!



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CLAIMING THE CREDIT



The Angel Scholarship Fund will provide donors with a tax receipt for preparing their Ohio individual income tax return.



CONTRIBUTE ONLINE

Donors who contribute online will receive their tax receipt via email immediately after making their contribution.



MAIL-IN

Donors who mail in their contribution will receive their tax receipt in the mail after the first of the year.

Ohio IT 1040 Information

ASF donations should be entered as an Ohio nonrefundable credit and as a scholarship donation credit on the Ohio Schedule of Credits.

THE IMPACT



\$19.6 MILLION
RAISED SINCE 2022



18,220
TAX CREDITS CLAIMED BY
DONORS SINCE 2022



108
SCHOOLS IMPACTED



5,162
SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED
IN 2024



\$8.1 MILLION
CONTRIBUTED FROM THE
2024 TAX CREDIT