October 2020 Monthly Memo

Dear School Partners,

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**Important Updates**

1. **Webinars** – Thank you to all who attended our Elementary School and High School Fall Webinars. The links to the slides and the recording are located in the presentation section of our website.
   - Elementary School Recording passcode: QE6j*.qm
   - High School Recording passcode: N9tyt#FL
2. For our **Super Heroes**, please read this article by Mike Reardon, CSF’s Executive Director, in this week’s *The Pilot*.
3. **Withdrawal Forms** – Please complete this form for any withdrawn CSF scholarship recipient, including emergency fund recipients, as soon as possible. This helps expedite CSF’s verification and allocations processes.

**October Elementary School Dates and Deadlines**

- **October 1:** Application: Emergency Fund Round 1 for February distribution *(opens at 1:00 PM)*
- **October 16:** Verification: Forms and instructions sent to schools
- **October 30:** Deadline: Signed verification forms sent to allocations@csfboston.org

**October High School Dates and Deadlines**

- **October 1:**
  - Application: Emergency Fund Round 1 for February distribution *(opens at 1:00 PM)*
  - Application: CSF Scholar 2025 High School Grant Application; *(opens at 1:00 PM)*
- **October 16:**
  - Verification: Forms and instructions sent to schools
  - Deadline: CSF Scholar 2025 High School Grant Application; Notification: December 14, 2020
- **October 30:** Deadline: Signed verification forms sent to allocations@csfboston.org

**Other Links and Events**

- [2020 Overcoming Obstacles Scholarship](#) – College scholarship opportunity for current high school seniors.
- [Learn more about how students can earn an SNHU degree for less with Duet](#) – For students or community members looking for a more affordable and practical college option. Watch this [2 minute video](#) to learn more.
- [CSF School Updates and Communications](#)
• **CSF School Calendar**: This is a live, working calendar and we make updates throughout the year.
• **Klarman Family Foundation Instrument Fund**.
• **Educator Resources** for the McMullen Museum of Art.
• **JFK Library** events and teacher resources
• ** Archived Monthly Memos**

**Helpful CSF Resources**

• **Student Withdrawal Form** for all Emergency Fund and CSF scholarship recipients
• **CSF School Calendar**
• **Presentations**
• **Best Practices for Assigning CSF Awards**
• **Grant Resources**
• **FACTS Training Guide**
• **Press Toolkit and Photos**
• **Reporting Templates**

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**Share with CSF** how your schools, teachers, families and students are navigating the current situation. Send pictures, stories, and videos to allocations@csfboston.org or tag us on social media @icsfboston (Twitter and Instagram) and @catholicschoolsfoundation (Facebook).