



Northern Ohio Italian American Foundation

## The \$20,000 High School Scholarship Dedicated to Italian American Ideals.

### Make sure your students apply! Pronto!



#### THE NOIA MISSION

*To preserve our Italian heritage and perpetuate our Italian culture and history: to enhance our community and support initiatives associated with Italian - American ideals.*

The Northern Ohio Italian American Foundation (NOIA) is an active supporter of area Catholic high schools, including yours.

We offer our Leadership Scholarship to your students who demonstrate a passion for giving back, helping others and taking an active role in ensuring our local Italian American community continues to thrive.

Our 4 year/\$5,000 annual renewable scholarship encourages educational achievement, cultural experiences, leadership and service – values important to NOIA and the Italian American community. A student can be awarded up to \$20,000 in scholarship funds. So, make sure our scholarship applications are distributed!

#### **To qualify, your student applicant needs to:**

- have and maintain a 3.0 GPA
- have at least 25% Italian descent
- actively participate in at least one extra-curricular activity by sophomore year
- be willing to take a leadership role in an activity
- provide annual summary of school year experience
- attend the annual NOIA Impact dinner
- demonstrate financial need

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