



## THIS CHRISTMAS, SPONSOR A STUDENT IN NEED

Christmas is a joyous time of the year for most, but for families facing financial hardship, it can be anything but merry. While we often think of providing toys and other gifts to children whose families are in need, the necessities of everyday life for students are often overlooked during the Christmas season.

Niagara Foundation for Catholic Education is a registered charity created to financially support students in a variety of ways, including ensuring that they have the tools they need to focus on their education. Many families are faced with the difficult choice of whether to provide these necessities or to give their child a gift under the tree. Some students are all too aware of their family's circumstances and don't ask for what they need to avoid further burdening their family. Other students, for a variety of reasons, live independently from their families and will wake up on Christmas morning alone, with no gifts to open and little to no ability to provide for themselves beyond the most basic of means.

We are asking Niagara residents to please consider helping alleviate these concerns for our students in need and their families this Christmas. Your generosity will help the Foundation to provide these students with healthy food, warm clothes, personal care items and specialized equipment, allowing them to focus on what is most important: Their education. All donations will be graciously and gratefully accepted.

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*Best Wishes for a Very Merry Christmas*