- 1) NAME OF THE SCHOLARSHIP The Chad W. Young '13 Scholarship is being established by the Chad W. Young Foundation. Chad William Young was both a scholar and an athlete. His philosophy was anything worth achieving was worth working for and applied it to both his studies and training with the same vigor. Chad was a graduate of St. Thomas Aquinas class of 2013 and was enrolled as a mechanical engineer major at Colorado School of Mines. He was also a professional cyclist with Axeon Hagens Berman team. Chad passed away April 28, 2017. This scholarship is intended to honor his legacy.
- 2) PURPOSE AND AWARD CRITERIA The scholarship is established for the purpose of providing financial aid in the form of scholarship awards to students enrolled at St Thomas Aquinas.

In selecting the recipients of scholarship awards, preference shall be given to:

- a) Minimum STA GPA of 3.5 or greater
- b) Merit-based award
- c) Students enrolled and pursuing French as a second language.
- d) Recipient will demonstrate a strong academic standing at St. Thomas Aquinas and exhibits achievement in sports, arts, or community service.
- e) One-year award.
- f) Applicants will provide an essay that addresses the following topic:

What are you passionate about? What is the one thing that you are most excited to get to do each day? Of the many interests that you have, which is the one or two that brings you the most joy or you feel you have the greatest impact? Please tell us about this interest.

Students can submit their application information to <a href="mailto:admission@stalux.org">admission@stalux.org</a> by Monday, May 1, 2023.