The Carthage Commitment Boys and Girls Club of Kenosha County



What is it?

As part of our pledge to make a high-quality education possible for all, we are pleased to introduce the Carthage Commitment.

Open to Wisconsin families whose household income is less than \$65,000, it will cover tuition costs not covered by federal and state grant funds. Recipients will have no direct out-of-pocket tuition costs to attend Carthage.

No loans needed!

This program would be available for 7 Boys & Girls Club members. Additional members may qualify for The Carthage Commitment, which would include the use of the Stafford Loan in the amount of \$5,500.

Eligibility

- Be admitted to Carthage by April 1
 - This can be flexible
- Submit the FAFSA by April 1
- Have a household income of less than \$65,000 (PELL eligible as determined by FAFSA)
- Be a Wisconsin resident
- Have a high school GPA of 2.75 or above
- Be a member of the Boys and Girls Club

What does the Carthage Commitment cover?

The Carthage Commitment covers the cost of tuition for fall and spring semesters and on-campus J-Term courses.

What isn't included in the Carthage Commitment?

Books, room and board, J-Term study tours, and parking are not covered by the Carthage Commitment.

There is a potential that the Club would be able to cover the cost of books (cost would be no more than \$182/semester)

How do I apply?

- To be considered for the Carthage Commitment, students must <u>apply for</u>
 admission to Carthage and be accepted by April 1. They must also submit the
 FAFSA by that date.
- Application Fee Waiver Code: BrightFuture
- Student name must be provided to the Boys and Girls Club.

When will I find out if I qualify?

Once we receive the FAFSA, we will notify the Boys and Girls Club of the students who are eligible for the Carthage Commitment.