



# **Bradford Area Christian Academy**

*Education That Honors God*

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## **Contributing To The EITC Scholarship Program**

Hello,

For almost two decades the families of BACA have greatly benefited from the Pennsylvania Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) Scholarship program. This program greatly reduces the cost of tuition for our families at minimal or no cost for the contributor.

**In essence you are having the state of Pennsylvania send your PA tax dollars, tax dollars you already have to pay, to BACA to be used for tuition assistance. This is an incredible opportunity.**

**This year we are especially looking for support with this program as our enrollment numbers for next year are up 50% over this year, and still increasing. Praise The Lord.**

Some key summary points of the program for individuals and businesses.

1. This is a tax credit program, and not a tax deduction. This means that this may not cost you anything to participate. If you contribute at the preschool level, you will receive a 100% tax credit. If you contribute at the K-12 level you will receive a 90% tax credit. You may also qualify for Federal Income Tax Credits or deductions. A two year commitment may be required.
2. Most individuals or couples filing jointly with PA income of \$32,000 or more qualify. A minimum participation amount of \$1,000 per year with a two year commitment is required. Many businesses qualify as well, but it depends on the type of taxes you pay. You may wish to check with your tax advisor.

**Please See The Other Side**

3. For individuals the timeline and forms for this program are as follows. The business timeline and forms are similar.

Spring / Summer	Complete and send in the one page application form.
Summer / Fall	The Scholarship Group will send you an agreement form. You will initial in a few places, sign and return.
Fall	The Scholarship Group will request your contribution amount. Send in the amount you agreed to contribute.
January / February	The Scholarship Group will send you a PA Schedule RK-1 form confirming your tax credit. This information goes on your PA Schedule OC and PA 40 tax forms.

If you would like to learn more about this program, please contact one of the following people, our Scholarship Group partners or visit our website at [bacaacademy.org/donors](http://bacaacademy.org/donors). Mr. Jim Machuga has participated with the Children's Tuition Fund group at the individual level. Mr. Greg Booth has participated with the Children's Scholarship Fund of PA Group at the corporate level.

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#### **Children's Tuition Fund (Individuals Or Businesses)**

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#### **Children's Scholarship Fund Of Pennsylvania (Businesses)**

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Thank you for your consideration with this opportunity.

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