

Scholarship Recommendation Form

Instructions: Thank you for being a recommender for the PCAFPD scholarship. Recommendations are used as part of the selection process. Please type your information below and provide a digital copy to the applicant for submission. Hand written responses will not be accepted.

Recommender Information

Name: **Leah C. Reyes** Relationship to applicant: **SHS Guidance Counselor**

Organization/School: **Xavier University Senior High School** Email address: **lreyes@xu.edu.ph**

Applicant Information: Use additional pages as needed

Name: **Save Vrealffa A. Acain** Current School: **Xavier University-Ateneo de Cagayan**

Recommendation

PCAFPD scholars are chosen on the basis of their financial need, academic performance, and commitment to community service and leadership. As the applicant's reference, please describe the applicant's demonstrated leadership skills, accomplishments, and impacts on your community and any other relevant information you feel the committee should know about the applicant.

Recommender Name & Signature:  LEAH C. REYES

Date: August 22, 2025

Dear Scholarship Committee,

Greetings!

It is with great pleasure that I recommend Save Vrealffa A. Acain for the PCAFPD scholarship. I have known Save for two years in my capacity as her Guidance Counselor for the STEM strand at Xavier University Senior High School. During this time, I have had the privilege of observing her skills and dedication, both inside and outside the classroom.

Save is a consistent honor student whose pursuit of academic excellence is driven by a genuine passion. She is determined to overcome challenges, and this was evident when she ranked Third Honors for the first time when she was in Grade 11. Instead of being discouraged, she used it as motivation to increase her efforts and achieve the academic honors she has now earned.

Beyond her academic achievements, Save is a respectful individual who consistently shows kindness and compassion. She is highly adaptable and has always been able to build positive relationships with a diverse range of people, regardless of their backgrounds. Her involvement in various clubs and organizations, combined with her active participation in co-curricular and outreach activities, has been instrumental in developing her leadership skills and her commitment to serving others.

She is a dedicated nature lover and a passionate volunteer.

Save has the potential to contribute significantly to the community. She is ready to share her knowledge, engage in extracurricular activities, and promote a positive and inclusive campus culture, upholding the strong Atenean values she has learned.

Save's determination is driven by her family's circumstances. With her father working as a bus driver and her mother as a store clerk, their unstable income makes providing for college expenses a challenge. However, Save does not view this as a barrier, but as a motivation. She is actively seeking a scholarship not just to pay for her education, but to ease the financial burden on her parents, who have worked so hard to support her.

Her plans after graduation are evidence to her maturity and drive. She is committed to using her education to build a better future for herself and her family, with the intention of giving back to the community that has invested in her.

I am confident that Save will not only be a deserving recipient of this scholarship but will also make a lasting impact on her chosen field. She possesses the combination of academic potential, a strong work ethic, and a compassionate spirit that makes her an ideal candidate.

Please feel free to contact me for any further information.

Sincerely,

Leah C. Reyes

Guidance Counselor, Stem B
Xavier University- SHS