

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. Handwritten responses will not be accepted.

Recommender Information

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Applicant Information:

Name: Chloe Marie C. Comandante Current School: University of the Philippines – Los Banos

Recommendation

Dear Committee Members,

Ten years is a long time in a young person's life. Chloe Marie C. Comandante has spent that decade in service to her parish and, alongside it, built one of the strongest records in her batch. I have known Chloe for her senior high school years as her teacher, and it is my pleasure to recommend her for the PCAFPD Scholarship.

Chloe's commitment to her community is where I would begin. For ten years, she has given her time to the Diocesan Shrine of Saint Joseph Parish through the Commission on Youth, the Girls Choir, and the Antioch Movement. In the Commission on Youth she has helped organize parish events and keep young people united. In the Girls Choir she has contributed to worship with discipline and musical excellence. Through Antioch she has been part of a movement that leads young people toward spiritual renewal and emotional healing. Work like this shapes a community from the inside: youth structures raise responsible citizens, future public servants, and ethical community organizers; choirs teach discipline and keep an appreciation of the arts alive; and movements like Antioch help young adults find stability and direction.

She brings the same reliability to leadership at school. As Auditor of the Supreme Secondary Learner Government for S.Y. 2024–2025, she was entrusted with the accountability side of student governance, a post that rewards honesty and precision. She has also represented her school through The Main Source in TV Scriptwriting and Newscasting (English Secondary). In A.Y. 2024–2025 she took first place for Best Overall Performance and Best Developmental Communication at the Divisions Schools Press Conference, then placed 5th for Best Script at the Regionals. The following school year she won first place for Best Script and third place for Best Overall Performance. Results like these, two years in a row, show a student who delivers under pressure.

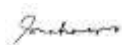
Her academic record is equally strong. Chloe graduated With Highest Honors as Batch Salutatorian for A.Y. 2025–2026, ranking 2.5 out of 236 students. The year before, she earned With High Honors and ranked 7th overall, so her rise is the result of sustained improvement, not a single peak. Her curiosity goes beyond grades. Her individual Life Science project was named 3rd Best Project at the Divisions Science and Technology Fair and won Best Board Display, and she was awarded Best Poster in the STEM Strand for English Month.

She is also a gifted storyteller and artist. At the 3rd Bureau of Fire Art Contest for Fire Prevention Month, Chloe was 1st Runner-Up in both Collage Making and Short Film Making and a finalist in Spoken Poetry and Photography, and she placed Second in Spoken Poetry for Buwan ng Wika. That breadth, from research to broadcast journalism to the arts, is uncommon in one student.

What impresses me most is that none of this came at the expense of anything else. For a decade Chloe has given her time to others while ranking near the top of her batch and earning recognition across science, journalism, and the arts. I recommend her wholeheartedly and would welcome any questions the committee may have.

With sincere regards,

Recommender Name & Signature:



Date: September 21, 2026

Michelle Haresco

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