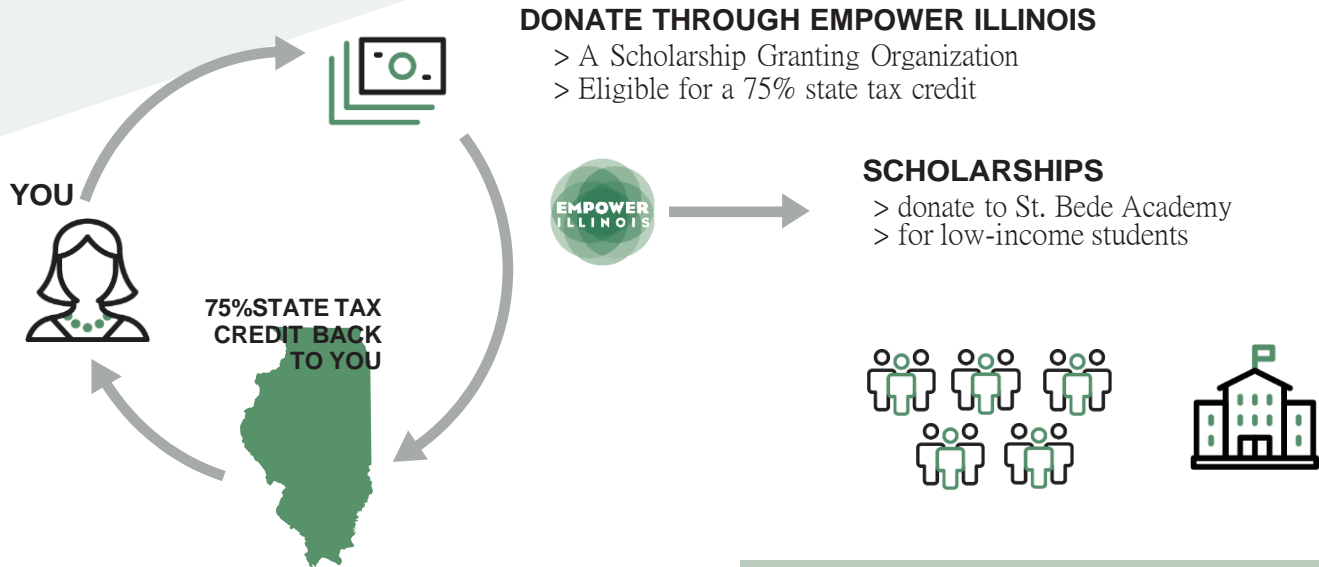




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- > A Scholarship Granting Organization
- > Eligible for a 75% state tax credit

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- > donate to St. Bede Academy
- > for low-income students



Who Your Donation Helps

- > Low-income and working-class students at St. Bede Academy
- > Provides scholarships to quality, private schools like St. Bede Academy
- > 4 students received a scholarship for 2022-2023
- > 27 St. Bede students still on the wait list who need your help!

How It Works

- > Donate to St. Bede Academy through Empower Illinois
- > By donating through an SGO, such as Empower Illinois, you earn a **75% STATE TAX CREDIT**

Why Donate Through EI

- > You can direct your donation to St. Bede Academy
- > You can increase your impact with a larger donation as you receive a 75% state tax credit to offset your tax liability

What's Next

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