

(A MODEL LETTER TO THE BISHOP)
[Please use your own words, and ideas.]

Follow the letter format below.

You may hand write or type this letter.

If you hand write the letter you are to use PEN and use your BEST handwriting.

If you type the letter you are to add your SIGNATURE in pen above your typed name.

(your complete name)
(street address)
(city, state)
(date)

Dear Bishop _____, (← insert the Bishop's last name in the blank)

I would like to be confirmed because . . .

(Short paragraph telling why you want to be confirmed.
Emphasize how you live out your faith and witness to Christ in your daily life.)

My confirmation saint is . . .

(Tell who your patron saint is, and perhaps one or two things about him/her.)

My sponsor is . . .

(Tell the name of your sponsor and the reason that he/she was chosen.)

To show how seriously I want to be a confirmed Catholic and that I understand that to be a Christian means to serve or help others, I have . . .

(Describe your service activities/projects.)

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to become an active part of the St. Mary's community.

(End with a thank you, making it genuine.)

Sincerely,

(your signature)

(your typed name)