



## 2021 Scholarship Guidelines

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Eaton Family Credit Union is committed to the education of our young Members. Our Scholarship program was established to provide funds to qualifying student Members to assist them in securing a brighter future through higher education.

Recipients of an Eaton Family Credit Union Scholarship are subject to certain conditions of enrollment and requirements of academic performance. Acceptance of funds will constitute acceptance of these terms.

In selecting the scholarship recipients, the Scholarship Committee will consider the following: scholastic achievement, leadership, community service, career goals and other pertinent information or circumstances which may heighten the need for a scholarship. Scholarships will not be awarded solely based on need nor will need be a predominant basis upon which any determination is made. Decisions of the Scholarship Committee are final.

### **Applicant Requirements:**

- Member in good standing of Eaton Family Credit Union
- Graduating senior in high school
- US citizen

Student relatives of an employee or Member of Eaton Family Credit Union's Official Family who meet the above criteria are eligible to apply for a scholarship.

### **Applications will be considered from students who:**

- Provide transcripts of grades from applicant's high school
- Submit essay as described in application in 100-200 words
- Submit two (2) letters of recommendation, mailed separately, from an adult, non-family member such as an employer, teacher, religious leader, mentor or coach
- Have at least a 3.0 cumulative grade point average on a 4 point scale

## Scholarship Conditions

The terms and conditions for which the scholarships are to be awarded are as follows.

### Scholarships will be:

- Granted only to graduating high school seniors for use only during the immediate academic year.
- Paid directly to the educational institution as a credit to the student's account.
- Provided only as one-time awards.

### Applicants must:

- Attend a two- or four-year educational institution (university, college or community college) which is accredited by a regional accrediting organization.
- Enroll as a full-time student and be able to have it verified by the educational institution. Failure to meet this requirement will result in the revocation of the scholarship with all funds being returned to Eaton Family Credit Union.

### Scholarship applications are available:

- Online from <https://www.eatonfamilycu.com/scholarships>
- By email request to: [rwilson@eatonfamilycu.com](mailto:rwilson@eatonfamilycu.com)
- By mailing a request, along with a self-addressed, stamped return envelope, to:

Eaton Family Credit Union  
Attn: Rebecca Wilson, Scholarship Committee  
333 Babbitt Road - Ste 100  
Euclid, OH 44123

### Submit your application, essay, transcript, and reference letters to Eaton Family Credit Union on or before April 30, 2021:

- **MAIL:** Eaton Family Credit Union  
Attn: Rebecca Wilson, Scholarship Committee  
333 Babbitt Road – Ste 100  
Euclid, OH 44123
- **IN PERSON:** Stop in to any local EFCU branch to drop your application off.
- **FAX:** 216-920-2030, to the attention of Rebecca Wilson, Scholarship Committee
- **EMAIL:** [rwilson@eatonfamilycu.com](mailto:rwilson@eatonfamilycu.com)

**Attachments submitted other than the required transcripts, reference letters, and essay will be disregarded. Incomplete and illegible applications, as well as those received after the due date, will not be accepted.**