

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2022 - 2023 SCHOOL YEAR

The Scholarship Committee of the Area Credit Union Outreach Alliance (CACUOA) invites you to apply for a scholarship. There will be at least nine scholarships awarded at \$1,000 each. To qualify, you must be at least a senior in a local high school and plan to enroll in post-high school studies, including vocational, professional and academic studies, which are not limited to colleges and universities. Applicants may also be anyone who is obtaining an Associates or Bachelor Degree. <u>You yourself must be a primary member</u> of an Ohio Credit Union in one of the Cincinnati area counties to be eligible. (Cincinnati Area Counties are: Hamilton, Butler, Warren, Clermont, Brown, and Adams.)

Please return your completed application to: *CCOCUL Scholarship Committee, C/O Karen Riel, Christian Family Credit Union, 410 Chamber Drive, Milford, OH 45150,* postmarked no later than February 15, 2023. This form may be reproduced on a computer.

Winners only will be notified by email by March 31, 2023. Names of the winners may be published in the local media after the awards dinner.

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| Phone | Birth date | | E-mail | | _ |
| High School/College you curren | itly attend | | | | _ |
| Signature of Parent or Legal Gu | ardian is requir | ed for applicant | s under a | ge 18: | |
| Parent/Legal Guardian Signatur | re | | | | _ |
| Print Name | | | Date _ | | _ |
| As stated above, YOU (the stud List the full name of your Cred | - | member of an | Ohio cred | l it union . (The account i | must be in YOUR name .) |

Your membership will be verified. If **YOU** are not a member your application will be disqualified.



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Your application will be scored based on how well you answer the questions, neatness and how you follow the instructions. <u>Please do not staple the application and additional pages together</u>. <u>Type the answers to the questions on a separate page, and do not include your name on the sheets</u>. Do not use the backside of the pages. If these instructions are not followed, your application will be disqualified.

- 1. Please list your community and/or school activities, and your employment history.
- 2. Why are you applying for this scholarship and how is it consistent with your educational/career/life goals?
- 3. In addition to scholarships, how do you plan to finance the rest of your education? How can a credit union help you?
- 4. What has been your most rewarding community involvement experience and why?

Please answer the following question by attaching your typed, double-spaced response. (*Entries should be no longer than four pages, and we strongly encourage creativity.*)

5. There are many similarities between banks and credit unions. What is one of the biggest benefits you have witnessed with the services offered by credit unions? And how would you communicate those benefits to your own peers as to why credit unions are the better option?