

“myCollege Checking Scholarship”

CANDIDATE APPLICATION, AGREEMENT AND OFFICIAL RULES

Financial Plus Credit Union will award one scholarship in the amount of \$1,000.00 to a candidate who meets the following eligibility requirements:

1. Candidate must be a current full-time or part-time college or university student with a minimum GPA of 3.0 and be able to provide current school transcript of grades.
2. Candidate must have a myCollege Checking Account at Financial Plus Credit Union prior to applying.
3. The candidate must complete the application with a short essay (500 words or less) on why they bank at a credit union and submit the following: application, essay, official copy of their current transcript, and one letter of recommendation from a legal adult other than a relative.

Application, essay, letter of recommendation, and transcript (referred to as the “Scholarship Package”) must be submitted no later than October 14, 2022 by 5:00 P.M. Eastern Standard Time (EST) (see submission instructions below). Scholarship Packages which are incomplete or received after the stated deadline will be disqualified. Providing any information which is fraudulent or misleading will result in automatic disqualification. Scholarship entry period begins August 15, 2022 through October 14, 2022. Limit one scholarship entry per person.

Scholarship Packages may be mailed to the following address post-marked by October 14, 2022 OR dropped off at any Financial Plus Credit Union branch office by 5:00 P.M. EST on October 14, 2022:

Financial Plus Credit Union
ATTN: Madeline Mason
P.O. Box 7006
Flint, MI 48507

Designated scholarship judges at Financial Plus Credit Union will review all scholarship entries and award the scholarship recipient based on attaining all eligibility requirements and contents of essay. The scholarship recipient will be contacted on October 24, 2022 by 5:00 P.M. EST by phone from Financial Plus Credit Union. The funds for the scholarship will be paid directly to the educational institution.

If the scholarship is unclaimed by October 31, 2022, it will be forfeited. The designated scholarship judges will select a runner-up during the original review of the scholarship entries. The forfeited scholarship will then be awarded to the runner-up recipient, who will be notified by phone from Financial Plus Credit Union by 5:00 P.M. on November 4, 2022.

Members of official family of financial Plus Credit Union and their immediate family members, including but not limited to designated scholarship judges, employees of Financial Plus Credit Union, and immediate families of such judges and employees are not eligible to win. Financial Plus Credit Union does not discriminate on the basis of age, gender, familial status, marital status, race, color, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, height, weight, or disability. All application information will be kept strictly confidential.

For colleges and universities which are not accredited, additional documentation may be required for proof of authenticity and legitimacy prior to awarding the scholarship.

By signing this agreement, I have read and fully agree to the terms stated above.

Candidate's Signature: _____ Date: _____
If candidate is under 18 years of age, signature of parent or guardian is required:

Parent's or Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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CONTACT INFORMATION

Name of Candidate: _____ Date of Birth: _____

If candidate is under 18 years of age, include parent or guardian's name:

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Primary Phone Number: _____ Secondary Phone Number: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

SCHOOL INFORMATION FOR CURRENT FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY STUDENT

College or University Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Grade Point Average: _____ Special Awards/Honors: _____

If transferring to a different college or university which the scholarship funds will apply to, please indicate the transfer educational institution's information:

College or University Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THE MYCOLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP?

Check all that apply:

- ☐ Email
- ☐ Social Media
- ☐ In-Branch Staff
- ☐ Flyer
- ☐ Friend or Family
- ☐ Other

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AUTHORIZATION OF PHOTOGRAPHY/COMMERCIAL RELEASE FORM

I, _____ (print full name) hereby authorize Financial Plus Credit Union to use my photograph(s), testimonial(s), and any film appearance(s) to promote the credit union in any/all delivery channels as it deems necessary.

If at any time I want to terminate my authorization, I will notify the Credit Union and it will have a minimum of 120 days to comply. The Credit Union will not use the photograph(s) or testimonial(s) in any new campaigns, promotions, radio spots, commercials, etc. on a go forward basis after the cancellation is submitted. Financial Plus Credit Union need not cancel, reprint, or modify any existing marketing material prior to the termination date.

By signing this form, I fully agree to terms stated above. The agreement will automatically elapse after one-year. I acknowledge and agree that no compensation will be received for the usage of my photography, testimonials, appearances, etc.

Student's signature: _____ Date: _____

If candidate is under 18 years of age, signature of parent or guardian is required:

Parent's signature: _____ Date: _____