



Scholarship Program 2021

Thank you for your interest in Family Focus Federal Credit Union's Scholarship Program! This program is designed to support credit union members in their pursuit of higher education.

Award

FFFCU will be awarding two scholarships, one first place scholarship of \$1500.00 and one 2nd running up scholarship of \$500.00, with the winners to be announced at the 2021 FFFCU Annual Meeting on June 24, 2021. Scholarship funds will be made payable to the winner within 10 days upon the winner providing proof of school registration for the 2021/2022 school year to the Credit Union.

Deadline

Applications must be postmarked by **April 30, 2021**.

Eligibility

You are eligible to apply for this scholarship if you meet the following qualifications:

- Member of Family Focus Federal Credit Union in good standing (MUST have a share account in your own name as the primary member)
- Must have completed 12 credit hours of college level course work at the time of application and applicants must have maintained a "C" average or higher.
- Must currently be a full-time student at an accredited 2- or 4-year college or university.
- Must have obtained a high school diploma or equivalent.
- Employees of Family Focus Federal Credit Union, their children and grandchildren and any volunteers are not eligible for the scholarship.
- You have not previously been awarded a scholarship from Family Focus Federal Credit Union

Application Requirements

- Complete the enclosed application.
- On a separate sheet of paper, provide a personal statement discussing why you believe you should be considered for the FFFCU Scholarship Program. Label this page with your name and limit your answer to 500 words or less each.
- Submit a video in response to the prompt provided on the application.
- Provide official school transcript(s)
- Provide a summary of your activities and accomplishments.
- Mail the completed application packet to:

Family Focus FCU
Attn: Marketing Committee
7310 'N' Plaza
Omaha, NE 68127

Or e-mail to solutions@familyfocusfcu.org

Questions may be directed to the Credit Union at 402-933-0233 or by e-mail to solutions@familyfocusfcu.org.

Evaluation Process

- Incomplete applications may be disqualified.
- Applicants will be evaluated in the following areas: academic performance, community involvement, activities, video, and personal statement.
- Interviews may be requested and conducted by the Family Focus FCU Marketing Committee
- The scholarship will be awarded within the guidelines established by Family Focus Federal Credit Union and in accordance with its nondiscrimination policy. Such scholarship will be awarded on a nondiscriminatory basis without regard to an applicant's race, color, national or ethnic origin, gender, age, or religion.



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Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____
 Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
 e-mail: _____

Provide the following information about all colleges you have attended.

Name of College	Dates Attended	# of Credits Completed

Provide information about the college you are, or will be, attending in the next academic year.

College: _____
 Major: _____
 Start Date: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____
 Degree Sought (circle one): Certificate/Diploma Associate Degree Bachelor's Degree

On a separate sheet of paper, please provide the following utilizing 500 words or less:

Personal Statement: Discuss why you believe you should be considered for the FFFCU Scholarship Program.

Video Essay: Submit a video (two-three minutes in length) discussing:

1. What are your immediate financial goals?
2. What tools can Family Focus FCU offer to help you achieve your goals?

I declare the attached essay is my original work, and all other personal information included on the application is true. I understand all submitted material becomes the property of Family Focus Federal Credit Union. I further understand any statements or comments found to be invalid will disqualify my application in the selection process and that I am eligible to win a limit of one scholarship from Family Focus FCU. I agree to cooperate with Family Focus Federal Credit Union in promotional activities related to the scholarship competition and, should I be selected a recipient, give them permission to use my name, video submission and photo in promotional activities.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Applicant or Legal Representative (if student is under 18 years old)

NOTE: PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL REQUIRED ITEMS LISTED ON PAGE 2 ARE INCLUDED BEFORE SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION