



## **2019 MEMBERS CHOICE FINANCIAL CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**Members Choice Financial Credit Union Scholarship Program was established to provide educational funds for young members. Scholarships will be awarded annually to a graduating high school senior or continuing higher education student.**

Members Choice Financial Credit Union will be awarding two educational scholarships for the 2019/2020 school year. Each scholarship in the amount of \$1000.00 will be awarded to a graduating high school senior planning to attend an accredited college, university, or trade school or continuing higher education student.

Scholarship winners will be chosen and announced by May 15th, 2019

### **Eligibility**

Each applicant must be a member in good standing of the Members Choice Financial Credit Union.

Each applicant must be a 2019 graduating high school senior or continuing higher education student.

Applicant must have a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA.

Applicants must submit online a completed application and a 200-word essay pertaining to the Topic. Essays will be scored with attention given to content, spelling, grammar, validity, sincerity, and the applicant's ability to answer the question.

Applicants must submit an official high school transcript or continuing education transcript for the most current semester available, with the total cumulative grade point average (GPA) on the transcript.

**\*\*Transcripts must be received by Members Choice Financial Credit Union, Attn: Emily Showers, 390 Walnut St. Danville PA 17821; directly from the school in a sealed envelope by the deadline of April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019.**

**Topic: Credit Union membership is growing; however, credit unions only hold a small percentage in the financial services industry. What are the most important factors behind the choices individuals make in selecting a financial partner? How would you go about increasing Credit Union awareness?**



## Scholarship Application

**Completed Application and all documentation must be received by the deadline date of April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

Students Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home/Cell phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Account number \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

High School/College \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

College or University you plan to/are attending \_\_\_\_\_

What field of study will the scholarship be used for? \_\_\_\_\_

**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ARE CURRENT ONLY FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR SUBMITTED**

**I certify that the information in this application and all enclosed documents are true and correct. I also certify that I personally answered all questions and wrote the essay relating to this scholarship application. I understand that if for any reason I discontinue my studies I must notify Members Choice Financial Credit Union within 10 days. I agree that the Credit Union may use my name and possible photograph for publicity purposes.**

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**APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**DATE**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**DATE**

## Extracurricular Interests & Community Service

Please list any interest you have outside of your normal mandatory education. Include any leadership positions you have held within your community and/or school during the past 4 years. (example: student council president, team captain etc.); athletics, club memberships and community service.

EXTRA CURRICULAR/COMMUNITY SERVICE	COMMENTS/POSITION HELD	DATES (TO AND FROM)

List any honors, awards, scholarships or grants you have received.

HONORS, AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS, ETC	COMMENTS	GRADE LEVEL

## Employment Background

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT	HIRE DATES (TO AND FROM)	HOURS PER WEEK
JOB DUTIES:		
PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT	HIRE DATES (TO AND FROM)	HOURS PER WEEK
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### Awarding of Scholarships:

**Members Choice Financial Credit Union reserves the right to withhold the award of all scholarships if too few qualified applications are received. Decisions will not be based on default. One scholarship application will be accepted per applicant. Decisions are made by the Members Choice Financial Credit Union Scholarship selection committee. All decisions are final.**

**For further information call the Credit Union toll-free at 800.834.0082.**