2022 United Educators Foundation Scholarship Program

Education Major Application Packet

Award Amount	$1,500.00
Number of Winners	1
Who can apply?	Current college students, majoring in Education, entering their Junior or Senior year in the fall of 2022. This award is intended for those soon to be entering the field for the first time. Those currently working in education while completing their degree should apply for the Educator Award.
Is an Expedition Credit Union membership required?	No – if student is attending an accredited school in the state of Minnesota. Yes – if the student is attending an accredited school outside the state of Minnesota, applicant must be a member of Expedition Credit Union (formerly United Educators Credit Union), or the child, grandchild, or dependent of a current member.
Application Deadline	**Friday, February 4, 2022**

Application Checklist

- ☐ Participation Details
- ☐ Essay
- ☐ Two Letters of Recommendation
- ☐ Official Transcripts

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Eligibility and Requirements

One award will be given to a college student majoring in Education and entering their Junior or Senior year in the fall of 2022. Applicants must be attending an accredited college or university in the state of Minnesota or be an Expedition Credit Union (formerly United Educators Credit Union) member or the child, grandchild, or dependent of a member. It is *not* necessary to demonstrate a financial need for the award. This award is intended for those soon to be entering the field for the first time. Those currently working in education while completing their degree should apply for the Educator Award.

Selection

The recipient will be selected by a Scholarship Committee to be named by the Foundation Board of Directors. Decisions of the Scholarship Committee are final and are not subject to review.

Basis of Selection

The applicants will be scored on the following areas:

Participation	6 points	See attached form.
Essay Response	6 points	See attached form.
Recommendations	5 points	Submit **two** letters from teachers, school counselors, supervisors, community leaders, etc. These letters may be mailed separately to ensure confidentiality.
Academic Record	3 points	Submit your **official** college transcripts.

Submitting Your Application

The deadline for submitting applications is **February 4, 2022**.

There are three ways to complete the scholarship application:

- Complete the [online application](#), upload supporting documents, and submit!

- Visit the credit union web site (www.expeditioncu.com/scholarships) to complete the online PDF application and e-mail the Applicant Details, Participation Form, and Essay Response to scholarships@uecu.coop. If you complete the online PDF application and submit via email, please ensure your recommendations and transcripts are mailed or delivered to the credit union by the application deadline.

- Or, you may choose to simply answer the questions on the Applicant Details, Participation Form, and Essay Response in typed form, and mail or hand deliver it.

Note: Application materials should be typed before being submitted. *Handwritten applications will be disqualified.*

Disclosure Policy

Once applications are received, they are considered property of the Foundation. All applications will be destroyed following the selection of the winner. In respect of our applicants' privacy, all applications, forms, and details will only be shared with the Scholarship Selection Committee.

Scholarship Recipient agreement

The scholarship recipient agrees to submit a photo to the Foundation at the time of receiving the award and agrees to have their full name and brief biography used in Foundation and credit union newsletters and publications.

The award will be given in the form of a check made out to the winner and the school they are attending.