

2022 United Educators Foundation Scholarship Program

High School Student Application Packet

Award Amount	\$1,000.00	
Number of Winners	3	
Who can apply?	Graduating High School Seniors	
Is an Expedition Credit Union	YES. Students must be a member of Expedition Credit Union	
membership required?	(Formerly United Educators Credit Union) OR be the child, grandchild,	
	or dependent of a current credit union member.	
Application Deadline	Friday, February 4, 2022	

Application Checklist

	Participation	Details
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□ Essay

□ Two Letters of Recommendation

Official Transcripts

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High School Student Application Instructions

Eligibility

The Student award is for graduating high school seniors. You must be a member of Expedition Credit Union (formerly United Educators Credit Union), or the child, grandchild, or dependent of a member to be eligible for the award. You must be planning to attend a university, college, or community college in the **fall of 2022**. It is *not* necessary to demonstrate a financial need for the award.

Selection

Three recipients 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 of recommendation from teachers, school counselors, supervisors, community leaders, etc. These items may be mailed separately to ensure confidentiality.

Academic Record 3 points Submit your official high school transcripts; include the first term of senior year.

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 any 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.

Mailed applications should be addressed to Expedition Credit Union, Attn: Foundation Scholarship Committee, 1270 Northland Drive, Suite 350, Mendota Heights, MN 55120, postmarked no later than **February 4, 2022**. Incomplete applications and those postmarked later than February 4, 2022, will not be considered. Applications may also be delivered in person to any Expedition Credit Union office on or before February 4, 2022.

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 Committee.

Scholarship Recipient Agreement

The scholarship recipients agree to submit a photo to the Foundation at the time of receiving the award and agree to have their full names and brief biographies used in Foundation and credit union newsletters and publications.

The awards will be given in the form of a check made out to the winner and the school they are attending. If, at the time of the award the school is unknown, United Educators Foundation will hold the funds until a school is selected.