

Scholarship Program

The Maine Family Federal Credit Union began its scholarship program to applaud the accomplishments of our student members and to support their continued education and training beyond high school. Each spring we award three scholarships named after the founders and leaders of Maine Family Federal Credit Union:

The Founders Scholarship Award for \$1,000
The Maurice Fontaine Sr. Scholarship Award for \$1,000
The Roger Bissonnette Scholarship Award for \$1,000

The award winners are announced each May. The scholarship money will be paid directly to the college, university or technical school the student recipient is attending at the beginning of the second semester of their freshman year. The recipients shall be limited to one scholarship award. Maine Family is proud to recognize the motivation to learn and achievements of deserving students in our community.

Eligibility

1. Applicant must be a member of Maine Family Federal Credit Union.*
2. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior.
3. Applicant must be accepted as an incoming freshman to a two-year community college, four-year college or university or technical school.
4. Students must begin within one year of the award.

Maine Family Federal Credit Union Employees, Board Members, Supervisory Committee Members and/or family members in their household are not eligible to participate.

Requirements

1. Completed application and essay received no later than **Thursday, April 1, 2010**. Applications may be delivered in person or mailed to Scholarship Committee, 555 Sabattus Street, Lewiston, ME 04240.
2. Copy of letter of acceptance from the college or university of choice.
3. Three letters of recommendation from teachers, counselors or community leaders.

Selection

Applications will be sent collectively to the Scholarship Committee after the application deadline. Judging is based on information gathered through the application — motivation to continue education, achievements (honors, awards), extracurricular activities, work or volunteer experience, references and the written essay (Transcript is not required for this scholarship application). The essay is judged on content, creativity and clarity. Spelling, grammatical or typographical errors may disqualify your entry. Upon the arrival of your completed application, Maine Family will mail you a confirmation letter. Scholarship winners will be notified personally by May 15, 2010. Winners will be asked to submit a photo for publication in our membership newsletter. Awards will be presented at the winners' school scholarship or award ceremonies.

Maine Family Federal Credit Union reserves the right to discontinue this scholarship program at any time without notice. Maine Family Federal Credit Union reserves the right not to award any scholarships should there be no qualified applicants.

*If the student is not a member of Maine Family Federal Credit Union, he or she may join the credit union by opening a share account with a minimum balance of \$25.00 prior to submitting an application. To qualify for membership, the student must live, attend school, worship or work within Androscoggin County or have an immediate family member that meets the previously mentioned criteria.



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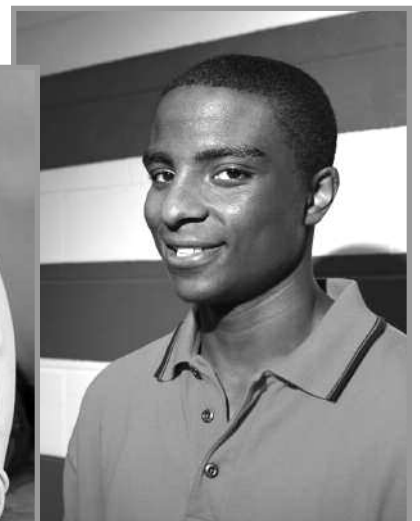


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Application Deadline: April 1, 2010



Member's Name

Maine Family Account #

Address

City, State, Zip

Telephone

Birth date

High School

High School Address and City

Guidance Counselor/Advisor

High School Phone Number

Program, College or University you plan to attend

Mailing Address

City, State, Zip

Expected Enrollment Date

Intended Area of Study

Parents'/Guardians' Names

Please write legibly or type your response to the following questions:

1. What is your motivation for continuing your education?

2. List any honors and awards you have received in school or at work.

3. List any extracurricular activities with your school or community.

4. Complete the following sentence: I have demonstrated leadership ability or good citizenship in the following situations...

5. List your work or volunteer experience.

6. With your completed application, please submit a one-page, typed double-spaced essay on the following topic:
How will the credit union of the future serve its members, especially those between the ages of 16 and 22?

Certification and Release Authorization

I/We certify that this information is complete and accurate. I/We authorize the release of this information to confirm and/or verify this application. I/We further grant unto Maine Family Federal Credit Union the right to use my name and/or photograph in connection with Maine Family Federal Credit Union promotions, including advertising, related to this scholarship program. This grant is made without claim of any kind, including compensation.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian's Signature

Date