



\$5,500 to Award to High School Seniors!

**Homebase Credit Union is proud to offer four (4) awards to graduating high school seniors:
One (1) top award of \$2,500 • Three (3) awards of \$1,000 each**

Please read carefully. You will be asked to sign your application stating that you have read and understood this information.

Questions about the application process? Email scholarships@homebasecu.org

Note: please DO NOT send application documents to this address.

Who is eligible to apply?

- The applicant must be a high school senior **entering into any area of study at a two- or four-year college/university or pursuing a certificate or technical degree at a career or technical school.**
- The applicant must have a share (savings) account with his or her name as the primary member at Homebase Credit Union.
- Not yet a member? **Join online at homebasecu.org**
- **New Members please note:** While there is no minimum length of membership required, membership documents must be processed prior to scholarship deadline.

How do I apply?

- Neatly print or type the application. All attachments must be typed. The application must be signed (digitally or by hand if printed).
- All information given on the application must be true.
- Applications may be submitted through homebasecu.org/scholarships, hand-delivered to a branch, or mailed to:

Homebase Credit Union
Attention: Scholarship
4495 Crossings Blvd.
Prince George, VA 23875

- If uploading documents, **please save files as PDFs** and include your name on each document. Transcripts may be uploaded with the application or mailed separately.
- **Applications, transcripts and references must be received by Homebase Credit Union by end of business day on Friday, March 15, 2024. If mailing, please allow for adequate processing and shipping time. Submissions received after March 15, 2024 will not be considered.**

How are winners chosen?

- Applications are reviewed anonymously by a neutral selection committee. Decisions made by the Homebase Credit Union Scholarship Committee are final.
- Selection criteria may include, but are not limited to: GPA, extra-curricular and/or community involvement, career goals and written skills.
- Only scholarship winners will be notified in April 2024.

How will I receive scholarship funds?

- In order to receive scholarship proceeds, winner must be registered as a full-time student and submit a class schedule for his or her first semester in college/trade school.



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Homebase Credit Union Excellence in Leadership Scholarship Application

For internal use:
Applicant #: _____

All information on this form will be kept strictly confidential.

Personal Information

Name: _____ Parents' Name(s): _____

Primary Contact Info. Phone: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Student must be a member to apply. How long have you been a member at Homebase CU? _____

High School Information (List most recent if more than one.)

High School: _____

Extended College, University or Technical School

College/University/Technical School you plan to attend: _____

Intended major/field of study: _____ Have you been accepted? _____

Job Information

Are you presently or have you recently worked/volunteered/apprenticed while a student? Yes No Hours per week: _____

If yes, where? _____ How long you've worked/interned/apprenticed there: _____

Job description: _____

Transcripts and Class Information

Please include high school transcripts with this application. Your transcripts must include Freshman year through the first semester of Senior year, along with a copy of your second semester Senior class schedule. If you attended more than one high school, multiple transcripts may need to be submitted.

Activity List and Essay Questions (ALL questions must be answered.)

TYPE responses to the following questions on separate sheet(s) of paper. (Note: do not use acronyms; use full names of organizations.)

- 1) List your school and community extracurricular activities. Include the number of years in each activity and any leadership positions you have held.
- 2) List any awards, honors, and/or achievements.
- 3) Describe an example of how your leadership qualities and experience have led you to positively influence others and/or improve your community. (300 words or less)
- 4) What are your career goals, and how will this scholarship help with your education and/or training? (200 words or less)

References

List two individuals who are willing to evaluate you for a scholarship. They may be teachers, mentors, coaches, or other personal references; however, **at least one reference must be a teacher**. Have each person complete an evaluation form and include with this application (or references may be submitted through our online portal at homebasecu.org/scholarship).

1. _____ 2. _____

I have read the eligibility requirements and understand their meaning. Also, I am and will be in good standing with my High School Code of Ethics Policy.

Student Signature

Date

Homebase Credit Union Scholarship Application Applicant Evaluation Form

After completion of this form, please return to the student, or submit through our online portal at homebasecu.org/scholarships

Applicant's Name: _____

Reference's Name: _____

Reference's Subject Area: _____

Total time you have worked with applicant (years or semesters):

Additional Comments:

Reference's Evaluation of Student

Please rate student in each category:

4 = Outstanding

3 = Above Average

2 = Average

1 = Below Average

_____ Work Habits

_____ Performance

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