



Suncoast Credit Union Scholarship

Requirements:

- Must be a high school senior at time of application.
- Must reside in the United States.
- This award is for international and U.S. students.
- Must plan to attend accredited 4-year, 2-year, trade/vocational school in the State of Florida.
- Must demonstrate financial need.
- Must be a resident of one of the following counties in Florida: Charlotte, Citrus, Collier, De Soto, Glades, Hardee, Hendry, Hernando, Highlands, Hillsborough, Lee, Levy, Manatee, Marion, Pasco, Pinellas, Sarasota, & Sumter.
- Must have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and received the Electronic Student Aid Report (SAR).
- Students who are Directors, employees, or family members of Directors or employees of Suncoast Credit Union, MEMBERS Title Company, MEMBERS Insurance Center, LLC or MEMBERS Trust Company are not eligible for this Scholarship.

Guidelines for Submission:

- Two \$2,000 scholarships will be awarded by Suncoast Credit Union for an eligible senior (see details above)
- Items needed for student submission:
 - A completed application form
 - Transcripts to date from the guidance office
 - 1 Letter of Recommendation from a teacher, administrator, employer or community leader
 - Copy of FASFA Form (First 2 pages)
 - Essay (See below for essay requirements)
- **Please write an essay of 500 words** describing the student's personality, hope and dreams and why he/she needs this scholarship. (The essay should be typed on a separate sheet of paper.)

Failure to follow all of the guidelines for Submission will result in your not being considered for a scholarship.



Student's Name: _____

Address with zip code: _____

Telephone: _____ Social Security #: _____

High School: _____ Birth date: _____

College you plan to attend: _____

College address with zip code: _____

GPA _____ SAT Score _____ and/or ACT Score _____

Career Goal: _____

Have you applied for any other scholarships? _____ Please list names and amount.

To date, have you received any other scholarship funding? Yes ____ No ____

If so, which scholarship(s) have you received?

Extra- Curricular Activities – Organizations, Clubs, Sports, Band, Chorus, Drama, etc. (please indicate any office held): _____

Honors and Awards: _____

Community or Other Activities: _____

Student's signature: _____ Date: _____

Submit your application, essay, & letter of recommendation by **Tuesday, March 28th, 2017 no later than 4:00p.m.** to the address below.

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