



MCCU Scholarships for Graduating Seniors

Matagorda County Credit Union is a member owned financial institution located in Bay City, Texas since 1962. We provide friendly, professional, and quality financial service to our members. MCCU has grown from a Teachers Credit Union to opening our membership to individuals who live, work, attend school, or worship in Matagorda, Wharton, or Brazoria County.

MCCU understands the academic and financial commitment that college plays in a young person's life. MCCU is committed to do our part by offering our first MCCU scholarship to dedicated students from our membership entering college or an accredited trade school. MCCU is proud to offer two \$1,000.00 scholarships to students that are committed to continuing their education.

Eligible Applicants Must:

- Be a member in good standing or parent/guardian must be a member in good standing for no less than 6 months prior to application.
- Be a graduating high school, senior student in Matagorda, Wharton, or Brazoria County.
- Demonstrate commitment to the community.

All Applicants Must Submit:

- Provide a copy of your current transcript. Include any college credits and SAT/ACT scores.
- Complete all sections of the application including a typed essay of approximately 500 words based on the topic and questions provided.
- Applications and all documents must be completed and turned in to Matagorda County Credit Union by 4:00pm Friday, April 12, 2024. Applications may be submitted in person, through the mail or by e-mail to mneel@matagordaccu.com with the word "scholarship" in the subject line.

Awards will be presented for the following fall semester. Scholarship funding will be issued to the Bursar's Office at the recipient's college once proof of enrollment and course registration for the first college semester is provided.

All entries become the sole property of MCCU. Winners will be chosen from all eligible applicants based on the answers to questions on the application and judgment of the essay submitted. All efforts will be made to keep the process and decision objective and all decisions are final.



MCCU Scholarship Application

Personal Information

MCCU Account Number: _____ (Applicant's or Parent/Guardian's)

Name on Account: _____

Parents Name: _____ Phone: _____

Student Information

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Name _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____

High School

Name: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Graduation Date: _____ GPA at present: _____

List three (3) of your most significant awards and honors you have received in or outside of school and briefly explain what they meant to you.

Name and address of College, University, Trade or Craft School you will attend:

Field of Study:

I certify that the information in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Student

Date

SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY

Please answer the following question by attaching your typed, double-spaced essay response. (Entries should be approximately 500 words, and we strongly encourage creativity.)

If you could change one thing to better your community, what would it be? Why is it important to you, and how would you contribute to this change?