

# **Acadian Federal Credit Union**

2025 Scholarship Information Sheet

### Eligibility: Graduating High School Seniors and Current College/Technical School Students

To be considered for the Acadian Federal Scholarship, the applicant must:

- Be a member in good standing with Acadian Federal Credit Union
- Be graduating from high school in the spring of 2025, or currently enrolled in undergraduate studies at an accredited college, university, or technical school or with plans to attend an accredited college, university or technical school full-time in the fall of 2025.
- Have maintained a 3.0 GPA based on 6 high school semesters or 1 most recent, completed college semester
- Complete an application and personal essay.

Acadian Federal applicants must be **active members at least 6 months.** Previous recipients of Acadian Federal program are not eligible to apply.

#### Application Package:

All applicants must submit an application package which includes:

- A completed application
- A current high school transcript or college transcript
- Two letters of recommendation, one of which must be from a teacher from your junior or senior year (only applies to high school seniors), or your current college professor or advisor
- A personal essay

#### Application Deadline:

Completed application packages must be submitted in credit union <u>no later than 5:00 PM January 31</u>, 2025 to:

Acadian Federal Credit Union Scholarship Program 102 Sunbeam Lane Lafayette, LA 70506

## Selection:

Each applicant's scholarship packet will be reviewed for completed information. Final selection of the scholarship recipient will be made through a random drawing at the February's Acadian Federal Credit Union's Board of Directors meeting.

### Award:

Acadian Federal Credit Union will award a \$1,500 scholarship to the designated recipient at the credit union's annual meeting to be held in March 2025. The recipient can use the scholarship for any school related expenses. The recipient will receive \$1,500 in August for the fall semester of 2025. The check will be made payable directly to the recipient when proof of registration for that semester has been provided to the CEO.

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2025 Scholarship Application

Complete the following in its entirety. You may use attachments as necessary.

# I. Personal Data

Name					
	First	Middle	Last		
Address					
_	Street	City/State	Zip		
Age	Date of Birth_	US Citizen (	Y/N)Other		
Telephone # Fax #		_ Fax # l	E-Mail		
Applican	nt Credit Union Ac	ccount Number (student r	nust have their own account)		
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(Parent o	or Legal Guardian	)			
Mother:	Name	Occı	upation		
Father: Name		Occi	Occupation		
Name of	School (only applies	to high school seniors)			
College/	University/Vo-Te	ch School you plan to or c	currently attend		
Anticipa	ted or current Fiel	d of Study			

# II Essay Requirement

Please attach an essay on the following topics: Why do you believe you are deserving of this scholarship, what are your goals for the future, and how do you plan to achieve those goals. The essay will be disqualified if it is more than 2 pages in length (using a 12 point font and double spacing).

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Name	Address	Po	sition
School and Co	nmunity Activities		
service includi		ademic and athletic club mo inteer experience. Please unny.	
Organization name and leadership position held	Type of work/activity	Time commitment per week or month	Dates affiliated
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A. Honor Soci	ety		
B. National Ac	chievements		
C. Scholarship	Awards		
D. Other (desc	ribe)		
		ll accompanying documents ar essay relating to this scholars	hip application. I agree t
at I personally answere	Inion may use my name and	possibly photograph (furnishe	ed by recipient) for public

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References