

2025 Statewide College Scholarship Program

Thank you for your interest in our scholarship program, offered in partnership with the New York Credit Union Association. Please review the following instructions carefully before completing your application.

Note: You must be a member of Finger Lakes Federal Credit Union to apply for a college scholarship through this program. If you are not currently a member, please call your local branch to learn how to join. (*Fairport & Webster Credit Union are divisions of Finger Lakes so members are eligible.*)

1. Complete and save the scholarship application form. Please use only the space provided on the form to answer the questions. Other than where specified on the application form, no attachments, resumes, pictures or other materials of any kind should be submitted or used to answer the questions.
2. You and your parent or guardian **must sign** the Certification and Release Authorization on the back page of the application form.
3. *You must obtain a credit union verification code to verify eligibility. Please contact Shona DeCann at 315-781-1334 ext. 135 or email hr@flfcu.org to receive this verification code.*
4. Submit your application online at <https://nycua.org/uniting/scholarship-program/college-scholarship-program-applicants> by **January 17, 2025**.

***READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY ON SUBMITTING APPLICATION**

*** Please fill out your name and email address for both the *Nominee* and *Nominated By* sections.**

Please disregard the *Reasons for Nomination* section.

- a high school transcript documenting your GPA for grades 9-11; and
- an essay response.

If any portion is incomplete or not included, the application will not be considered.

Please save and upload the documents as three separate files (**pdf, Word, jpg only; Google Docs will not be accepted**):

1. Last Name, First Name, Application
2. Last Name, First Name, Transcript
3. Last Name, First Name, Essay

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact **Shona DeCann** at **315-781-1334 ext. 135**. Winner notifications will be sent in May 2025. Good luck and we look forward to receiving your application!

Shona DeCann

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