Annual Student Scholarship:

High School Senior (Traditional College): $1,000 (3)

Trade School Student: $500 (2)

Current College Student: $500 (2)

Master’s Program: $500 (1)

## **Criteria & Guidelines:**

* This scholarship is available to High School senior students, current college students, or current trade school students. The student must either be a member of CFFCU, have family that are members of CFFCU, or the student must reside in the CFFCU Field of membership area.
* Student grade point average requirement is 3.0 or above.
* Preference will be given to those students that can show participation in community events, volunteerism, and involvement in their community.
* Scholarship payment will be made to the scholarship winner after completion of first semester and upon proof of matriculation for next semester (if applicable).
* Applicants may be attending a 2-year or 4-year program at a community college or university, continuing education, or participating in education for a skilled trade/GTE.
* Application materials will be placed in locations that are included in Community First Federal Credit Union’s field of membership. \* *Please see field of membership at* [*www.cffcu.biz*](http://www.cffcu.biz)\*
* Deadline for this application and materials is April 1, 2020.
* Send to CFFCU by one of the following three options:

*Mail:* Community First Federal Credit Union

Attn: Scholarship Committee

9637 N. Greenville Rd.

Lakeview, MI 48850

*Email:* [dbartell@cffcu.biz](mailto:dbartell@cffcu.biz)

*Drop Off:* Any of the 4 branches (Lakeview, Howard City, Trufant, or Morley)

Student Information

**Student Full Name:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Select Your Scholarship Path:** High School Grad Current College Student Skilled Trade/GTE Master’s Program

**Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Individual with Membership at the Credit Union:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Your Relationship with that Individual:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Name and Address of your High School:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**List scholastic honors and/or school offices that you have earned during high school (Include additional items on separate piece of paper if needed):**

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**List current and past community or extra-curricular activities you have been involved with (Include additional items on separate piece of paper if needed):**

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**List your Current Grade Point Average:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**List your planned or current major course of study:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Explain why you would benefit from this scholarship opportunity:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Additional Information Needed

* Include a 250-300-word essay on the following topic:
  + Give Big
  + What Impact Do I Have on Culture?
  + Growing up in a Small-Town Community
  + Being Financially Responsible
* Include at least one letter of recommendation from someone who knows you well indicating your strengths and your areas for improvement.
* Include your official high school transcript or your official transcript from the college or trade school you are attending.