

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

**GULF
CREDIT
UNION**

LET US HELP YOU WITH YOUR

BRIGHT FUTURE

10 \$1000 SCHOLARSHIPS FOR AREA STUDENTS



DEADLINE: March 1, 2012

GULF CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

QUALIFICATIONS

Applicant must:

- Complete scholarship application.
- Submit high school transcript.
- Submit a typed one-page, double-spaced essay on why you chose your major field of study and how it relates to your career goals.
- Submit extracurricular activities and community involvement on a separate sheet.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant must:

- Be a member of Gulf Credit Union in his or her own right.
- Be a high school senior and have achieved academic proficiency (average grade of C or above).
- Be under the age of 21.

- Be planning to attend a Lamar University/College campus or have attended LEAP classes through Lamar at your high school.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS WILL BE GRADED ON THE FOLLOWING:

- Academic Performance
- Community Involvement
- Involvement in Extracurricular Activities
- Need of Scholarship

CONDITIONS

Essays, transcripts, and completed applications must be delivered to the Credit Union's Groves office no later than March 1, 2012. All entrants will receive an acknowledgment letter. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure timely delivery of the entry.

The awards are intended to help pay for tuition. Funds will be disbursed directly to the recipient's account, provided the student submits proof of enrollment.

All entries become the property of Gulf Credit Union. Essays, photos or winners, and other information may be published as deemed appropriate without further consent of the student applicant or parent/guardian.

Applicants' identities will be withheld from the judges until finalists are selected. The Scholarship Committee may conduct personal interviews of all finalists on a preset date, at which time the application will be used to establish the general character of the applicants and to help determine the winners.

GULF CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP QUESTIONNAIRE

Account number _____ Name _____

Address _____ City State Zip _____

Phone number where you can be reached between 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM _____ Home Phone Number _____

Name of High School _____

Address _____ Phone Number _____

Name of School Counselor _____ Phone Number _____

Grade Point Average on a 4.0 scale _____ Class Rank _____

Your Career Plans (use a separate sheet, if needed) _____

College(s) applied to or accepted at _____

I have answered these questions to the best of my ability and I will accept the conditions of this scholarship. I recognize that all entries and essays become the property of the Credit Union and that they may publish the entries, photos of winners, and other information as deemed appropriate without further consent of the student applicant or parent/guardian. The policies of the board of directors may be changed as required.

Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian _____ Release Date _____

Please mail completed form with your essay and transcript to: SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE, Gulf Credit Union • P.O. Box 848 • Groves, TX 77619-0848