



## ACHIEVE FINANCIAL CREDIT UNION, INC. 2017 SCHOLARSHIP

The completed application package should be submitted to:

Attn: Karen Hayes/Scholarship Committee

Achieve Financial Credit Union, Inc.

P.O. Box 7030

Berlin, CT 06037

DEADLINE: Postmarked by May 3, 2017

This scholarship is being offered to any graduating high school student who will attend a post secondary educational institution in the Fall of 2017, and who is a member of Achieve Financial Credit Union, Inc., or the child of a member of Achieve Financial Credit Union, Inc., in good standing.

Each student applying for the scholarship will **submit the enclosed application along with all supporting documents and an essay**, not to exceed 500 words, of the **value of Credit Union membership and the role Credit Unions play in the financial world.**

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*All information in this application, and any attached information, is confidential and under no circumstances will any of the information submitted be divulged except to the scholarship committee. In addition to completing the following application, you must submit the following additional information:*

1. A copy of your complete high school transcripts.
2. A copy of your SAT and/or ACH test scores.
3. A copy of your 2016 FAFSA and/or CSS Profile form.
4. A copy of your 2016-2017 Student Aid Report (SAR).
5. A letter of recommendation from your high school principal or guidance counselor.
6. A statement attesting to your rank in class.
7. An essay on the value of Credit Union membership and the role Credit Unions play in the financial world (not to exceed 500 words).
8. Reference how you are eligible, through Achieve Financial Credit Union, Inc., to apply for this scholarship.

Name in full \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_ Soc. Sec. No. \_\_\_\_\_

The student is ☐ a U.S. citizen ☐ an eligible alien ☐ neither.

Parents' current marital status is ☐ married ☐ separated ☐ divorced ☐ single

☐ widowed (☐ father deceased ☐ mother deceased)

Name of the father \_\_\_\_\_

Address of father \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation, title and place of employment of father \_\_\_\_\_

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Name of mother \_\_\_\_\_

Address of mother \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation, title and place of employment of mother \_\_\_\_\_

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If parents' file a joint income tax return, what is their total **gross annual income** (as reported on the 2016 Income Tax Return) \_\_\_\_\_

If parents' file separately, please indicate the total **gross annual income** of each parent (as reported on the 2016 Income Tax Return).

Father \_\_\_\_\_ Mother \_\_\_\_\_

Is any person obligated by support decree, or other agreement or arrangement, to provide for your education?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide details. \_\_\_\_\_

Is the student entitled to any Social Security Education benefits? ☐ Yes ☐ No.

If so, how much per year? \_\_\_\_\_

[illegible]

Place of present part or full-time employment of applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Hours worked weekly \_\_\_\_\_ Hourly or weekly wages \_\_\_\_\_

Student's **total annual income** (not including financial aid) as reported on *Form 1040 or 1040A or 1040EZ 2016 Income Tax Form* \_\_\_\_\_

High School you are attending \_\_\_\_\_

YOU MUST ATTACH A COPY OF YOUR HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT(S)  
TO THIS APPLICATION, AS WELL AS COPIES OF YOUR SAT AND ACHIEVEMENT TEST RESULTS.

List all school activities and extent of participation during your high school years from grade 9 through 12.

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List any special *scholastic honors* with year awarded:

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List any *non-scholastic honors* and awards and year received:

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List any *community or voluntary activities* you have participated in and when:

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What are your *educational occupational* goals?

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What course of *study/program* do you wish to pursue?

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Please list, in order of preference, the college or universities to which you have applied with total annual cost of tuition, room and board you are expected to pay and any financial aid granted.

SCHOOL	ANNUAL EXPENSE	GRANTS RECEIVED	STUDENT LOANS	WORK STUDY	EXPECTED FAMILY CONTRB.

What colleges have accepted you? \_\_\_\_\_

What are your **total assets** and **how much** can you use for your schooling next year?

Total assets \_\_\_\_\_ Amount to be used for 2017-2018 \_\_\_\_\_

Have you received any financial assistance, other than from parents or college/university? ☐ Yes ☐ No.  
If so, from whom, when and what amount?

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In consideration of the facts herein set forth, I respectfully petition that scholarship aid be granted me for the 2017-2018 school year. Such aid to be paid only in the case I secure admission as a degree candidate. The scholarship will be paid no later than prior to the start of the second semester. I affirm that to the best of my knowledge the information given in this application is correct.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby declare that I have read the foregoing statements and that to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true and correct.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_