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2024 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: _____ Credit Union Account # _____

Home Address: _____

City, State & Zip Code: _____ Phone #: _____

Student's Email Address: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian Full Name(s): _____

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

High School: _____

High School GPA: _____

High School Graduation _____

Date: College Attending _____

Fall 2024:

CAREER PLANS

Future Occupation: _____

Please complete this form and include with your essay, official transcript and extra-curricular resume. Send to:

Public Safety Credit Union
Attn: Jessica Bowman
2800 East 14th Street
P.O. Box 270020
Kansas City, MO 64127-0020

or email to

Jessica.Bowman@publicsafetycu.org

Applicant must have had **their own** Public Safety Credit Union membership for at least 12 months. Your application and essay **MUST BE RECEIVED** no later than **Friday, April 5, 2024**. For more information or questions, call (816) 504-2800 or email beverly.smith@publicsafetycu.org. **Carefully read and follow all directions.**

All applicants will receive consideration for a scholarship without regard to sex, race, color, national origin or ancestry, religion, age, handicap, financial need or marital status.



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Certification and Release Authorization

I certify this information to be true, complete and accurate. I also authorize release of information to confirm and/or verify this application. If I am awarded a scholarship, Public Safety Credit Union may use my name and/or photo for publicity purposes.

Student's Signature: _____ Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

(Student & Parent/Guardian must sign application to qualify.)



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SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM GENERAL INFORMATION

2024 kicks off the 21st Annual Marie "Ma" Brown Scholarship Program sponsored by the Public Safety Credit Union. A \$2,000 scholarship will be awarded to a qualified member.

Qualifications:

- High School **SENIOR** graduating in Spring 2024.
- Full-time attendance at an accredited college or university in Fall 2024.
- Applicant must be a Credit Union member in good standing for a minimum of twelve months.
- GPA of 2.5 or greater.

What You Need To Do:

- Write an original essay of 1,000 words or less on the topic provided below.
- Provide an **official transcript** from your high school.
- Include an Activities/Extra Curricular/Community Service Resume with your application. Please list any activities you have participated in during your high school years including but not limited to clubs, sports, social, school based, religious or community organizations, volunteer work, etc.
- Complete the Scholarship Application form.
- Return all of the above to Public Safety CU, 2800 E. 14TH Street, Kansas City, MO 64127, Attn: Marketing or email to jessica.bowman@publicsafetycu.org, no later than **Friday, April 5, 2024**.

TOPIC:

What makes your credit union different than a for-profit financial institution and how does your credit union demonstrate credit union's "people helping people" philosophy?

Guidelines:

- Essay will be judged on proper use of grammar, spelling, ideas and content.
- Essay must be typed and double-spaced using an 11 point font.
- Please include your full name in the bottom right-hand corner of the essay response.
- A minimum of two judges will evaluate all essays. Organization, grammar, punctuation and creativity will be considered.
- The applicant's identity will be concealed until the selection process is complete.

The Scholarship Program is yet another way your Credit Union helps members and their families achieve financial and academic success. We hope you will participate and take advantage of this opportunity. Good luck and best wishes as you build your future.

Incomplete Submissions will be disqualified.