

United Bay Community Credit Union will provide \$500 scholarships to selected high school seniors who are pursuing a post-secondary education. Any high school senior who meets the eligibility criteria is welcome to apply.

## Eligibility

Eligibility criteria include:

- Membership at United Bay Community Credit Union as of January 1, 2025.
- Plans to attend any post-secondary education institution. Eligible education institutions include universities, colleges, technical schools, trade and vocational institutions. A letter of acceptance from the educational institution is required. The letter may be submitted with the application or at a later date.
- A high school GPA of a 3.0 or better.
- A written essay on the importance of having good credit. The essay should be a minimum of 75 words and no more than 150.
- · Ubay employees and board members and their immediate family members are not eligible.

## **Application Process**

In order for an application to be considered, all applicants must submit the following information to United Bay Community Credit Union by Monday, March 17, 2025:

- Completed scholarship application
- High school transcript
- Essay
- · Letter of acceptance to any post-secondary education institution

Acceptance letter can be submitted at a later date or prior to payment, if selected. Submit information to:

United Bay Community Credit Union Attention: Bree Melton 1309 N. Lincoln Avenue Bay City, MI 48708

## Selection Process

A committee will review the applications and select the scholarship recipients. Applications will be assessed based on extracurricular involvement, work experience, the written essay and GPA. The essay is judged on content, creativity, and clarity.

Winners will be notified by mail in April 2025.

If you have any questions, please contact Bree Melton at (989) 891-1674.