



## Sunrise Credit Union Scholarship

### Introduction

Sunrise Credit Union is proud to support community members enrolled in post-secondary education with the opportunity to receive a scholarship. Education is an integral part of the success of our communities. We are proud to support students by helping them reach their goals through scholarships.

### Purpose

Sunrise Credit Union scholarships reward excellence and are awarded yearly based on academic standing, leadership, extracurricular activities, volunteerism and community involvement. The Sunrise Credit Union Scholarship Program distributes up to \$25,000 annually to deserving individuals. There will be a minimum of fourteen (14) education awards annually:

- 1 - \$5,000 scholarship for a high school graduate seeking post-secondary education.
- 1 - \$3,000 scholarship for a first-year student continuing their education at Brandon University.
- 1 - \$3,000 scholarship for a first-year student continuing their education at Assiniboine Community College.
- 1 - \$3,000 scholarship for a summer student working at Sunrise Credit Union.
- 10 - \$1,000 scholarships for High School graduates seeking post-secondary education.

### Eligibility

- Applicants must be members of Sunrise Credit Union or children/dependents of members.
- Applicants must be high school students graduating in June 2024 or currently enrolled in an approved post-secondary institution.
- Applicants must be enrolled to attend an approved post-secondary institution full-time and provide proof of enrollment.
- Sunrise Credit Union employees, the Board of Directors, and their immediate family members are eligible to apply.

### Application

Applications must complete the application form fully; failure to do so may result in the application being excluded from consideration.

Students must provide a 500 to 800-word essay or a 2-3-minute video, with their application, on one of the following topics:

- How have you contributed to your community and made it a better place to live?
- How do your principles and standards align with Sunrise Credit Union's Values?
- Discuss the importance of diversity and inclusion in today's society and how you have contributed to promoting these values.
- Explain the importance of financial literacy and how you plan to manage your finances in the future.
- What are your most meaningful achievements, and how do they relate to your field of study and future goals?

All applications must be received no later than April 30, 2024. Applications must be submitted before the deadline to [marketing@sunrisecu.mb.ca](mailto:marketing@sunrisecu.mb.ca) or by mail:

**Sunrise Credit Union – Scholarships**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, 2305 Victoria Avenue**  
**Brandon, Manitoba**  
**R7B 4H7**

A selection committee will review the application and select scholarship recipients.

### **Terms and Conditions**

1. By completing the application form, the applicants agree to Sunrise Credit Union using their essay or video for promotional purposes and consent to allow Sunrise Credit Union to use and publicly display their image in photographs or videos in any written, electronic or visual publication in any media and release Sunrise from all claims, obligations and liabilities of every nature in kind arising out of related to such use or public display or depiction of their image.
2. Successful candidates will be contacted by phone or email after selection.
3. If a scholarship award is approved, it will be disbursed directly to your Sunrise Credit Union account.