

William L. Armstrong Scholarship

Two \$500.00 scholarships will be awarded annually to a credit union member who is graduating from high school. The scholarship funds will be used for secondary school expenses. Schools approved by the state of Tennessee for lottery scholarships are approved schools. To be considered for a scholarship, students should complete the Scholarship Application below and satisfy the requirements listed within the application. The deadline for applications is **April 15, 2012**. Credit Union employees and their immediate families are not eligible.

Who is eligible

- High school seniors graduating in 2012
- High school applicants must be enrolled at high schools approved by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
- Applicants must have a minimum 3.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale
- Applicants must plan to enter college for the summer or fall semester of 2012
- Financial need may be a consideration

How and When to Apply

- Submit a copy of your school records to confirm a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or above on a 4.0 scale
- Submit a 500 word, typed essay on **How can one person make a difference in this big world?**
- If financial need is to be considered, submit an explanation of need in a maximum 100 word typed separate from the required essay. Financial records may be additionally required
- Submit a letter of recommendation: from your high school principal, guidance counselor, teacher or a community leader
- Submit evidence of ongoing service to your community
- The completed application, essay, reference letters and community service details must be received by the Scholarship Committee no later than .

Mail to:

- NCCU Scholarship Committee
Northeast Community Credit Union,
980 Jason Witten Way
Elizabethton, TN. 37643

Selection Process and Scholarship Award

- An independent Scholarship Selection Committee will be appointed by the Board of Directors of NCCU.
- Scholarships will be awarded to qualified applicants on a nondiscriminatory basis
- Recipients must submit evidence of acceptance and enrollment in an accredited college or university before payment will be made

William L. Armstrong Scholarship Application

Please give complete and accurate answers to all questions. Your completed application will be seen only by authorized persons associated with the scholarship program and will be held in confidence by them.

Student Information

Full name _____

Credit Union Account# _____ Date of Birth _____

Permanent Address _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email address _____

College you plan to attend and date you plan to enroll _____

College address _____ City, St _____

Present high school you are attending _____

Graduating Year _____

Community Service Activities _____

I hereby give the NCCU Scholarship Committee permission to review my credit union membership records and to investigate my school records to complete the selection process for a scholarship award. If selected to receive a scholarship, I agree that NCCU may use my name and photograph (which I will supply) for publicity purposes.

Signature of Student Applicant _____

Parent - Guardian Information

Full name _____

Home Address _____

Daytime Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

E-Mail address _____

I certify that all the information I have provided is true and complete.

Signature of Parent _____