Are you headed off to college or trade school in 2022? Well ***(Credit Union Name)***is pleased to announce our college scholarship to make it easier for you to meet tuition costs. The $12,000 Credit Union College Scholarship Program for 2022 is now accepting applications! College-bound members are eligible to apply for one of ten $1,000 essay-based scholarships - one $1,000 video-based scholarship; and one $1,000 photo-based scholarship. And, yes, you may apply in all three categories!

***(If your Credit Union provides any other incentive for members to participate, like a chance to win a gift card, etc., place that copy here)***

Deadline for applications is March 31, 2022. Scholarship winners will be announced in May 2022.

This year’s essay topic:
“*In life, things can happen fast. Describe a sudden change in your life, real or imagined, that presented a financial challenge and describe how your credit union helped you get through it.”*

This year’s video topic*:*“*You’re suddenly confronted with an unexpected financial challenge. Create a 60-second video depicting the challenge and how your credit union helped you successfully handle it.*

This year’s photo theme is:
“Respect”

Any member of ***(Credit Union Name)***entering their freshmen through senior year of college or trade school may apply.

“We’re pleased to offer this opportunity for our young members,” said ***(Your Credit Union CEO, Chair, etc.)***. “The awardees receive needed financial assistance to help them meet their tuition expenses and the application topics stimulate innovative and useful responses to help us better serve our college-aged members.”

Applications are accepted online at:

 [cufound.org/scholarship](http://www.cufound.org/scholarship)

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