



26th Annual Scholarship

Align Credit Union is committed to helping our members achieve their educational goals. As a result, the Align Credit Union Scholarship Program was created in 1994 as a means of assisting our members in their pursuit of higher education. Over the past 25 years, we have awarded over 250 scholarships and we are proud to offer our members the opportunity to apply for our scholarship program.

Who is eligible to apply for the scholarship?

You are eligible to apply if you are a current member of Align with your own account. You must be a graduating high school senior or current college student who will be enrolled in an undergraduate course of study during the 2019 - 2020 school year. If you are not currently a member, you may join Align and become eligible to apply. Please contact us if you would like more information on Align membership.

Please return the following:

1. Complete and Signed Application
2. Recent High School or College Transcript
3. Personal Statement Sheet (one page, please include with application)
4. Proof of acceptance or current enrollment in a full time course of undergraduate study at a university, college, community college or accredited institution for post-secondary vocational education.
5. Name and Likeness release form
6. Do not include this page in your application
7. Please, do not staple any papers together and avoid folding if possible

The Scholarship Committee will review all applications and make selections based on qualifications as submitted.

All entries must be postmarked by or hand delivered to an Align branch **no later than May 3, 2019**. Applications received after that date, or with incomplete or missing documents will not be eligible.

**Winners will be notified by mail after May 31st, 2019.
Align will award the payment directly to the winners.**

Please contact Eric at elustenberger@AlignCU.com or 978-275-2790 with any questions.

Mail Completed Applications to:

Eric Lustenberger
P.O. Box 7008
Lowell, MA 01852



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Application

Please print the following information.

Applicant's Credit Union Member Number:

Applicants Name:

Date of Birth:

Address:

Home Phone #:

City:

State:

Zip:

Accepted/Enrolled at:

Starting Date:

City:

State:

Zip:

Indicate year in school for which scholarship is applicable:

Freshman

Sophomore

Junior

Senior

Other

Please list the following on the next sheet (or supply your own):

- Honors / Awards
- Extracurricular / Community Service activities
- Leadership Positions held (elected or appointed)

Personal Statement (one page - use following sheet or can be typed)

Please state your reasons for continuing your education and include the two or three most important objectives in your life after your education is complete.

I hereby certify that all information that I have provided on this statement and throughout this application is true and complete. I agree that Align Credit Union may use my name and photograph for publicity purposes if I am selected as a scholarship recipient.

Signature:

Date:

Honors / Awards:

Extracurricular / Community Service Activities:

Leadership Positions Held (elected or appointed):



Name and Likeness Release Form

Date: _____

I, _____ authorize Align Credit Union to retain my name, specific statements and/or photographs taken of me at Align Credit Union for marketing services and tools associated with and produced by Align Credit Union (including radio, website, photograph, and/or print presentations).

Your signature allows Align Credit Union to use your name, specific statements, and/or photographs taken at Align Credit Union in the above manner and certifies that you have read the above statements and agree to the disclosed terms.

Member Name: _____

Member Number: _____

Parent/Guardian signature (if under 18): _____