

## **Del-One Scholarship Program**

Calling all Delaware High School Seniors! Are you looking for a way to receive some extra help with college costs? Your credit union has a program just for you. Each year Del-One Federal Credit Union will award two \$1,000.00 scholarships to students that meet the eligibility requirements. This Scholarship program demonstrates our founding principle of *people helping people*. We will award scholarships to students who demonstrate academic excellence, community involvement, credit union participation and financial need.

#### Am I Eligible?

- ✓ Delaware High School student must be a Del-One member, son or daughter of a Del-One member, or grandchild of a Del-One member. (Del-One employees, volunteers and immediate families are not eligible)
- ✓ Student must begin an accredited college program no later than fall of current year.
- ✓ Must be a student in good standing.
- ✓ Student must demonstrate community involvement
- ✓ Student must submit a one-two page (maximum) essay explaining, "How this scholarship will assist in reaching educational goals and how the credit union has helped you or your family."

#### How do I apply?

Applications are available on Del-One's website: www.Del-One.org.

#### When is the application deadline?

All applications must be postmarked no later than March 15 to qualify for current year consideration.

For further information please contact Amy Resh at Del-One, 270 Beiser Blvd. Dover, Delaware 19904 or <a href="mailto:amy.resh@del-one.org">amy.resh@del-one.org</a>.

Good luck, remember that your local college or university provides financial aid programs and grant information.



### Requirements for Student Preparation of Scholarship Application

#### **APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

The student should mail or deliver the following materials as **one complete package:** 

**All** materials must be included with no exceptions. Separate mailings are not acceptable.

- **1.** Completed application form (must be typed, no handwritten copies please)
- **2.** Complete High School "official" transcript of academic records.
- 3. One-two page (maximum) essay from applicant explaining, "How this scholarship will assist you in reaching your educational goals and how the credit union has helped you or your family". (Please type, no handwritten essays)
- **4.** Summary of community involvement
- **5.** Summary of other extracurricular activities/honors received

Submit completed scholarship application packages to:

Del-One Scholarship Committee 270 Beiser Blvd. Dover, DE 19904 Attn: Amy Resh

For consideration of current calendar year, package submittals must be postmarked by <u>March 15</u>. No application packages will be accepted after that date.



Applicant Inforr	mation		
Please complete all rec	quested information		
Del-One Account N	Number	Social Security #	DOB
_ast	First		Middle Initial
Street Address			Email
City	State	Zip	Home Phone
Parent/Guardia	n or Grandparen	nt	
Del-One Account N	Number	Social Security	y #DOB
Last	First _		Middle Initial
Street Address			



Number of other far	mily members currently in colle	ge and year:	
Education Inform	mation		
High School Gradu	ation Date	GPA	Class Rank
Name of accredited	school you are planning to att	end:	
City	State	Anticipated Annua	al Cost
Major/field of study		-	
☐ 2 Year Communi	ty/Junior College □ 4 Year Co	llege/University □ Vo	ocational/Technical School
Financial Inform	ation		
Total Family Incom-	e, most recent calendar year:		
□Under \$50,000	□\$50,000 - \$100,000	over \$100,000	
Sources of Fund	ls Available For College E.	xpenses:	
Parents \$	Personal Savings \$	Other S	cholarships \$
Grants \$	Financial Aid from School S	\$ Stud	lent Loans \$



# Essay

Please attach a written essay (1-2 pages maximum) that includes the following:
1) How this scholarship will assist you in reaching your educational goals and
2) How the credit union has helped you or your family
Community Involvement & Activities Information
On a separate sheet of paper, please include a summary of community involvement and extracurricular activities you participate in. Also list any awards or honors received.
Signature
I, the applicant, certify that the information provided in this application, is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.
Signature of Applicant
Date



## **Terms and Conditions**

- 1. The Scholarship Program is designed for Delaware High School Seniors with plans of attending an accredited College or University.
- 2. Students must be a member, son or daughter of a member, or grandchild of a member of Del-One Federal Credit Union. (Del-One employees, volunteers and their immediate families or household members are not eligible for scholarships under this program).
- 3. <u>Immediate Family or Household members include</u>: spouse, children, step-children, parents, step-parents, siblings (brothers & sisters), step-siblings, adopted children, grandparents, & grandchildren. Household members include: individuals living in the same residence; domestic partners; anyone who lives in the household that can prove a degree of permanency; live-in nannies; domestic workers; & foster children.
- 4. Scholarships are awarded to students in good standing who have a proven record of volunteerism in the community.
- 5. Applications must be submitted with a one-to-two page (maximum) essay explaining, "How this scholarship will assist you in reaching your educational goals and how the credit union has helped you or your family."
- 6. A summary of community service and "official" High School transcript of academic records must accompany the application.
- 7. Only full-time, currently enrolled students are considered.
- 8. Student must enroll in a College or University no later than the fall of the current school term.
- 9. All applications must be postmarked no later than <u>March 15</u> to qualify for current year consideration.
- All scholarship recipients/non-recipients will receive notification by mail.



- 11. Recipients will be asked to attend our annual meeting of members to accept the award or to make arrangements with the Del-One Scholarship Committee for the release of marketing materials.
- 12. An adult must accompany all students under the age of 18.
- 13. Financial consideration is a basis for determination.
- 14. Scholarship funds will be sent directly to the student's College or University, funds disbursal will be at the discretion of the Financial Aid Officer of the College or University, and funds will be used toward tuition only.
- 15. Checks will *not* be issued directly to the students from the Del-One Scholarship Committee.
- 16. Students that do not enroll in the fall semester as agreed will forfeit the award back to the Del-One Scholarship Program.
- 17. Del-One Federal Credit Union reserves the right to discontinue or alter the terms of this program at any time.
- 18. By applying for and receiving this scholarship; the recipient agrees to have his or her name, photograph and qualifications published for Del-One promotional purposes, free of charge.

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