



## 2004 SCHOLARSHIP AWARD PROGRAM

### **The Award**

A \$2,000 Carter Federal Credit Union scholarship will be awarded to the winner.

### **Eligibility**

Applicant must be a high school student planning to enroll full-time in an accredited college or university during the fall of 2004. Applicant or parent/guardian must be a member in good standing with a minimum two-year membership.

### **Application Process**

Eligible members must complete this scholarship application.

Check each box after completion

1. The signed application must be submitted together with:
- \_\_\_\_\_ An official high school transcript.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ An SAT/ACT transcript (obtained through your high school guidance office.)
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher's letter of reference.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Civic Leader's letter of reference.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Acceptance letter from accredited college.
2. The applicant and his/her parent or guardian must sign the Certification and Release Authorization on the back page of this form.
3. The application, transcript and essay must be returned by the application deadline. If any portion is incomplete or not included, the application will not be considered.

### **Selection Process**

All applications will be based on both subjective criteria and weighted, objective criteria. These include academic performance, essay, community activities and personal goals. Each application will be evaluated by an outside agency to provide an unbiased decision. Once the scholarship recipient is chosen, the funds will be awarded to the applicant upon receiving a receipt showing that the school tuition has been paid.

### **Application Deadline**

The application must be returned to the credit union no later than Friday, January 30, 2004.

# SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant will not be considered unless all information is completed in full and all requested documentation is provided. Please type or print clearly, and answer the following questions completely.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone Number ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Date Submitted \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
High School \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Institution You Plan to Attend \_\_\_\_\_  
Anticipated Graduation Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

## **Honors and Awards**

*Examples: National Honor Society, Principal's Awards, College Book Awards, Student/Athlete Awards, Eagle Scout Classification.*

1. _____	Grade _____	6. _____	Grade _____
2. _____	Grade _____	7. _____	Grade _____
3. _____	Grade _____	8. _____	Grade _____
4. _____	Grade _____	9. _____	Grade _____
5. _____	Grade _____	10. _____	Grade _____

## **Curricular, Extracurricular and Community Service Activities, Employment**

*Examples: Language clubs, drama/choral groups, sport teams, church or religious youth groups, community volunteerism, part-time jobs, youth counseling.*

1. _____	Grade _____	6. _____	Grade _____
2. _____	Grade _____	7. _____	Grade _____
3. _____	Grade _____	8. _____	Grade _____
4. _____	Grade _____	9. _____	Grade _____
5. _____	Grade _____	10. _____	Grade _____

## **Leadership Positions Held** (Elected or Appointed, max of 5)

*Examples: Student Government officer, Youth Court official, Scouting team leader, Club officer*

1. _____	Grade _____
2. _____	Grade _____
3. _____	Grade _____
4. _____	Grade _____
5. _____	Grade _____

# ESSAY INFORMATION

Please use a separate sheet of paper to respond to the following question. Your response should be 300 to 500 words. Please type your response - points will be deducted if responses are not typed.

**QUESTION - How will your college education help you achieve your career goals?** (Please cite examples.)



