

R-S Bellco Federal Credit Union Member Scholarship Opportunities

Scholarship Requirements

1. Applicant must be a member in good standing for at least 6 months at R-S Bellco.
2. Applicant must be a high school graduate as of June 30, 2019.
3. Applicant must have a grade point average of at least 2.5 as a high school senior or in the previous college semester as reflected on the official transcripts.
4. Applicant must be pursuing an accredited two-year degree, four-year undergraduate degree, or full-time job preparatory program at an accredited trade or technical school.
5. Applicant must complete and submit a typed or printed scholarship application along with the information requested on the application.
6. Applicants that have not been awarded a scholarship previously may receive preference over previous winners. However, previous winners are eligible to be awarded a scholarship in multiple years.
7. The number and amount of scholarships to be awarded by April 1 will be determined by January 1 each year. Two categories of scholarship may be awarded annually, merit and discretionary. A panel of judges, a majority from outside credit union management and staff, will select recipients. The credit union will allocate available scholarship funds between the awards with direction from the panel of judges. Conditions for each award follow below.
 - a. Merit – Judges will base their decisions on information provided with the application. Consideration will be given to overall presentation, including the content and composition of the essay.
 - b. Discretionary – Judges will base their decision on information provided with the application. Consideration of non-academic factors will be considered.
8. **All applications and required information must be received by March 1, 2019** and can be delivered or mailed to the following address:

R-S Bellco Federal Credit Union
Attn: Scholarship Committee
710 Third Avenue
New Brighton, PA 15066
9. **Selected recipients will be notified no later than March 30, 2019.**
10. Recipients agree to permit R-S Bellco to announce their name in the newsletter or in other promotional material and agree to come to the credit union for a group photo and/or provide a picture.