



# 2023 Scholarship Application Information

Thank you for your interest in our scholarship program. Please read this page carefully. You are required to sign your application stating that you have read and understand this information. Please contact Barksdale Federal Credit Union if you have questions. **Your application will not be accepted unless Part 1 and Part 2 of this application are completed in its entirety, and you have submitted all required selection criteria. Failure to follow these instructions will result in disqualification.**

- **Applicants must have a Barksdale Federal Credit Union membership.** Member must be in good standing. Applicant must be a 2023 high school graduate eligible to attend or enter an accredited U.S. College or University in the fall of 2023. Applicant must be attending college for the first time in the fall of 2023. Applicant must have a minimum GPA of 2.5 and a minimum ACT score of 18 or a minimum SAT score of 500.

(Barksdale Federal Credit Union staff, directors or volunteers and their immediate family members, including but not limited to spouses, siblings, parents, children, grandchildren, step-parents and step-siblings, are not eligible. Previous scholarship winners are not eligible.)

- **Submit all required selection criteria:**
  1. Copy of Senior Year ACT or SAT scores
  2. High School Transcript
  3. Completed Scholarship Application form (Part 1 & Part 2)
  4. Two letters of recommendation
  5. Applicant picture (to be used in the newsletter & local newspapers in the event of applicant winning)

- **Send all required selection criteria postmarked no later than Friday, February 3, 2023, to:**

Barksdale Federal Credit Union  
Attn: Marketing Coordinator  
2701 Village Lane, Bossier City, LA 71112

- **All applicants must complete and sign Part 1 of the attached application form. Part 2 essay entries must be typed or word-processed.** For Part 2, applicants may submit a separate document to answer the essay question, instead of answering the question directly on the application (official essay entry rules apply).

- **Submit all required criteria together.**

Winners will be notified on Wednesday, March 1, 2023.



# 2023 Scholarship Application | Part 1

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Your ability to follow directions counts heavily.

Mail your application to:

Barksdale Federal Credit Union, Marketing Coordinator, 2701 Village Lane, Bossier City, LA 71112.

**All applications must be postmarked on or before Friday, February 3, 2023.**

Applicant Name \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_ BFCU Account Number \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

List your top 3 activities (activities include but are not limited to: school organizations, church functions, volunteer/community work, employment, etc.)

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_

School now attending (List current school's name, address and zip code.)

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After this school year, I plan to attend (*college*) \_\_\_\_\_

I will major in or study \_\_\_\_\_

I understand and have received a copy of the Barksdale Federal Credit Union 2023 Scholarship Application Information.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**(Application must be signed or applicant will be disqualified!)**

## PART 2

**Essay Topic:**

**If you had the opportunity to bring any person — past or present, fictional or nonfictional — to a place that is special to you (your hometown or country, a favorite location, etc.), who would you bring and why? Tell us what you would share with that person.**

Essay (see Official Essay Entry Rules)

The essay must contain a minimum of 300 words and a maximum of 1000 words. Essay must be typed, 12 point, and double spaced. Applicants may submit a separate document for essay instead of completing the answer on this form.