

## **Post-Secondary Scholarship Application Criteria**

Biggar and District Credit Union offers up to four \$1,000 post-secondary scholarships annually to students graduating from Grade 12 and entering a university or community college or similarly recognized post-secondary institution. One scholarship for each of Landis and Perdue branches, and two scholarships for Biggar branch may be awarded.

## **ELIGIBILITY:**

Applicant must be a member of Biggar & District Credit Union, and attending Grade 12 in either Biggar, Perdue or Wilkie.

## **CRITERIA:**

- 1. Applicants must demonstrate the following:
  - a. experience in leadership positions: on school bodies, business ventures, musical arts or community groups, sports teams, cultural, political or religious organizations, charitable agencies, farm organizations, etc.
  - b. commitment to volunteer service
- 2. Submission of a short essay (1-3 paragraphs) that outlines either:
  - a. their vision of future leadership roles and service to others, and how post- secondary school studies will assist them in realizing their goals, OR
  - b. a clear vision for the future: how they intend to make a difference in their community and/or the world.

The quality of the essay and the thought behind it are critical.

Applications must be accompanied by the essay, and submitted no later than 1:00 pm on June 1 each year; they can be dropped off at Biggar, Landis or Perdue branches, or submitted electronically to <a href="mailto:marketing@biggarcu.ca">marketing@biggarcu.ca</a>



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Student Name:
Home Address:
Phone: Home Cell
Are you a member of the Biggar & District Credit Union: Yes No
What is the name of the post-secondary course or program that you will be attending?
Name and address of the institution that offers this course or program:
What is the length of education or training period?
What involvement have you had in leadership positions in school, community, sports, arts, etc.?

Describe any volunteer experience you have had in the community?
Comments (optional):