

Calvin J. Peterson
MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
2025 



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Overview

Service 1 Federal Credit Union established a scholarship program in memory of former board president, Calvin J. Peterson. This program assists members and students in the community who plan to pursue further education at an accredited college, university, or vocational program.

This scholarship program is administered by the Service 1 FCU Scholarship Committee. We seek to expand educational opportunities and encourage educational achievement. Awards are granted without regard to race, color, creed, religion, gender, disability, sexual orientation, financial status, or national origin.

Eligibility Criteria

Applicants to the Calvin J. Peterson Memorial Scholarship Program must be high school, college, or vocational school students who plan to enroll—or are already enrolled—in continued education at an accredited college, university, or skilled trade certificate program.

Applicants must fit at least ONE of the following criteria:

- » Is a member of Service 1 FCU
- » Is the child or grandchild of a Service 1 FCU member
- » Is a student who lives, works, or has attended high school in one of the following communities:
 - Michigan: Muskegon and Ottawa Counties
 - Missouri: Stone, Barry, Newton, and McDonald Counties
 - Alabama: Mobile County

Past recipients are ineligible to receive award.

Awards

Recipients will be awarded one of the following awards, applied to tuition:

- » 1st award: \$2,500 (exclusive to members and their families)
- » 2nd award: \$500 (available to members and non-members)

Awards are one-time only and are non-renewable.

Application

Interested/eligible students must complete an application and submit with a current, complete transcript of grades to Service 1 FCU. Transcripts must display student name, school name, grand total and current hours earned for each course, and term in which each course was taken. Applications must be submitted online, emailed to marketing@service1fcu.com, or mailed/postmarked no later than **Friday, April 4, 2025**.*

Applicants are responsible for gathering and submitting all necessary information. Applicants are evaluated on the information supplied; therefore, answer all questions as completely as possible. All information received is considered confidential and is reviewed only by the Service 1 FCU Scholarship Committee. If multiple applications are submitted by one individual, only the most recent will be reviewed by the committee.

**Incomplete applications will not be considered for award selection. Applications submitted without transcript are considered incomplete.*

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Selection of Recipients

Scholarship recipients are selected on the basis of academic record, demonstrated leadership and participation in school and community activities, honors, work experience, and statement of goals and aspirations.

Selection of recipients is made by the Service 1 FCU Scholarship Committee. All applicants agree to accept the decision of the committee as final. Not all applicants to the program will be selected as recipients.

Chosen applicants will be notified on or about May 16, 2025.

Payment of Scholarship

Awards will be disbursed after recipients are contacted and prior to the start of fall classes. The award funds will be mailed directly to the college, university, or vocational school on behalf of the student.

Obligations

Recipients have no obligation to Service 1 FCU. They are, however, required to supply the committee with complete transcripts when requested and to notify the committee of any changes of address, school enrollment, or other relevant information to be considered for the award.

Revisions

Service 1 FCU reserves the right to review the conditions and procedures of this scholarship program and to make changes at any time including termination of the program.

Additional Information

Questions for the scholarship program should be addressed to Service 1 FCU at **(800) 879.9697** or marketing@service1fcu.com.



ACADEMIC YEAR 2025 APPLICATION

First name: _____ Last: _____

Mailing address: _____ Apt. # _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

Date of birth: Month _____ Date: _____ Year: _____

Phone number: (_____) _____ Email address: _____

Eligibility Information

Please check at least ONE to denote application eligibility:

You are a Service 1 Federal Credit Union member. Member account # _____

You are the child or grandchild of a Service 1 Federal Credit Union member. Member account # _____

You are a student who lives, works, or has attended high school in any of the following communities:

- » **Michigan:** Muskegon and Ottawa Counties
- » **Missouri:** Stone, Barry, Newton and McDonald Counties
- » **Alabama:** Mobile County

If you qualify as an employee or student of an eligible community, please provide the company or school name.
If you qualify as a resident, please write "resident": _____

Post-Secondary Education

Please name the college, university, or vocational school you plan to attend and/or have applied to. **Use official school names. Please do not use abbreviations.**

_____ Choose one: Accepted Applied School of interest

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Goals and Aspirations

Make a brief statement of your plans as they relate to your educational and career objectives and long-term goals.
