

2025/2026 Member Scholarship Application



Centris Federal Credit Union is recognizing high school seniors who value the importance of ethical behavior, community service, academic accomplishments and personal integrity.

Application Qualifications

- High school senior
- Resides in Nebraska or Iowa
- Centris Federal Credit Union member for at least the previous 12 consecutive months prior to application for scholarship
 - The student must be the primary account owner.

Your completed application must be submitted via the form online at centrisfcu.org/centris-scholarship/ by 11:59 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 31, 2025.

Awards and Judging Criteria

Eight, \$1,500 scholarships are available to local high school seniors who are current Centris members.

- Scholarship recipients will be selected by a panel of judges
- The scholarship must be applied toward tuition

Each scholarship applicant will be reviewed by the panel based on essay completion.

Applicant Information

Student's Name: _____

Last Four Digits of Student's Centris Account Number: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____)_____ Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Parent or Legal Guardian's Name(s): _____

High School: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____)_____ Email: _____

Anticipated Date of Graduation: _____

Intended College: _____ ☐ University ☐ Vocational Tech

By typing my name below and submitting an entry for the Centris Federal Credit Union Scholarship, I certify that the statements contained in this application are true, accurate and complete. I am a member of Centris Federal Credit Union. I understand and agree that any scholarship funds I may receive from Centris must be used for tuition purposes only, and I will provide proof of such use, if requested. I also agree that this entry becomes property of Centris, and my name, essay, and photo may be released to the public and news media.

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Name: _____

Date: _____

Essay Questions

Both essay questions must be completed to be considered for this scholarship.

To help you out in your research, we have compiled a list of resources about credit unions:

- National Association of Federal Credit Unions www.nafcu.org – What is a credit union?
- Credit Union National Association www.cuna.org – The industry's trade group
- World Council of Credit Unions www.woccu.org
- National Credit Union Administration www.ncua.gov – Our insurer and regulator

In order to maintain a fair evaluation and selection process, we ask that you do not specifically name any Centris members or employees in your essay.

Essay Question One:

If you could change one thing to better your community, what would it be? Why is it important to you, and how would you contribute to this change?

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