



## 2019 – 2020 William G. Coyne Memorial Scholarship Program Application

### Eligibility Guidelines\*:

Scholarship applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Be a member (in good standing) of a family that has belonged to **Credit Union ONE** (located in Michigan, or Ohio (counties of Wood, Lucas, Sandusky, Summit, Lake or Cuyahoga)) for a minimum of six months
- Be a 2020 graduating high school senior
- Have a cumulative high school grade point average of 3.0 or above
- **Complete 30 or more hours** of documented, qualified community service during Junior/Senior year of high school ending April 1, 2020
- Plan to enroll in, beginning in the fall of 2020, a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two or four-year college or university, or accredited trade or vocational school

Employees of Credit Union ONE and their immediate family are ineligible to receive a scholarship.

Please type or neatly print the following information. Application postmark deadline is April 1, 2020.

### Applicant Information:

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| Last Name                  |  |
| First Name                 |  |
| Middle Initial             |  |
| Address                    |  |
| City                       |  |
| State                      |  |
| Zip Code                   |  |
| Phone                      |  |
| Email                      |  |
| Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) |  |

**Credit Union ONE** Member Name:

Account Number:

Relationship to Scholarship Applicant:

Are you an employee or an immediate family member of an employee of Credit Union ONE?

Yes       No

**High School Information:**

|                                                |  |
|------------------------------------------------|--|
| School Name                                    |  |
| City                                           |  |
| State                                          |  |
| Zip Code                                       |  |
| Phone Number                                   |  |
| High School Graduation Date (mm/dd/yyyy)       |  |
| Guidance Counselor/School Contact              |  |
| Guidance Counselor/School Contact Phone Number |  |
| Guidance Counselor/School Contact Email        |  |

**College/University Information:**

Names of colleges/universities you plan to attend. If unknown, please list in order of preference the schools to which you have applied. Use additional sheets if necessary. Do not use abbreviations.

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| School Name |  |
| City        |  |
| State       |  |

Type of School:

- Four-Year College or University
- Two-Year Community or Junior College
- Other, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| School Name |  |
| City        |  |
| State       |  |

Type of School:

- Four-Year College or University
- Two-Year Community or Junior College
- Other, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Sought:

- Bachelor
- Associate
- Certificate
- Other, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**Course of Study**

|                                            |  |
|--------------------------------------------|--|
| Expected Major/Course of Study             |  |
| Expected College Graduation Date (mm/yyyy) |  |

**Community Service**

List all community service activities you participated in during your **Junior and/or Senior years of high school, ending April 1, 2020** (e.g., Gleaners Food Bank, Special Olympics, Habitat for Humanity, etc.). Credit Union ONE defines community service as those activities that benefit the public good. These activities can be done in partnership with a local nonprofit, community-based and/or governmental organization with the intention to enrich the lives of community members. Any public volunteer work for charitable service agencies that benefits the student’s local community will qualify. Work from multiple community service ventures can be combined to **achieve 30 hours or more**. Please also make note of leadership positions you held or currently hold in these activities.

On a separate piece of paper, please list your community service activities, descriptions, dates of participation and number of hours spent per month. Type this information on 8.5” x 11” paper, double spaced, in size 12 Times New Roman font, with your name and address at the top.

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|-------------------------------------------|--|
| Organization                              |  |
| Volunteer Activity Description            |  |
| From (mm/yyyy)                            |  |
| To (mm/yyyy)                              |  |
| Hours/Month                               |  |
| Volunteer Supervisor                      |  |
| Volunteer Supervisor Contact Phone Number |  |

**Social Responsibility of Credit Unions Essay**

Please write an essay of 250 – 500 words addressing both of the following topics:

- The credit union philosophy is based on cooperative principles. Describe how you exemplify those principles in your life.
- Describe how credit unions are different from other financial institutions and what the difference means to you.

Type your essay on 8.5” x 11” paper, double spaced, in size 12 Times New Roman font, with your name and address at the top. Essays of excessive length will be disqualified.

**Additional Information:**

Please list all scholarships, grants, financial aid awards or tuition waivers you have received or plan to receive for your collegiate career.

| Source | Amount | Date Awarded |
|--------|--------|--------------|
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**Transcript Information:**

1. An official transcript must be sent with this application. Include an explanation of your high school's grading scale.
2. The following section must be completed by a member of your high school staff.

Cumulative GPA:

|                           |            |
|---------------------------|------------|
| Cumulative Weighted GPA   | /4.0 Scale |
| Cumulative Unweighted GPA | /4.0 Scale |

Is this student in good standing and on track for Spring 2020 graduation?

- Yes       No

|                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| Name of High School Representative |  |
| Title                              |  |
| Phone Number                       |  |
| Email                              |  |

High School Staff Representative Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Application Checklist**

**All** of the following materials must be submitted together and on time. Incomplete applications will not be evaluated.

- Student Application
- Social responsibility of credit unions essay
- Two letters of recommendation (one from a teacher and one from a volunteer supervisor)
- Letter(s) on charitable service agency letterhead, describing the volunteer duties and attesting to a **minimum of 30 or more hours of community service (collective hours must meet 30 hours or more)**
- Current complete transcript(s) of grades, including grading scale

All materials, including transcript, must be addressed to:

William G. Coyne Memorial Scholarship Program Committee  
Attn: Corporate Events  
Credit Union ONE  
400 E. Nine Mile Road  
Ferndale, Michigan, 48220

**Postmark deadline is April 1, 2020.**

**Certification**

Credit Union ONE reserves the right to select the recipients of the scholarship program based on the criteria set forth in the scholarship program description. If selected as a recipient, by signing below, applicant authorizes release of information regarding community service activities, essays and images and photos of recipient in media and marketing materials for publicity purposes. If under eighteen years of age, signature of legal parent or guardian of applicant is required below as consent for release authorization on behalf of the applicant.

Recipients are required to supply the William G. Coyne Memorial Scholarship Program Committee with complete transcripts and to notify the Committee of any change of address and school enrollment.

*I acknowledge that the information included in this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.*

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

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(if applicant is under 18 years old)*

*\* Credit Union ONE does not discriminate on the basis of age, marital status, gender, race, color, height, weight, religion, national origin, veteran's status, citizenship, sexual orientation or disability.*