

Scholarship Program 2022

SouthPoint Financial Credit Union Foundation is offering 10 \$1,000 non-renewable scholarships.

Scholarship Eligibility

- **Applicant must be a member of SouthPoint Financial Credit Union to apply.**
- Applicant must be a high school senior planning to attend an accredited college or university, or a two to four year community, vocational or technical college. All eligible schools must be accredited by the U.S. Department of Education.
- Applicant must be a full or part-time student at the school you are planning to attend.
- Applicant cannot be a previous recipient of this scholarship.
- Applicant cannot be an employee, director or committee member (or child, step-child, or grandchild thereof) of SouthPoint Financial Credit Union or the Foundation.

Scholarship timeline

- March 1, 2022 — March 31, 2022: Essay applications are accepted
- April 1, 2022 — April 17, 2022: Essays are evaluated by SouthPoint Financial Credit Union Foundation Scholarship Committee
- Late April 2022 — Early May 2022: Winners and school will be notified at school award night

Scholarship guidelines

Answer the following essay question in 500 words or less:

If you had the ability, what specific steps or offerings would you take to help improve financial education for high school students and young adults?

Essays will be judged on originality, providing supporting statements and the ability to deliver an impacting message.

**Essay applications must be submitted electronically at
www.southpointfinancial.com/foundation-scholarship by 11:59 p.m., CST, March 31, 2022.**
Applications submitted after the deadline will not be considered.

Disbursement of Funds and Accountability:

- The recipient will receive proceeds for the 2022 fall semester
- A check will be issued directly to the appropriate department/office at the educational institution once the Foundation has been notified that registration has been completed (made payable to the institution for the benefit of the recipient).
- Recipient must show proof that they are registered for at least 12 credits during the fall semester (a letter of acceptance is required at the time of application or if selected as a recipient, at the time the acceptance letter is received. Verification of schedules will be done at the time of disbursement).

For questions contact us at 877-794-6712 or southpointfinancial.com

Official Rules and Guidelines:

One essay application per person. Essays not within the guidelines will not be accepted and will render the applicant ineligible. Submitted application must be received by 11:59 pm on March 31, 2022. Mailed applications will not be accepted. Acceptance of scholarship will constitute permission for Foundation to use the winners' names and likeness for purposes of advertising, promotion and publicity without additional compensation. Winning essays may be published in the SouthPoint Financial Credit Union newsletter, website and social media sites. All entries shall become property of the Foundation and cannot be returned. Foundation will not be responsible for lost, damaged, illegible, incomplete, or misdirected entries.