Union Plus 2024 Scholarship Program

Helping Union Families With the Cost of College

Since 1991, the Union Plus Scholarship Program has awarded more than $5.4 million to students of working families who want to begin or continue their post-secondary education. Over 3,800 families have benefited from our commitment to higher education. The Union Plus Scholarship Program is offered through the Union Plus Education Foundation, supported in part by contributions from the provider of the Union Plus Credit Card. (You do not need to be a Union Plus Credit Card holder to apply for this scholarship.)

Eligibility

Current and retired members of unions that participate in any Union Plus program, their spouses and dependent children (as defined by IRS regulations) can apply for a Union Plus Scholarship. Grandchildren are not eligible unless they are a legal dependent (as defined by IRS regulations). At least one year of continuous union membership by the applicant, applicant’s spouse or parent (if applicant is a dependent). The one-year membership minimum must be satisfied by May 31, 2024.

Application Timeline

Online applications are now available at UnionPlus.org/Scholarships. A complete application must be received on or before 12:00 p.m. (Eastern Time) on January 31, 2024. Applications received after this deadline will not be considered.

Scholarship Award Amounts

Amounts range from $500 to $4,000. These one-time cash awards are for study beginning in the Fall of 2024. Students may re-apply each year.

Award Date

Awards are announced by mail the first week of June each year. Award recipients who do not respond are then contacted by phone. All applicants will be notified by email when the award list is posted at unionplus.org/scholarships by mid-June each year. Please note that due to the volume of applications Union Plus cannot provide any information on the status of an application before award announcements are made.