

**The Shenango Valley Chapter of Credit
Unions in conjunction with**



**is proud to offer the 2020
Post High School Education
\$500 Scholarships***

For over 15 years we have invested in the educational lives of our young members by offering scholarships. Applicants must be a member of their credit union prior to submitting an application. Members must be between the ages of 17 – 24, pursuing post-high school studies at a college, university, or vocational trade school. Applications are available at any of these proud participating credit unions:

- Family 1st FCU
- First Choice FCU
- GNC Community FCU
- Grove City Area FCU
- Mercer County Community FCU
- SCA FCU
- SRU FCU

Completed application and essay are due to the credit union offices by April 10, 2020. Or, they can be mailed to First Choice FCU – SVC Scholarship, 2209 W. State Street, New Castle, PA 16101

The winners will be contacted, announced and posted at the participating credit unions by May 15, 2020.

We are proud to support the education of our future – the youth of our credit unions. So many of you have supported our efforts to raise money for this worthwhile cause and we are so grateful for your contributions. **Total number of scholarships determined by available funding.*



SHENANGO VALLEY CHAPTER OF CREDIT UNIONS SCHOLARSHIP 2020 APPLICATION

Applicant's Name: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Last Four of SS#: _____

Credit Union that you are a member of: _____

(You must be a current member with an account in your name.)

School you currently attend: _____

List post-high school institutions you have been accepted or will be attending this coming year.

Please mail your completed application by April 10, 2020 to your credit union or mail to:

FIRST CHOICE FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

SVC Scholarship

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Applicant's Last 4 of SS# _____ (DO NOT include your name on this or attached pages)

1. Please list your community and/or school activities and work experiences. *(limit to 1 page)*
2. Why are you applying for this scholarship, and how is it consistent with your educational/career/life goals. *(limit to 1 page)*
3. **Please answer the following question by attaching your typed, double spaced response.**
(Essay must be written solely by the applicant. Limit your response to no more than 3 pages. Font size should be no less than 11 point.)

Consider the importance of these 3 services and rank them most important to least important to you. Explain your ranking and why you ranked the services the way you did.

Overdraft Protection (ODP) – Protection when you overdraw your checking account. This service covers transactions when you don't have enough money in your checking account.

Mobile Banking - A service provided by the credit union that allows its members to conduct financial transactions remotely using a mobile device such as a smartphone or a tablet.

Indirect Lending - Applying for your credit union auto loan right at the dealership where you buy your car.