



2025-26 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Indianhead Credit Union will be awarding 12 (twelve), \$1000 scholarships to area *high school seniors* who intend to continue their education at a university or college or a vocational-technical school following graduation.

Students who are *members* of Indianhead Credit Union and/or whose parent(s) or guardian(s) are *members* of the Credit Union are eligible.

Applicants must submit a completed application and a letter detailing their involvement in community and school activities, their plans for the future and why they think they deserve a scholarship.

The deadline for applying is *April 1, 2026*. Applications and letters will be reviewed by a committee of credit union board members and staff.

Awards will be announced in late April/early May.

Indianhead Credit Union Scholarship Program

Indianhead Credit Union (ICU) will award twelve (12) \$1000 scholarships to graduating high school seniors who are members of the credit union or whose parent(s) or guardian(s) are members of the credit union. ICU maintains branch offices in Spooner, Grantsburg and Superior, serving members in nine (9) northwest Wisconsin counties: Washburn, Burnett, Douglas, Sawyer, Barron, Polk, Bayfield, Ashland, Rusk and three (3) northeast Minnesota counties: Pine, Carlton, St. Louis.

Eligibility:

1. Any graduating students who **are current members** of the credit union or whose parent(s) or guardian(s) **are current members** of the credit union may apply.
2. Applicant should have a 2.5 or higher Cumulative GPA based on a 4.0 scale.
3. Applicant should be involved in school and community activities, emphasizing volunteer services to school, community and other organizations.
4. Applicant must be pursuing a degree at an accredited institution of higher education including community college, technical college, junior college, college or university.
5. Along with a completed ICU scholarship application form, applicant must submit a letter to the scholarship committee giving information that will enable the committee to evaluate the student's qualifications as an applicant. Include information such as volunteer history, evidence of leadership, vocational plans, interests and hobbies. Also, in the letter, applicants should include a statement on why they think they should receive the scholarship.
6. Mail the completed application and letter to:
Indianhead Credit Union
ATTN: Dale Gottschalk
104 East Maple Street, P.O. Box 100
Spooner, WI 54801
7. The application must be received no later than April 1, 2026

Selection:

1. Winners will be selected by a committee of Indianhead Credit Union board members and staff.
2. Scholarship winners will be announced at your school's Senior Awards Ceremony at the end of the school year. Also at that time, the scholarship winners will receive a certificate and instructions about the disbursement of funds.

If you have additional questions about the Indianhead Credit Union scholarship program, contact Dale Gottschalk at 715-635-8273/800-645-9391 ext. 209 or d.gottschalk@indianheadcu.org