



2024
HAWAII SCHOOLS FEDERAL CREDIT UNION
SCHOLARSHIP

Hawaii Schools Federal Credit Union awards a scholarship each year to an incoming college freshman in recognition of academic excellence.

Eligibility: Each applicant must:

1. Be a member of Hawaii Schools Federal Credit Union before the submission deadline;
2. Graduate from high school in 2024;
3. Be entering his/her freshman year in an accredited college or university located in the United States;
4. Have maintained a grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or better;
5. Have a scholastic record of intellectual promise;
6. Submit a completed application.

Amount: \$1,000

Submission Deadline:

Must be received or postmarked no later than **Friday, March 1, 2024.**

Submission: Scholarship Committee
Hawaii Schools Federal Credit Union
233 Vineyard Street
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813-2446

Required materials:

1. A completed application, including:
 - a. An essay about your desire to receive the Scholarship.
 - b. An official transcript of grades from last school attended;
 - c. A High School Background Report
2. Two (2) completed recommendation forms.

Payment: Scholarship proceeds will be made payable to the university or college on behalf of the student upon acceptance of enrollment.

Selection: The scholarship committee will thoroughly examine all completed applications submitted by the deadline and will determine the applicant's standing. The Scholarship Committee will award one scholarship to the applicant deemed most deserving.

INSTRUCTIONS & CHECKLIST

1. ▲ Complete your Scholarship Application.
2. ▲ Have your parent/guardian sign your Scholarship Application, acknowledging your submission.
3. ▲ Write an essay, not to exceed 1000 words, explaining how the scholarship will help you.
4. ▲ Have your high school complete the High School Background including scores from your Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or American College Test (ACT).
5. ▲ Provide an official copy of your high school transcript.
6. ▲ Have two people fill out and independently return one Recommendation Form each by the due date.
7. ▲ Submit your completed application, with all supporting documentation to Scholarship Committee, Hawaii Schools Federal Credit Union, 233 Vineyard Street, Honolulu, HI 96813. Must be received or postmarked no later than **Friday, March 1, 2024**.

PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE THIS RESPONSIBILITY IN THE HANDS OF YOUR HIGH SCHOOL.

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APPLICATION

(Completed by applicant)

(Please Print/Type)

Last Name	First	Middle
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Street Address

City	State	Zip	Phone
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Hawaii Schools FCU Account #	High School
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Date of Birth	Social Security Number	Graduation Date
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In what high school activities did you participate?

List any offices held or honors received:

List any academic honors received:

Attach letter of university or college acceptance. If unavailable, list universities or colleges that are reviewing your application(s):

Attach 1,000 word essay. (See instructions for content)

_____	_____
Applicant's Signature	Date
_____	_____
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date

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HIGH SCHOOL BACKGROUND

(Completed by high school representative)

Applicant's Name _____

Please complete and return this form to the applicant in time for an **March 3, 2023**, postmark deadline.

(Please Print/Type)

Name of School _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Name _____ of _____ Principal _____

Who is _____ rating _____

the _____ student? Name _____

Relationship _____ (e.g. principal, teacher, counselor)

Length of relationship _____

What is your general evaluation of this student? _____

Sometimes special circumstances should be considered when evaluating a student's achievement record and test scores.

Please explain if there are any. _____

Other comments: _____

Please indicate the following:

Scholastic Aptitude Tests (SAT) _____ American College Test (ACT) _____

GPA _____ Class Ranking _____

Please attach a transcript of the student's grades. Include an explanation of the marking system used.

Signature of Principal / Rater _____

Date _____

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RECOMMENDATION FORM

(Completed by a third party)

Applicant's Name _____

The above named applicant is applying for a college scholarship at Hawaii Schools Federal Credit Union. Please candidly complete and return this recommendation independently postmarked no later than **March 3, 2023** to: Scholarship Committee, Hawaii Schools Federal Credit Union, 233 Vineyard Street, Honolulu, HI, 96813.

(Please Print/Type)

Please rate the applicant on the following qualities by checking the appropriate box:

	Outstanding	Above Average	Average	Below Average	No Basis for Opinion
Intellectual Capacity					
Motivation and Drive					
Initiative					
Character					
Leadership					
Scholastic Ability					
Writing Ability					
Speaking Ability					

Comments: _____

Describe what you feel are the Applicant's overall strengths and/or weaknesses. _____

What is your relationship to the applicant? _____

Years known in this capacity _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Name _____

Street Address _____

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