# Brotherhood Credit Union Sam Sherman Member Scholarship

### **Overview:**

School Year 2025-2026
Scholarship \$3,000

## **Eligibility Requirements:**

1. Applicants must be a member or a direct relative of a member in good standing at the time of application and at the time of scholarship disbursement.

Relatives of members are defined as a son, daughter, brother, sister, stepson, stepdaughter, stepbrother, or stepsister.

Or a graduating senior of St. Mary's High School.

- 2. The Recipient of the scholarship must be a graduating senior of a high school, vocational school, charter school, or an incoming Sophomore, Junior, or Senior, who will be attending a 2-4 year accredited undergraduate or junior college.
- 3. The recipient is only allowed to win one Brotherhood Credit Union scholarship per academic school year.

#### Please provide and attach the following documentation:

- 1. Letter of acceptance from an accredited 2- or 4-year college.
- 2. Proof of age (birth certificate, driver's license, high school records, or US passport).

#### **Award Parameters:**

- 1. The winner will be selected by a majority vote of the Scholarship Committee.
- 2. The winning applicant will be based on their essay.
- 3. The check will be made out to both the student and the college/university they will be attending.

#### Essay:

A typed essay, minimum 500 words, will be e-mailed by the applicant to <a href="mailed-by-adam@brotherhoodcu.org">adam@brotherhoodcu.org</a>. The essay will answer the following question: There are a number of reasons why you might want to continue your education past high school. Explain why you hope to continue your education. How will more education help you achieve some of your goals in life? Try to be as specific as possible and provide examples.

1. All essays are due by May 30, 2025, 11:59 pm.