

Call Federal is continuing the pilot of a new scholarship program for members pursuing or planning to pursue a career or technical (CTE) degree or certification at John Tyler or J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College. Call Federal will award two scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 each for the 2019/2020 academic year.

How to Apply:

1. Complete the application and answer two questions including details about academic history or work experience.
2. Submit at least one letter of recommendation.
3. Your application, answers and letter of recommendation must be received by 5:00 P.M. on April 1, 2019. Please deliver via mail or to any branch.
4. Must be a member of Call Federal Credit Union as of February 28, 2019.

Awarding of the Scholarships:

A Call Federal scholarship selection committee makes all award decisions. Scholarship applicants will be notified by mail by May 18, 2019.

Background:

Call Federal recognizes there are many paths to financial health. In addition to our Alice S. Pearce scholarship program which primarily promotes a path to a four year degree, we want to add a program that promotes a path through a career or technical program. We started the pilot for this program in 2018 and will continue into 2019 with John Tyler and J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College to gauge interest with the hope of growing this program in future years.

Required Information:

Two \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to students attending a career or technical degree or certification program with John Tyler or J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College for the 2019/2020 academic year. This extends to graduating high school seniors as well as those looking for career changes or advancements later in life. Payments will be made directly to the school once registration is verified.

Each applicant will be judged based on the accuracy of his or her application, academic history or work experience, and letters of recommendation. In addition, the committee will consider the merit of the short answers to the questions provided.

Children, grandchildren and other immediate family members of employees and officials of Call Federal Credit Union are not eligible to participate.

2019 Career and Technical Education Scholarship Application

Name: _____

Account Number: _____

Home Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Name of Current Employer or School Attending: _____

Age: _____

Please list the degree or certification program you are looking to pursue with John Tyler or J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College for the 2019/2020 academic year:

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Please use a separate sheet of paper to answer the following questions. Please type your answers.

1a. Tell us about your academic history. Please include the high school you attended with the years attended, GPA and any community and extracurricular activities. Please also include any college or other programs attended including the years you attended with GPA. (Please provide official transcripts to verify).

OR

1b. Tell us about your work experience. Please cover at least the last 10 years or since you started working. Please include job title, start and end dates of employment as well as a 50-150 word description of job responsibilities.

2. Please answer the following: Why are you pursuing this degree or certification and what are your long-term plans? (Between 200-500 words)

Please submit at least one letter of recommendation from a counselor, employer, community leader or neighbor. Letters from family are not acceptable.

I understand that my name, photograph, and essay may be used by the credit union for promotional purposes, whether in print, social media, or another format.

Signature of Student: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian (if under 18): _____

Date: _____

**Drop Off at Any Branch or Mail To:
Call Federal Scholarships
4605 Commerce Road
Richmond, VA 23234**