

# The State Employees' Credit Union Foundation "People Helping People" Scholarship

The State Employees' Credit Union Foundation has established (2) scholarships valued at up to \$2,500 each for the 2008-2009 school year.

Preference will be given to students whose parents, or guardians and family members are public sector employees who live and work in N.C.

To qualify as a candidate for these scholarships, an individual must meet the following criteria:

1. Is an applicant or full-time student, who is a high school graduate or has completed the General Educational Development (GED) program, enrolled in an associate degree, diploma or certificate program.
2. Is a U.S. citizen and a resident of North Carolina under NCGS 116-143.1, and is eligible for in-state tuition.
3. Demonstrates financial need using the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
4. Demonstrates scholastic achievement with a 2.5 or higher grade point average on a 4.0 scale or attained a score of 3,000 on the GED test.
5. Uses the scholarship to pay for tuition, books, fees, course supplies and transportation.
6. Continues at the college where enrolled at the time of the scholarship award and for the duration of the scholarship.
7. Is not a Director, employee or family member of an employee or Director of the *State Employees' Credit Union or the SECU Foundation*.

The student must turn in the following items together as a packet.

1. The Application for the State Employees's Credit Union Foundation
2. Two letters of recommendation.

# The State Employees' Credit Union Foundation Scholarship Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number or Student ID Number \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Program of Study at RCCC \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Address \_\_\_\_\_

*(If different from above)*

Are you or family members public sector employees? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, list the name of the public sector worker and where they are employed \_\_\_\_\_

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List activities that you have been involved with that exemplifies "People Helping People" \_\_\_\_\_

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Please list school/community activities and all honors or awards that you have received:

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**I** understand this application is for one year (fall and spring semester). I realize the granting of a scholarship requires me to enroll as a full-time (at least 12 credit hours) curriculum student for a year. Any monies not spent will revert back to the State Employees' Credit Union account. The information provided on this application is correct and true to the best of my knowledge. I realize that if awarded this scholarship I may be required to attend scholarship meetings and presentations.

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Date

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Signature of Applicant

Return application and two letters of reference to:

Mrs. Miriam Koon  
Rowan-Cabarrus Community College  
Post Office Box 1595  
Salisbury, NC 28145-1595

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: June 16, 2008**