

ROBERT A. WEAVER SCHOLARSHIP

PROFED CREDIT UNION



This scholarship is intended to provide qualified adults with financial assistance to pursue their educational goals. Those goals may include: Apprenticeship, Vocational Training, Two-year degrees, or Four-year degrees. Two \$1,000.00 scholarships will be awarded annually in time to apply toward fall enrollment.

Please read through the following form and return the required information to the Main office of ProFed Credit Union, P.O. Box 5466, 1710 St. Joe River Drive, Fort Wayne, IN 46805, **POSTMARKED BY MAY 1, 2012.**

ELIGIBILITY

The scholarship may be applied for if the applicant is:

- A member of ProFed in good standing
- Must be over the age of 21 and returning to school after a minimum of a one-year break from formal education

The applicant must be currently enrolled in a two or four-year program at an accredited college or university or at a trade or vocational school (*this may include apprentice training programs*). Final decisions on eligibility will be made by the ProFed Credit Union Scholarship Committee.

Scholarship winners are required to attend a presentation ceremony or have family representation at the ceremony. (*Scholarships will not be awarded to those not in attendance.*) The Robert A. Weaver Scholarship will not be awarded more than twice to the same individual. Applicants may receive only one scholarship from ProFed in any calendar year.

REQUIRED FORMS

The Scholarship Committee will review the confidential statement of each eligible candidate. To be considered, each applicant's file **MUST** contain these **COMPLETED** forms:

- Robert A. Weaver Scholarship Application Form completed by applicant;
- A financial statement completed by the applicant and all financially responsible parties (*Spouse, if applicable*) **INCLUDING A COPY OF PRIOR YEAR TAX RETURNS;**
- A copy of the applicant's most recent school, college, university, trade/vocational or an apprenticeship transcript;
- Proof of enrollment at an accredited school, college, university, trade/vocational or an apprentice program;
- Two letters of recommendation from anyone who is knowledgeable about the candidate but is not an immediate member of the family.
- An essay paper from the applicant explaining his/her educational objectives and why he/she has selected them. Essays should be no less than one full page in length and may be typed/word processed or handwritten in ink. Proofread for spelling and grammar.

The applicant is responsible for submitting all necessary forms together by the **MAY 1, 2012 DEADLINE.**
APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER MAY 1, 2012.

ELIBIBILITY

Applicants will be evaluated on the following criteria:

- Involvement in family activities
- Community Service/Community Involvement
- Involvement outside the family and immediate community including military service
- Financial Need
- Written Essay

ANNOUNCEMENT

All applicants will be notified by letter (*the two recipients will be notified by telephone or letter*) regarding the results of the Robert A. Weaver Scholarship Committee's decision. An announcement to the Credit Union membership will be in all newsletters and posted on ProFed's Internet Home Page.

APPLICANT AGREES TO ALLOW PROFED CREDIT UNION TO USE THEIR NAME AND LIKENESS IN ANY PROFED PUBLICATIONS THAT IT DEEMS APPROPRIATE AND ON PROFED'S INTERNET HOME PAGE.

Applicant's Signature

Date

AMOUNT AND PAYMENT

A \$1,000.00 check will be made payable to the recipient and to the school, college, university, trade/vocational school, or apprentice program. The check will specify that the funds are to help cover expenses toward tuition and books. The checks will be presented to the recipients in time for fall registration deadlines.

THE SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION COMMITTEE

The members of the Scholarship Selection Committee will be appointed each year by the chairperson of the ProFed Credit Union Board of Directors.

FOR FUTHER INFORMATION

Contact:

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FAMILY INVOLVEMENT:

(Please include all activities you are involved in with your family.)

Activity and Position Held	Hours per week	Year

COMMUNITY SERVICE/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:

(Please include organized out-of-school activities, volunteer work, civic work, and/or church organizations.)

Activity and Position Held	Organization Name	Hours	Year

ADDITIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS, ACCOLADES, AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS OTHER THAN FAMILY AND COMMUNITY:

(Please list and describe any of the above that you have received.)

FAMILY INFORMATION:

(Please indicate any other family member(s) who are attending school, college, university, trade or vocational school. This list may include children in elementary, middle, or High school.)

Name	Age	School

I certify that all statements in the foregoing application are true and correct and that I believe myself eligible to apply for a scholarship under the provisions and conditions of ProFed Credit Union Robert A. Weaver Scholarship.

Applicant's Printed Name

Date

Applicant's Signature

Address

Telephone No. _____ Best time to be contacted _____

CONFIDENTIAL STATEMENT
ROBERT A. WEAVER SCHOLARSHIP
FINANCIAL STATEMENT FORM

Name of Applicant _____
Last First Middle

Address _____
Street City State Zip (Area) Phone

Date of Birth ____/____/____ Social Security No. ____-____-____ ProFed Account No. _____

Employer Name and Address _____

Position/Title _____

Spouse's Name _____
Last First Middle

Date of Birth ____/____/____ Social Security No. ____-____-____ ProFed Account No. _____

Employer Name and Address _____

Position/Title _____

INCOME

1. All GROSS salaries and/or wages ***(include any other forms of income AND A COPY OF PRIOR YEAR TAX RETURN(S) DOCUMENTING INCOME)***

	Prior Year
Applicant.....	\$ _____
If applicable:	
Spouse.....	\$ _____

2. Number of exemptions..... _____

ASSETS

	Applicant
3. Credit Union, Bank, Savings & Loan accounts.....	\$ _____
4. Investments <i>(stock, bonds, etc.)</i>	\$ _____
5. Real estate equity <i>(approximate)</i>	\$ _____

6. List other family members for whom educational expenses are paid by applicant and spouse

(Please list relationship)

Name	Age	College/School	Grade	Amt. Paid Prior Year
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

7. Please indicate any unusual or special expenses incurred during the year ***(including uninsured medical expenses, elderly dependents, home repairs, etc.)***

8. List all other scholarship/grants you have received for this academic year.

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED, SIGNED AND RETURNED WITH THE OTHER REQUIRED INFORMATION BY MAY 1, 2012 DEADLINE.