



Scholarship Program

**Two \$1,000 scholarships:
Graduating high school senior OR Existing higher education
student!**

Winner not chosen on financial need or GPA!

Who Is Eligible?

- Applicant, parents or grandparents must be Abri members for 3 months or more before application submitted*
 - Graduating high school senior, who plans on attending an accredited college, university or vocational school full-time for 2019-2020
- Or**
- Full-time student currently enrolled in an accredited college, university or vocational school for 2019-2020
 - Minimum GPA of 2.5 out of 4.0 or 3.5 out of 5.0 or higher

What's Required

- Short Application
- 60-second video or 500 word essay (see topic choices on following page)
- 2 recommendation forms
- School transcripts

Deadlines

- Only complete applications will be considered.
- Applications must be completed online or postmarked and received by Abri Credit Union by **January 31, 2019**.
- Upload documentation online at idmyway.com or print and mail, along with your documentation and video/essay to:
Abri Credit Union
Scholarship Committee
1350 W. Renwick Rd.
Romeoville, IL 60446

For more details or to apply, visit www.idmyway.com

Contact: Morgan Quantock (815-267-7732)

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Video or Essay Requirements

Choose **ONE** of the following topics:

1. Briefly describe your long term- and short-term financial goals.
2. Name a money habit you want to create and a money habit you want to break. How do you plan on putting these habits into action?
3. What are some positives and negatives of having a credit card?

Video

- 60-second video/commercial
- Video format guidelines: File size limit is 300 MB. Acceptable file formats are .MPG; .MOV; .AVI; .WMV.
- The video will not be judged on the quality of the production, but the message itself.

Essay

- 500 word essay
- Essay format guidelines: double spaced, 1" margins, 12 point Times New Roman font, 500 words or approximately 2 pages in length. No longer than 700 words, approximately 3 pages in length.

Distribution of Award

- ACU will award the \$1,000 scholarships in the form of a cashier's check payable to the student and the school.
- Winners will be notified by email on Feb 19, 2019.

* Your accounts (checking, ATM, savings, etc.) must be in good standing with no delinquent or charge off loans. Abri board members and employees and their immediate families are not eligible. Students who have previously won the Abri scholarship in each category above will not be eligible to win.