



UFCW 700

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SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

A total of \$11,000 in scholarships will be awarded to UFCW Local 700 members or their dependents who have graduated or will graduate from high school, or are currently enrolled in college or trade school. Awards are as follows: Five @ \$1,000 – Twelve @ \$500.

Applicants must UFCW Local 700 members in good standing, or their legal dependents; must have completed the SAT or ACT, and be accepted to an accredited institution OR met the requirements and enrolled in a two-year community college, technical, or trade school.

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UFCW Local 700 members and dependents!**

Applications available:

- ONLINE at www.ufcw700.org
- CALL UFCW Local 700
at 800.334.3619
- CONTACT your
Union Representative

Applications must be postmarked
no later than August 11, 2017.



TWO-YEAR COMMUNITY COLLEGE, TECHNICAL, OR TRADE SCHOOL

UFCW Local 700 Scholarship Fund proudly awards scholarships to students pursuing postsecondary education at a two-year community college, technical, or trade school. Scholarships are intended for applicants with financial need who meet eligibility requirements.

TRADITIONAL STUDENTS

To be eligible for a scholarship as a traditional student attending a two-year community college, technical, or trade school, applicants must:

- Earn a high school grade point average (GPA) of 2.75, or higher, on a 4.0 scale
- Be a high school senior graduating at the end of the current academic year (2017)

NON-TRADITIONAL STUDENTS

To be eligible for a scholarship as a non-traditional student attending a two-year community college, technical, or trade school, applicants must have been out of high school for at least two years. If an applicant earned a GED, may have done so within the past two years, but still must have graduated from high school at least two years ago.

ALL APPLICANTS

In addition to the requirements above, all applicants must have:

- Completed the application/admission process at an accredited institution of higher learning, such as a two-year college, technical, or trade school; or must be currently enrolled, registered, or have applied for admission for the spring semester
- Submitted the entire scholarship application packet, including essay and any required supporting materials
- Mailed your completed application to the address below with a postmark no later than August 11, 2017

SELECTION CRITERION

Traditional students will be competitively selected based upon:

- Academic record
- Essay (40%)
- Employment and Public Service (35%)
- Transcript evaluation (25%)

Non-Traditional students will be competitively selected based upon:

- Essay (40%)
- Employment and Public Service (60%)

The scholarship's Board of Directors intends to award a number of traditional student scholarships and non-traditional student scholarships in the two-year category this selection cycle. However, the Board retains the right to award additional scholarships or adjust award amounts at its sole discretion. This scholarship is not renewable.

**To apply for the UFCW Local 700 Scholarship, submit your completed application packet to:
UFCW Local 700 Scholarship Fund, c/o UFCW Local 700
3950 Priority Way South Dr., Suite 100
Indianapolis, IN 46240**



TWO-YEAR COMMUNITY COLLEGE, TECHNICAL, OR TRADE SCHOOL APPLICATION

Please check one.

I am applying as a: Traditional Student Non-Traditional Student

APPLICANT

Last name: _____ First name: _____ Middle Initial: _____

Street Address: _____

Phone: (_____) _____

Email address: _____

ACADEMIC

High School: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Traditional students: Attach an official high school transcript in a sealed envelope, verified by the school.

EMPLOYMENT

List your present or most recent position first. If you've held more than one position with an employer, list each position separately. Please account for all jobs and include any unpaid experience.

Employer: _____

Employer Address: _____

Primary Responsibilities: _____

Start Date: _____ End Date: _____ Hours per week: _____

Reason for leaving: _____

EMPLOYMENT (CONTINUED)



Employer: _____

Employer Address: _____

Primary Responsibilities: _____

Start Date: _____ End Date: _____ Hours per week: _____

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COMMUNITY SERVICE

List your present or most recent service first.

Organization: _____

Organization Address: _____

Primary Responsibilities: _____

Start Date: _____ End Date: _____ Hours per week: _____

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COMMUNITY SERVICE (CONTINUED)



Organization: _____

Organization Address: _____

Primary Responsibilities: _____

Start Date: _____ End Date: _____ Hours per week: _____

EDUCATION PLAN

As indicated by the attached copies of my acceptance letters or enrollment receipts, I have been accepted and intend to enroll at:

School: _____ City, State: _____
(First Choice)

School: _____ City, State: _____
(Second Choice)

School: _____ City, State: _____
(Third Choice)

ESSAY

Submit an essay addressing the following topic: ***For what policies would you like to see unions advocate? Why? How are these policies important in the workplace?***

The essay should be 3-5 pages in a Times-style font, 12-point typeface, double spaced, with one-inch margins. A bibliography of references should be attached; the bibliography does not count in the 3-5 page requirement. Do not include your name anywhere on the essay. Attach the essay to the end of your completed application packet.

Plagiarizing or otherwise presenting another person's work as your own is unacceptable and will result in disqualification from the scholarship competition.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, certify that all of the information that I have included in and with my application is true. I understand that if I am selected for an award I may be required to submit further proof of my financial need and/or of my acceptance within a school or program as indicated on this form. I agree that if I am selected for an award, the sponsors of this scholarship program may use my name, photograph, and/or essay for publicity purposes with no additional compensation. I have read and understand the above information.

Signature of Applicant

Date



SCHOLARSHIP PACKET CHECKLIST

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- Acceptance letter(s) or enrollment receipt
- UFCW Local 700 Membership Verification form
- Essay
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