

Exhibit "A"

Old West Federal Credit Union Scholarship Program Mission Statement

Old West Federal Credit Union wishes to provide scholarship grants to high school seniors residing in Baker, Grant, Harney, Morrow, Umatilla, Union & Wallowa Counties to assist in the furtherance of their post-high school education in colleges, or business-trade schools.

SCHOLARSHIP:

Two \$1,000 scholarships for each of our branches or loan servicing offices will be made each year for the benefit of the selected applicant as chosen by the Old West scholarship Selection Committee. The scholarship recipients must be accepted and enrolled in an accredited post-high school institution.

SELECTION OF SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS:

The Old West Scholarship Selection Committee shall make the selection of scholarship recipients. No one factor shall be controlling in the selection of a recipient. The Committee, however, shall give primary consideration to factors of community involvement, motivation, attitude, financial need, and leadership.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

The attached Exhibit "B" includes instructions for delivery to each student applicant who desires to apply for the scholarship. In addition to the required documentation, the Scholarship Selection Committee, for each branch or office, prior to selection of the successful recipient shall personally interview applicants.

NOTIFICATION:

The applicants shall receive notification of the committee's decision within approximately 30 days after the application deadline.

Exhibit "B"
Instructions to Applicants for the
Old West Federal Credit Union
Scholarship Grant Program
Requirements

1. Complete Scholarship Application.
2. A separate attached statement of 150-200 words, written or typed (font size 10 to 12) by the applicant, summarizing past and current activities and accomplishments, as well as his/her objectives of further education.
3. Must include a small photo. If you would like your photo shared on our website and other media outlets if you are chosen as the scholarship winner please be sure to fill out and have a parent signature on the Photo Release Form included with you application packet.
4. Three comprehensive letters of recommendation from responsible individuals not related to the applicant covering character, industry, accomplishments, personality, and integrity. At least one of the letters must be from a school staff member or administrator who has knowledge of the applicant. The letters of recommendation must be delivered to the applicant in a sealed envelope and need to be included with the application packet.
5. Official high school transcript from the first year of high school to the date of application. This should be signed by the proper school officials, showing the courses taken, grades received, and the rank of the applicant in the class.
6. Orderly and concise presentation of the application will be expected. Please use 8 ½" x 11" paper, bound neatly on the left side in a heavy paper/plastic binding. Exhibits evidencing of achievements in leadership, academics, athletics, school activities, community service and other activities may be attached.
7. **The application with the letters of recommendation and other supporting documents must be received on or before the first March 8, 2019 no later than 5pm.**

Please Deliver to:

Scholarship Selection Chairman
Old West Federal Credit Union
2036 Broadway Street
Baker City OR 97814

Only the scholarship Selection Committee will examine the materials submitted. A note should be included with the packet at the time of submission if you would like your packet returned.

***If any of the above requirements are not met, your application may be considered incomplete and will be disqualified.*

Old West Federal Credit Union Scholarship Application

(Print or Type Responses)

Full Name			Date of Birth		
Mailing Address		City	State	Zip	
Phone Number		Alternative Phone Number			
Parent(s) Name		Parent(s) Name (if necessary)			
Mailing Address		Mailing Address			
City	State	Zip	City	State	Zip
Phone Number		Phone Number			
High School Currently Attending					
Post High School Institution Planning to Attend					
How would this scholarship benefit you?					

***Please include a small photo, if chosen we would like to use the photo to announce your winning on our website and other marketing outlets. See release form in application packet**

MINOR PHOTO RELEASE FORM

I, _____, the parent or legal guardian of
_____ [Student] grant Old West Federal Credit Union my
permission to use the photograph submitted with their scholarship application packet for any
legal use, including but not limited to: publicity, copyright purposes, illustration, advertising, and
web content.

Furthermore, I understand that no royalty, fee or other compensation shall become payable to
me by reason of such use.

Student's Signature: _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian's Name: _____

Student's Name: _____

Phone Number: _____