

grain & general services union

2021 scholarship program

guidelines



GSU is offering five \$2,000 scholarships in 2021.

GSU is pleased to offer \$2,000 scholarships to five students who demonstrate an ability and a passion to inspire positive change in their community.

Scholarship program summary:

- Scholarships are available to all GSU members and their immediate families - including spouses.
- Scholarship applicants must be enrolled in a diploma, degree, or certificate program at a community college, university, trade school, or technical institute as a full-time student in any country.
- Five \$2,000 scholarships are available:
 - three dependant scholarships, and
 - two GSU member/spouse scholarships.
- Dependant scholarships are available for dependant children of GSU members. Applicants for dependant scholarships must be age 25 or younger.
- GSU member scholarships are available for GSU members and spouses of members.
- If there are no member/spouse scholarship applications, all five scholarships will be available to be awarded to eligible dependant applicants.

- GSU members must have a signed union card on file with the union to be eligible for GSU scholarships.
- Students can apply every year.
- Students will be awarded a maximum of one scholarship per lifetime.
- The GSU scholarship committee will meet to determine the successful scholarship recipients. The decision of the committee is final.
- Scholarship applicants will be advised of the committee's decision by July 15.

How to apply:

Complete either the dependant or the member/spouse application form and return it to Grain and General Services Union by June 1, 2021, with the following items:

1. A letter of recommendation from a non-family member describing how your participation in school, extra-curricular, and/or community activities make you a strong candidate for a GSU scholarship.
2. A copy of a document from your training institute which confirms your registration.
3. Your two-page essay. (See essay guide for additional information.)

Send your completed scholarship application form, letter of recommendation, essay, and proof of admission to:

Scholarship Committee - Grain and General Services Union
2334 McIntyre Street, Regina, SK S4P 2S2 OR fax 306.565.3430 OR email gsu@gsu.ca

Deadline for receipt of applications is June 1, 2021

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essay



GSSU scholarship applicants are required to submit a two-page essay as part of the application process.

Here's your essay topic:

COVID-19: The benefits of union membership during a global pandemic

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application form

GSU members & spouses



GSU MEMBER/SPOUSE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name of Scholarship Applicant/Student _____

Address _____

Postal Code _____ Email _____

Telephone _____ Birth date _____

MEMBERSHIP DATA

Name of GSU member _____

Union Local _____

Place of Employment _____

Job Title _____ Years of Service _____

GSU membership card: ☐ I have a signed card on file

☐ Please send me a membership card to sign

OTHER INFORMATION

Volunteer work and community activities _____

What university, college, technical institute, trade school or other public training institution are you registered to attend? _____

What course do you plan to take? _____

Length of course _____

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application form
dependants of GSU members



DEPENDANT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM - AGE 25 and UNDER

PERSONAL INFORMATION - DEPENDANT

Name of Scholarship Applicant/Student _____

Address _____

Postal Code _____ Email _____

Telephone _____ Birth date _____

GSU MEMBER INFORMATION - PARENT OR GUARDIAN

Name of Parent/Guardian who is a GSU member _____

Union Local _____

Place of Employment _____

Job Title _____ Years of Service _____

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ACADEMIC DATA

High School(s) attended _____

Extra-curricular and community activities _____

What university, college, technical institute, trade school or other public training institution are you registered to attend? _____

What course are you registered to take? _____

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