



Method Vizelka Memorial Scholarship - 2025/2026

\$500 Community Service Scholarship

ABOUT OUR SCHOLARSHIP

N.E.W. Credit Union's Method Vizelka Memorial Scholarship was created to honor the memory and the impact Method Vizelka made in the communities we serve. Method was a life long member and served on the Board of Directors at N.E.W. Credit Union for 12 years. In addition to his community service through the credit union, Method was a dedicated volunteer and active participant in our communities. Method also was an advocate for our school systems and believed that **all** members of our communities should have the opportunity to gain a higher education.

Method Vizelka embodied the mission and vision of N.E.W. Credit Union. At N.E.W. Credit Union, we proudly serve our communities and work to provide all of our members with the opportunities to succeed. We hope (through this scholarship) to honor Method's impact and highlight others who want to do the same.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

N.E.W. Credit Union is offering one \$500 scholarship to **each** of the following schools - *Oconto Falls High School, Oconto High School, Lena High School, Gillett High School, Peshtigo High School, and Suring High School*. **Additionally**, one \$500 scholarship is also available for an N.E.W. Credit Union member from a school not listed.

In order to be considered for this scholarship, the following requirements must be met:

- Students/applicants **must** be a member of N.E.W. Credit Union.
- Students/applicants **must** also be a graduating high school senior.

Applications must be submitted to the credit union on or before **April 6th, 2026**. Applications submitted after this deadline will not be accepted.

Submit applications via email to our Marketing Supervisor epearson@newcu.org.

HOW TO APPLY

1. Complete the "Required Information" section **on the back of this sheet** so we have your contact information (*use a printer to scan and send*).
2. Create a document with a list of school extracurricular activities, school and community volunteer service, and any special recognition, awards, and honors achieved (*please label these sections accordingly*).
3. Lastly, submit a 2-3-minute video or a 300 word essay (*Times New Roman font, double-spaced, 12-point font*) which answers **one** of the following questions:
 - **How have you made an impact on your community?**
 - **How have you or your family benefited from being an N.E.W. Credit Union member?**

Once you have completed and gathered this information, please submit all documentation **in one email** to the Marketing Supervisor (epearson@newcu.org).



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REQUIRED INFORMATION

Name: _____ Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s): _____

High School: _____ H.S. Address: _____

H.S. Student Services/Guidance Dept. Contact: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Name of higher education institution you will attend in the fall: _____

Field of interest/anticipated major you will pursue: _____

N.E.W Credit Union will disperse the funds to selected recipients upon satisfactory completion of their first college semester and enrollment in their second semester. The Oconto Falls, Oconto, Lena, Gillett, Peshtigo, and/or Suring high school's student services/guidance department will be informed of the scholarship recipient directly. The high school will then inform the selected recipients. Recipients will receive their scholarship certificate at the high school's award banquet or graduation ceremony. One scholarship is available for each school mentioned above and one scholarship is available for a N.E.W. Credit Union member from a school not listed. If you have any questions/concerns, please direct questions to the Marketing Supervisor (epearson@newcu.org).