



2025 JAMES A. GLEASON SCHOLARSHIP

Sponsored by the CHELSEA EMPLOYEES FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

The Chelsea Employees Federal Credit Union is accepting applications for the James A. Gleason Scholarship for high school seniors who will be enrolled in an undergraduate college degree program during the 2025-2026 academic year. This \$1000 scholarship is named in memory of James "Uncle Gus" Gleason (1901 - 1990) who served as the Treasurer/Manager of the Chelsea Employees FCU for over 40 years.

Applications are available at the Chelsea Employees FCU office located in Room 205, Chelsea City Hall, 500 Broadway, Chelsea, MA 02150. Phone 617-884-3599. Fax 617-889-6740.
Or request by contacting Bruce Black at BBlack@ChelseaEFCU.org

ELIGIBILITY

1. Applicant or parent/guardian must be a member of Chelsea Employees FCU.
2. Applicant must be a high school senior who plans to attend a full-time college/university undergraduate program during the 2025-2026 academic year.

APPLICATION

1. Complete the **CHELSEA EFCU SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION** form.
2. Students must submit their **ACADEMIC TRANSCRIPT OF GRADES**.
3. Students must submit a **TYPEWRITTEN ESSAY** of at least **250 words** describing what career you wish to pursue when you complete your education and **why**.
4. A detailed **LIST OF EXTRACURRICULAR/COMMUNITY** and/or **VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES**.
5. Students must ensure that all application requirements, including essay and transcripts, are submitted to the Chelsea Employees FCU, 500 Broadway #205, Chelsea, MA 02150 **no later than Tuesday, May 13, 2025**.
6. Applications will be evaluated on the following criteria:
Grades; essay; and extracurricular/community activities.



2025 James A. Gleason College Scholarship Application

Reminder: Please submit the following information to Chelsea Employees Federal Credit Union:

- 1) Completed application (complete application in black ink)
- 2) Academic transcript from High School.
- 3) In 250 words or less, please write an essay describing What Career You Wish to Pursue when you complete your education and why.

All these pieces are essential for consideration of your application.

Student Name _____ Telephone No. _____

Street Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Credit union member (please check one or both) applicant parent/guardian _____

Are you employed? Yes. No How many hours? _____

List extracurricular activities, community service and part-time employment (attach additional sheet if necessary):

List the school you will be attending for 2025-26 or if not decided, list the schools you have been accepted to:

_____	Attending	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
_____	Accepted?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
_____	Accepted?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
_____	Accepted?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____