

Class of 2021 Scholarship Application

Citizens State Bank \$500 Scholarships are awarded to graduating seniors based on the following criteria:

- Academic Achievements
 - Community Service
- Extracurricular Activities
 - Graduating From:
- Stockton High School Freeport High School Le-Win High School Aquin High School or other local area high school



Citizens State Bank Scholarship Rules and Regulations

1. All decisions on scholarships awarded will be made solely by the Citizens State Bank Scholarship Committee and are based on the number and quality of the applications received.

- **2.** All eligible applications must be completed in full. Any and all incomplete applications will be disqualified by the Citizens State Bank Scholarship Committee.
- **3.** All eligible applications must be signed by the applicant and a parent / guardian to be considered complete by the Citizens State Bank Scholarship Committee.
- **4.** All eligible applications must be accompanied by an official high school transcript in order to be considered complete by the Citizens State Bank Scholarship Committee.
- **5.** All applications must be received by the Citizens State Bank Scholarship Committee by the Application Deadline mentioned on the form. All applications received after this deadline will be ruled ineligible.
- **6.** All graduating seniors from Lena-Winslow High School, Stockton High School, Freeport High School, Freeport Aquin High School or other local area high school who are planning on attending a 2-year or 4-year college or university to pursue a degree are eligible to apply for a scholarship.
- **7.** The Citizens State Bank Scholarship Committee will award a minimum of ten (10) scholarships to eligible applicants in the amount of \$500.00 each.
- **8.** Scholarship money will be awarded in the form of a check payable to the winner after the following criteria are met:
 - (a) After the student has presented Citizens State Bank with a copy of their final grades from their first semester of their chosen college or university and
 - **(b)** the student has proven to have completed twelve (12) or more credit hours during that first semester and
 - (c) the student has proven to have achieved a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 out of 4.0 and
 - (d) the student has provided proof of enrollment for their second semester at their chosen college or university.

For More Information, Call Your Local Branch:

LENA 102 W. Main St. Lena, IL 61048 (815) 369-4524 **STOCKTON** 133 W. Front Ave. Stockton, IL 61085 (815) 947-3366 FREEPORT 1525 S. Forest Rd. Freeport, IL 61032 (815) 801-4524



Application For College Scholarship

STUDENT INFORMATION

NAME:				
	Last		First	Middle Initial
STREET ADDRESS:				
PO BOX:		, STATE, ZIP:		
PHONE:		E-MAIL:		

CONTACT PERSON INFORMATION

Name, address, and telephone number of your Father, Mother, Spouse, Guardian, or other person who can assist us in locating you in case of necessity:

NAME:			
	Last	First	Middle Initial
STREET ADDRESS:			
PO BOX:	CITY, STATE, ZIP:		
PHONE:	E-MAIL:		

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION AND GOALS

HIGH SCHOOL:	GRADUATION DATE:
RANK IN CLASS:	GRADE POINT AVERAGE:
ACT SCORE:	SAT SCORE:
MAJOR:	

EDUCATIONAL GOAL:	 ASSOCIATE DEGREE	 BACHELOR DEGREE
	 MASTERS DEGREE	 DOCTORATE



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School you plan on attending/are accepted to for the 2021/2022 school year:

Please list the extracurricular and community activities in which you have been involved *(i.e. sports, newspaper, clubs, theatre, band, etc.):*

Briefly describe your work experience: _____

Briefly describe your career goals: _____

Essay Question:

As you get ready to enter your college years and gain more independence, how well do you feel you have been prepared in terms of your financial education such as understanding banks and what they offer, budgeting, money management, different loans and their purposes, investing for your future, etc.?

Answer the question in five hundred words or less and attach it to your application.



****CONFIDENTIAL**** Financial Analysis Report

Since financial need is one factor considered in selecting the recipients of the scholarships, the following information is critical to our committee in their deliberation. The information is strictly confidential and will only be reviewed by the Citizens State Bank Scholarship Committee.

ANTICIPATED COLLEGE YEAR COSTS	
Books \$: Tuition \$: Room \$: Other \$:	
HOW WILL YOUR EDUCATION BE FINAL	NCED?
Applicant's Personal Savings: \$: Other Scholarships Received: \$: Help from Parents & Relatives: \$:	Work Income: \$ Loans: \$ Other Financial Aid: \$
Do you or any immediate family members current	ntly bank with CSB:
Please explain any unusual circumstant finance your education: SCHOLARSHIPS WON OR TUITION WAI	
Name of Scholarship or Waiver:	Value of Scholarship or Waiver:
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE – Please sign below	/
By signing below, I certify that the information s accurate, and grant my permission for the inform the Citizens State Bank Scholarship Committee	mation contained here in to be shared with
Signature of Applicant	Date

Signature of Applicant's Parent or Guardian

Application Deadline: April 9, 2021

Date



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APPLICANT OFFICIAL SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT RELEASE AUTHORIZATION

An official high school transcript MUST be attached to your application.

I have read and understand the attached Rules and Regulations governing the Citizens State Bank Scholarship and I hereby release the attached records from _____

___ High School to the Citizens State

Bank Scholarship Committee for review.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Return completed application by April 9, 2021 to your High School Guidance Counselor.