



## U.W.I. CREDIT UNION CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY LIMITED

### GUIDELINES FOR THE AWARD OF U.W.I. CREDIT UNION BURSARIES

1. Four (4) Bursaries to a maximum value of \$5,000 per award shall be granted annually. One (1) of these Bursaries shall be awarded to a youth member.
2. Applicants **must** be bona fide, active and [compliant](#) U.W.I. Credit Union (UWICU) members in good financial standing.
3. Applicants must be pursuing *either* technical *or* tertiary-level programmes at Government-accredited institutions as approved by UWICU, for example:

Cipriani College of Labour and Cooperative Studies (CCLCS)
College of Science, Technology and Applied Arts of Trinidad & Tobago (COSTAATT)
Schools of Accounting and/or Management
The University of the West Indies (UWI)
University of Southern Caribbean (USC)
University of Trinidad & Tobago (UTT)
UWI School of Business and Applied Studies Ltd. (UWI-ROYTEC)

4. Financial Need **and** *either* Academic Merit *or* Skill(s) Recognition will be the two (2) most important factors in determining the awards of the Bursaries.
5. Applicants **must** show evidence of financial need.
6. Applicants' contribution to, and/ or participation in, Credit Union and/ or, UWI and/ or, Institutional activities will also be considered in awarding the Bursaries.
7. Applicants **must** present proof of satisfactory progress in their programme (up-to-date transcript).

8. Bursaries will be awarded on successful completion of Year 1 of an approved course of study.
9. The duration of approved programmes shall not be less than eighteen (18) months.
10. **Incomplete applications (especially in relation to financial need) or applications without supporting documents will not qualify for the award of a Bursary.**
11. Any applicant who has already been awarded a UWICU Bursary for studies in a specific programme, for example undergraduate or postgraduate, will **not** qualify for consideration of another UWICU Bursary for the same level programme.
12. Applicants who are current recipients of other Bursaries, Scholarships, or Awards will not be eligible to qualify for a Bursary with the UWICU.

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