



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 members in good financial standing.
3. Applicants **must** be pursuing *either* tertiary level *or* technical/vocational programmes at Government-accredited institutions, approved by U.W.I. Credit Union, for example:

Tertiary level Educational Institutions	Technical/ Vocational Institutions
Association of Caribbean Tertiary Institutions (ACTI)	Eastern Caribbean Institute of Agriculture and Forestry (ECIAF)
Cipriani College of Labour and Cooperative Studies (CCLCS)	Trinidad and Tobago Hospitality and Tourism Institute (TTHTI)
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, U.W.I., Institutional, or Community activities will also be considered in awarding the Bursaries.
7. Applicants **must** present proof of satisfactory progress in their programme (complete and up-to-date transcript).
8. Applicants **must** have successfully completed one (1) year of the course of study.
9. The duration of the programme 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 U.W.I. Credit Union Bursary for studies in a specific level programme, for example undergraduate or postgraduate, will **not** qualify for consideration of another U.W.I. Credit Union Bursary for the same level programme.

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