



2024 Hubert O. Sibley 2 + 2 Florida Prepaid Tuition Scholarship Plan Application

Please print or type.

Date _____, 2024

Student's Last Name _____ First Name _____

Parent/Guardians's Name _____

Student's Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Home Phone No. _____ Cell Phone No. _____

Last four digits of Student's SSN _____ Student's DOB _____ Student's School ID _____

Student's Email _____

Current High School _____

Name of College Attending in the Fall _____

Are you a US Citizen? Yes No If not, are you a Resident Alien? Yes No

Student's EdFed Account Number _____

Student's Signature* _____

Parent/Guardian's EdFed Account Number (if applicable) _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature* _____

*** I have read and agree to the Official Rules for the Hubert O. Sibley 2 + 2 Florida Prepaid Tuition Scholarship Plan. By signing this document, I attest that the information contained herein is accurate and true.**

APPLICATIONS NOT RECEIVED BEFORE CLOSING TIME ON MARCH 22, 2024 AND THOSE WITH ANY MISSING INFORMATION, INCLUDING REQUIRED SIGNATURE(S), ARE NOT ELIGIBLE AND WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.

For more information, please call our Member Contact Center at 305.270.5250.
Hours: Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.-1 p.m.



2024 Hubert O. Sibley 2 + 2 Florida Prepaid Tuition Scholarship Plan Official Rules

Fifteen (15) Hubert O. Sibley 2 + 2 Florida Prepaid Tuition Scholarship Plans will be awarded. Each scholarship will consist of a four-year Florida Prepaid College Tuition Plan for utilization starting in the 2024 fall semester. The Florida Prepaid College Tuition Plan provided to the recipients will cover basic tuition at Florida universities and colleges charging the standard state tuition. Students attending universities and colleges that charge a higher than standard tuition will need to pay the tuition portion not covered by the plan provided to them by the Credit Union. The recipients' names will be randomly drawn from a pool of qualified applicants.

Administrator: This program is administered by Educational Federal Credit Union (EDFED), 7800 SW 117 Ave., Miami, FL 33183.

Source of Funds: Scholarship awards are funded by Educational Federal Credit Union, 7800 SW 117 Ave., Miami, FL 33183.

TO APPLY: Members may apply only by submitting a signed and completed EDFED Hubert O. Sibley 2 + 2 Florida Prepaid Tuition Scholarship Plan Application. Incomplete or unsigned applications or applications containing inaccurate information cannot be considered.

Applications will be accepted from Friday, February 2, 2024, to closing time on Friday, March 22, 2024 and the scholarships will be awarded in early May.

Applicants can submit their completed and signed application via regular mail to: **Educational Federal Credit Union, Attn: Scholarship Desk, 7780 SW 117 Ave, Suite 118, Miami, FL 33183.**

Hand delivered applications may be submitted at any of our branches prior to closing on Friday, March 22, 2024. For our branch hours and locations, visit [EdFed.org/branches](https://www.edfed.org/branches).

All applications must be received or postmarked on or before Friday, March 22, 2024.

ELIGIBILITY: Applicant must be a resident of the State of Florida for at least 12 consecutive months prior to the application deadline. Applicant must be a high school senior graduating by the end of the current school year and planning to attend an accredited college, university or post-secondary institution of higher learning for the coming school year. The high school must be located in Florida and accredited with the State of Florida/SACS. Applicant must be a US citizen, a resident alien, or the child of a resident alien per Florida Prepaid College Foundation Scholarship requirements.

Applicant or their parent/legal guardian must have been a primary member of EDFED with an active (non-dormant) account opened on or before April 1, 2023. A dormant account is an account that has been inactive for more than 11 months. Dormant accounts must be reactivated by completing a transaction (deposit, withdrawal or transfer) or by calling the Member Contact Center at 305-270-5250. Dormant accounts must be brought to active status prior to the deadline, March 22, 2024, to be considered eligible. Application must be signed by the primary member that meets these membership eligibility requirements.

Applicants or the applicant's parent or legal guardian must be a primary member in good standing for at least 6 months prior to the date of application. Good standing means that the applicant has not been delinquent on a loan obligation or overdrawn on a share account for the 6 month period immediately preceding the date of the application or at the time of drawing, and has not previously caused EdFed a loss.

Applicant must have opened their own EDFED account (as a primary member), and the account must be active by March 22, 2024.

Applicant must submit the following required documents with the completed application:

1. Current OFFICIAL form from the applicant's high school confirming that the applicant is presently attending and meeting graduation requirements, and will graduate with a standard diploma by the end of the current school year. The OFFICIAL Form or Confirmation must be on school letterhead and signed or stamped by the school's Registrar, CAP Advisor or Guidance Counselor; otherwise, it will not be accepted. The high school must be located in Florida and accredited with the State of Florida/SACS. Home schooled students are to provide a copy of the State of Florida high school diploma for the current school year, since they abide by different regulations than public and private school students.

*A form/template is available for download at: [EdFed.org/undergraduatescholarship](https://www.edfed.org/undergraduatescholarship).

The Scholarship Committee will ensure that applications selected as potential recipients are reviewed for eligibility requirements.

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RANDOM DRAWING: Students submitting completed applications in compliance with the requirements will be assigned numbers internally for the purposes of the drawing. The recipients will be selected from among all eligible applications via a random drawing. The Administrator, whose decisions are final and bonding in all matters, will conduct the drawing. Odds of being a recipient depend on the number of eligible applications received. The potential recipients will be contacted via telephone, email, and/or mail. If the potential recipient fails to complete all required procedures, or if a potential recipient is not in compliance with these Official Rules, then such a person shall be disqualified and an alternate recipient may be selected. Credit Union Officials and an independent audit firm will supervise the selection process.

NOTIFICATION: Selected recipients of the Hubert O. Sibley 2 + 2 Florida Prepaid Tuition Scholarship Plan will be notified by telephone, email, and/or mail and will be expected to attend the 2024 Scholarship Ceremony on Thursday, May 23, 2024.

The names of the recipients will be posted online at [EdFed.org/undergraduatescholarship](https://www.edfed.org/undergraduatescholarship), by close of business on May 31, 2024. Notification will only be provided to scholarship recipients. **Non-selected applicants will not be notified.**

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT: Recipient will be required to provide Proof of Florida Residency (residency required for the past 12 consecutive months) and proof of U.S. Citizenship, resident alien, or the child of a resident alien prior to scholarship assignment per Florida Prepaid College Foundation Scholarship requirements.

Recipients may use the Florida Prepaid Tuition Plan at any of Florida's 12 public universities or 28 public community colleges. Tuition includes State Fees (Matriculation, Student Financial Aid and Capital Improvement). **Local, Other and Deferential Fees are the responsibility of the student or the student's parent or legal guardian.** Scholarships awarded to students that fail to meet the eligibility requirements as specified, will be reclaimed by EDFED. Scholarships will be assigned to the recipients upon receipt of the documentation required by the Florida Prepaid College Board.

As the purchaser, EDFED remains the account owner of the Florida Prepaid Tuition Plan. **Any unused portion of an awarded HOS Scholarship will be reclaimed by EDFED if it has not been used within seven (7) years from the date of issuance.** If extenuating circumstances exist, an appeal may be made in writing to the Board of Directors.

Florida also offers accredited Career and Technical Centers throughout the state for students seeking further post-secondary education and certification in specific careers or technical fields. For more information, visit: myfloridaprepaid.com/existing-customers/schools.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND PUBLICITY: Photographs of the recipients may be taken by EDFED for use in EDFED publications and may be released to the news media. Recipients must contact EDFED's Marketing Department to have their picture taken or they may submit an appropriate photograph. Scholarship recipients must consent to the use of their name, photographs, likeness, and limited biographical information for publicity and advertising purposes without further compensation, where permitted by law. All applicants release EDFED, as well as their officers, directors, employees, members, and all others associated with the development and execution of this scholarship program (collectively, the "Released Parties") from any liability with respect to, or in any way arising from, this scholarship program and/or acceptance or use of the scholarship funds, including liability for personal injury, damages, death or monetary loss.