

Bruce A. Blackburn Scholarship Application

Submission Deadline: May 31, 2026



Shuford Federal Credit Union was formed August 27, 1967 as a non-profit financial co-operative owned by its members. Offering a full range of financial products and services to its members and their families.

Shuford Federal Credit Union is Federally Chartered, Federally Insured and regulated by the National Credit Union Administration (NCUA), an agency of the U.S. Government.

Shuford Federal Credit Union is owned by its members and governed by a volunteer, member-elected board of directors. Members are the heart of the credit union and are the only reason the Shuford Federal Credit Union exists.

Step 1 - Applicant Information: *Please print clearly or type.*

Applicant's Name _____
First Middle Last

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Email _____ Day Phone _____ Evening Phone _____

CVCC ID or last 4-digits of SS# _____ High School GPA _____ CVCC GPA _____
(if graduated during the past 5 years) (if applicable)

Intended Program of Study _____ Attending CVCC ____ FT (12+ hrs.) ____ PT (less than 12 hrs.)

Check all that is applicable ____ 2026 High School Graduate ____ New CVCC Student ____ Current CVCC Student

Step 2 – Following is the type of Shuford Credit Union account/accounts that I have and/or the name of my family member that is a Shuford Credit Union Member and my relationship to that person.

Step 3 - Transcript, FAFSA Agreement and Admission to CVCC

- A. I agree to attach my transcript(s) to this application. If you are a prospective 2026 high school graduate, please submit your current high school transcript.
- B. I agree to apply for admission or I have already applied for admission to CVCC. If you have questions regarding the application for admission to CVCC, please call Student Services at 828-327-7000, ext. 4216. If you are currently enrolled, you do not have to resubmit a CVCC Application for Admission.

Step 4 - Write an Essay

Write and attach an essay consisting of no more than 400 words about your career and/or educational goals.

Applicant's Signature _____

Date _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature (if applicant is under 18 years of age) _____

Date _____

Submit your completed application and all supporting materials by May 31, 2026 to the following:

Attn: Jerry Gaillard, President/CEO
Shuford Federal Credit Union
882 16th Street NE • Hickory, NC 28601

For further information, contact Jerry Gaillard at 828-568-1234 or email jerry@shufordcu.org