

Erie 1 BOCES Educational Foundation Scholarship Sponsored by the Amherst Federal Credit Union

For the 2025 calendar year, a scholarship of \$750 each will be awarded to two Erie 1 BOCES students who meet the following criteria:

Eligibility Requirements

- The applicant must be enrolled in an Erie 1 BOCES program for the 2024-2025 school year
- The applicant must be a graduating high school senior or a student completing his/her final year of eligibility as a NYS K-12 student
- The applicant must plan to attend an accredited two or four- year college or approved trade school
- The successful applicant must be currently enrolled or agree to enroll as a member of the Amherst Federal Credit Union

Application Requirements

- Completed and signed application form with necessary attachments on or before the listed deadline of April 18, 2025
- Essay of 250 words or less describing the valuable skills you acquired with the Erie 1 BOCES program in which you participated and how this will help you with your future career plans
- Two letters of reference are needed; one must be from an Erie 1 BOCES teacher and the second may be from a home school district or Erie 1 BOCES teacher, counselor or administrator

Application Procedure

- The application requirements must be completed in full and postmarked by April 18, 2025, in order to be considered
- Mail to: Erie 1 BOCES Educational Foundation, c/o Nancy Bojanowski, 22 Fisher Pond Ct, Williamsville, NY 14221 or email to nancyboj22@gmail.com

Selection/Award Process

- Applicants will be reviewed by board members of the Erie 1 BOCES Educational Foundation, Inc
- Scholarship winners will be notified by May 1, 2025
- Scholarship checks will be made payable to the college, university or approved post-secondary school the award-winner is attending in the fall of 2025.
- Award winners must provide the name and address of the attending institution prior to September 1, 2025