



VyStar
Foundation

Notification of Youth Funding Opportunity

Issued: **Monday, September 9, 2024, at 9 a.m.**

Deadline for Proposal Submission: **Sunday, October 13, 2024, at 5 p.m.**

All proposals must be submitted using our [online grant application](#).

Background

VyStar Foundation is dedicated to doing good and leading by example through collaborative partnerships that support youth, military members and veterans, and overall community vitality in the areas served by VyStar Credit Union.

VyStar Foundation will approve a number of programs to fund each year from federally qualified tax-exempt organizations.

Overview

VyStar Foundation makes grants to organizations that share our strategic priorities and are working toward the broader goal of doing good in the regions served by VyStar Credit Union. We support impactful work, ideas and innovative solutions.

Youth Funding Priorities

VyStar Foundation is giving funding priority to non-profit organizations that support youth (ages 12-18) in their academic achievement by providing wraparound services in the areas of:

Food & Housing Assistance

Career Counseling & Skill Development

Mental Health Support



The Foundation will consider requests up to \$20,000 and will fund a total of \$200,000. The Board of Directors, at its' discretion, may vary funding amounts and the number of awards depending on the quality and number of applications received.

All requests must be submitted via our [online grant application](#).

As you prepare your application, please keep in mind that to be considered for funding your organization must meet specific [eligibility criteria](#).

Want to learn more? Attend a Youth Grant Information Session.

We will be hosting information sessions in September. If you are interested in learning how to engage with the Foundation, the application process or have questions, consider signing up for one of the upcoming virtual Zoom sessions.



Register

Tuesday, September 17, 2024

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM; Zoom

[Register Here](#)

Thursday, September 19, 2024

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM; Zoom

[Register Here](#)

Tuesday, September 24, 2023,

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM; Zoom

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Timeline

Notification of Funding Opportunity

September 9, 2024

Information Sessions

September 17, September 19, September 24, 2024

Full Proposals Due

October 13, 2024

Grant Award Notification

December, 2024

Funding Begins

January 1, 2025



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Should you have any questions about VyStar Foundation, please visit our [website](#), and/or contact Rosimar Melendez, info@vystarfoundation.org, at the VyStar Foundation office.