

## **Canon Carroll Scholarship 2026**

### **Terms & Conditions**

Thomastown Credit Union Ltd, like all credit unions is committed to serving our members. The aim of this programme is to give financial assistance to students who are members of Thomastown Credit Union Ltd and who are going into higher education or completing apprenticeships.

The following Terms & Conditions apply to the Canon Carroll Scholarship: -

1. All applicants must be members of Thomastown Credit Union. One application per member.
2. Applicants must be 16 years of age + (U18 must get their parent/legal guardian's consent)
3. Application forms must be completed in full or may result in the application becoming null and void.
4. The applicants must be completing a Certificate, Diploma, Degree or Masters at a recognised third level institution or the college stage of apprenticeships (stage 2, stage 4 or stage 6). The Scholarships are for full-time courses only.
5. Proof of acceptance onto the applicants chosen course or proof of stage of apprenticeship must be provided by winners of the draw. It is the responsibility of the applicant to provide this.
6. There will be up to ten Scholarships of €1,000 available. The closing date for application forms to be returned is Fri 16<sup>th</sup> October 2026 no later than 5pm.
7. Photo identification and proof of address of the applicant may be requested of winners of the draw for the purpose of identifying the applicant and complying with the Criminal Justice Act 2010 and 2013, requiring us to have this up to date information on file.
8. The winning applicants will be picked at random from the total eligible entries received. Decisions are final and no correspondence will be entered into. Successful applicants will be notified by phone or post following the draw and publicised on website, Facebook and the Kilkenny People Thomastown Notes section.
9. This competition is open to the children of Credit Union Officers on the same terms as any other person.
10. Numbered bottle tops are allocated to each application and drawn and double checked by 2 persons. This will be completed by the Chair of the Credit Union and a Credit Union volunteer.
11. Applicants must still be in their course as at the date of the AGM. The Credit Union reserves the right to ask for evidence of this.
12. DATA PROTECTION a) The Data Controller, who looks after your information, is Thomastown

Credit Union Ltd and you can contact the Data Protection Officer in this regard at the above address or by e-mail to [carol@thomastowncreditunion.ie](mailto:carol@thomastowncreditunion.ie).

b) Your details collected are required to run the competition and fulfil this contract. Proof of address and ID is required to update our records for legislation, namely the Criminal Justice Act 2010 to 2018..

c) Winners photos will be published on the Kilkenny People, our website and Facebook. Your consent is required for this. Your data will not be shared with any other party and will not leave the jurisdiction.

d) The data collected is i) personal - name, address, membership number, date of birth, phone numbers (home and mobile), e-mail. Photos are used for winners. ii) College – if current or new student, name of University, proof of course, course title, course duration, date of commencement.

e) Your data will be destroyed within 6 months of the winners being announced. f) You have the right to correction to rectification and erasure of your data. You also have the right to complain to the Data Protection Commissioners.

Our Privacy Statement can be accessed on the Home page of our website.