



EVERGREEN PARK SCHOOLS FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

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Thank you for your interest in the Evergreen Park Schools Federal Credit Union.

Credit Unions have worked hard to keep pace with the rapid changes in the financial world.

The core values of credit unions remain the same:

*Service to members through cooperative ownership, that makes them unique
in the financial world and an asset to your financial life!*

Membership is Open to Any Employee or Immediate Family Member of:

❖ **District 124**

❖ **District 231**

❖ **A.E.R.O. Special Education Cooperative**

To Sign Up for Membership:

- **Complete the Application for Membership (from our website)**
- **District 124 Employees – List the name of your school**
- **Supply a copy of your driver's license (front & back side)**
- **Deposit of at least \$5.00 in your Share Account.**

For more information, please contact the Credit Union at:

(708) 229-0322

or visit our website at:

www.epsfcu.org

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The office is closed on legal school holidays and any day School District 231 business offices are closed, including emergency days.



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Application for Membership and Account Agreement

*must be thoroughly completed for processing and submitted with a copy of current Photo ID for all owners

First Name, Middle:

Last Name:

SSN Birth Date

Cell Phone Number

Email

Home Phone Number

Address

Work Phone Number

City State Zip Code

ID Presented Driver's License#

I understand that I must subscribe to at least one share in the Credit union in a share savings account. The share savings account will be a(n)

- Individual account
- Joint account, if joint account, fill in information below.
- Trust Account

First Name, Middle:

Last Name:

SSN Birth Date

Cell Phone Number

Email

Home Phone Number

Address

Work Phone Number

City State Zip Code

ID Presented Driver's License#

Payable on Death Designation

Printed Name	Phone Number	Date of Birth	Relationship to Member

Please send me information and an application for the following services provided by the credit union:

- Loan
- Virtual Branch (On line Access)
- Payroll Deduction

By signing below I am applying for membership in this Credit Union, agree to follow by its bylaws and amendments, pay any membership or entrance fee and subscribe for at least one \$5.00 share. I also consent to having my credit report checked as a means of verifying my identity. I qualify for membership in the

Evergreen Park Schools Federal Credit Union because I am -p _____ relationship .

By signing below, the undersigned applies for membership in Evergreen Park Schools Federal Credit Union ("Credit Union") and agrees to the terms stated on this Application and Agreement; agrees to its by-laws and the terms and conditions of any approved account, as amended from time to time; and authorizes the Credit Union to verify credit and employment history by any necessary means, including preparation of a credit report by a credit reporting agency on the undersigned, as individuals. The undersigned certifies that information provided on this Application is true and correct and that the terms on the Application apply to all accounts held by the undersigned at this Credit Union.

Certification: Under penalties of perjury, I certify:

- (1) that the number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number;
- (2) that I am not subject to backup withholding either because I have not been notified that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or the Internal Revenue Service has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding and
- (3) that I am a U.S. Person (including a U.S. resident alien).

Instruction: You must cross out item(2) above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because of underreporting interest or dividends on your tax return.

Signature (1)		Date	
Printed Name (1)		SSN	
Signature (2)		Date	
Printed Name (2)		SSN	

Application approved by: _____ Date: _____ Membership number: _____

FOR CREDIT UNION USE ONLY:	DOCUMENTS SENT:	Date: _____	Initials: _____
CDD: High Med Low	<input type="checkbox"/> Truth-In-Savings <input type="checkbox"/> Privacy Policy		

AGREEMENT – This agreement is subject to applicable federal laws and the laws of the State of Illinois (except to the extent that this agreement can and does vary such rules or laws). We may permit some variations from this standard agreement, but any variations must be agreed to in writing. Unless it would be inconsistent to do so, words and phrases used in this agreement should be construed so that the singular includes the plural and the plural includes the singular. As used in this agreement, the words “we,” “our,” and “us” mean the credit union and the words “you” and “your” mean the owner(s) of this account and any “agent” appointed by or on behalf of the owner(s) to sign on the account in a representative capacity. This account may not be transferred or assigned without our written consent.

LIABILITY – Each of you agrees for yourself (and the person or entity you represent if you sign as a representative of another) to the terms of this account and the schedule of charges that we impose. You authorize us to deduct these charges as accrued directly from the account balance. You also agree to pay additional reasonable charges we may impose for services you request which are not covered by this agreement. Each of you also agrees to be jointly and individually liable for any account deficit resulting from charges or overdrafts, whether caused by you or another authorized to withdraw from this account, and our costs to collect the deficit including, to the extent permitted by law, our reasonable attorneys’ fees. You agree that at our option we may suspend your rights to member services if you violate the terms of this agreement.

DEPOSITS – Any items, other than cash, accepted for deposit (including items drawn “on us”) will be given provisional credit only until collection is final (and actual credit for deposits of, or payable in, foreign currency will be at the exchange rate in effect on final collection in U.S. dollars). We are not responsible for transactions initiated by mail or outside depository until we actually record them. All transactions received after our “daily cutoff time” on a business day we are open, or received on a day in which we are not open for business, will be treated and recorded as if initiated on the next following business day that we are open. We are prohibited by law from guaranteeing the payment of dividends or that dividends we do pay will be at the disclosed rate. Unless otherwise agreed, you waive any right to receive any original item after it is paid.

WITHDRAWALS – Unless otherwise clearly indicated to the contrary, any one of you who signs in the space designated for signatures on the signature card, including any agents, may withdraw or transfer all or any part of the account balance at any time on forms approved by us. We may charge against your account a check, even though payment was made before the date of the check, unless you have given us written notice of the postdating. The fact that we may honor withdrawal requests which overdraw the finally collected account balance does not obligate us to do so, unless required by law. Withdrawals will first be made from collected funds, and we may, unless prohibited by law or our written policy, refuse any withdrawal request again uncollected funds, even if our general practice is to the contrary. We reserve the right to refuse any withdrawal or transfer request which is attempted by any method not specifically permitted, which is for an amount less than any minimum withdrawal requirement, or which exceeds any frequency limitation. Even if we honor a nonconforming request, repeated abuse of the stated limitations (if any) may eventually force us to close this account. We will use the date a transaction is completed by us (as opposed to the day you initiate it) to apply the frequency limitations. We reserve the right to require you to notify us of your intention to withdraw funds from this account as explained in our by-laws. Additional withdrawal limitations may be disclosed elsewhere. See your notice of penalties for early withdrawal.

ACH AND WIRE TRANSFERS – If you originate a fund transfer for which Fedwire is used, and you identify by name and number a beneficiary financial institution, an intermediary financial institution or beneficiary, we and every receiving or beneficiary final institution may rely on the identifying number to make payment. We may rely on the number even if it identifies a financial institution, person or account other than the one named. You agree to be bound by automated clearing house association rules. These rules provide, among other things, that the payments made to you, or originated by you, are provisional until final settlement is made through a Federal Reserve Bank or payment is otherwise made as provided in Article 4A-403(a) of the Uniform Commercial Code. If we do not receive such payment, we are entitled to a refund from you in the amount credited to your account and the party originating such payment will not be considered to have paid the amount so credited. If we receive a credit to an account you have with us by wire or ACH, we are not required to give you notice of the payment order or credit.

OWNERSHIP OF ACCOUNT AND BENEFICIARY DESIGNATION – These rules apply to this account depending on the form of ownership and beneficiary designation, if any, specified on the account records. This Credit Union is hereby authorized to recognize any of the signatures subscribed hereto in the payment of funds or the transaction of any business for this account. The right or authority of this Credit Union under this agreement shall not be changed or terminated by said owners, or any of them except by written notice to this Credit Union which shall not affect transactions theretofore made. We reserve the right to refuse some forms of ownership on any or all of our accounts. **Individual Account** – is owned by one person. **Joint Account** – is owned by two or more persons. Each of you intend that upon your death the balance in the account will belong to the survivor(s). If two or more of you survive, you will own the balance in the account as joint tenants with survivorship and not as tenants in common. **Revocable Trust or Pay-On-Death Account** – If two or more of you create this type of account, you own the account jointly with survivorship. **Death Account** – If two or more of you create this type of account, you own the account jointly with survivorship. Beneficiaries of either of these account types acquire the right to withdraw only if: (1) all persons creating the account die, and (2) the beneficiary is then living. If two or more beneficiaries are named and survive the death of the owner(s) of the account, such beneficiaries will own this account in equal shares, without right of survivorship. Any of the person(s) creating either a Pay-On-Death or Revocable Trust account reserves the right to: (1) change beneficiaries, (2) changed account types, and (3) withdraw all or part of the account funds at any time.

PLEDGES – Unless you tell us differently in writing, each owner of this account may pledge all or any part of the funds in it for any purpose to which we agree. Any pledge of this account must first be satisfied before the rights of any joint account survivor, pay-on-death beneficiary becomes effective.

AMENDMENTS AND TERMINATION – We may change our bylaws and any term of this agreement. Rules governing changes in dividend rates have been provided separately. For other changes we will give you reasonable notice in writing or by any other method permitted by law. We reserve the right to close this account if your membership in this credit union terminates. You agree to keep us informed about your current address at all times. Notice from us to any one of you is notice to all of you.

STATEMENTS – You must examine your statement of account with “reasonable promptness.” If you discover (or reasonably should have discovered) any unauthorized payments or alterations, you must promptly notify us of the relevant facts. If you fail to do either of these duties, you will have to either share the loss with us, or bear the loss entirely yourself (depending on whether we exercised ordinary care and, if not, whether we substantially contributed to the loss.) The loss could be not only with respect to items on the statement but other items forged or altered by the same wrongdoer. You agree that the time you have to examine your statement and report to us will depend on the circumstances, but that such time will not, in any circumstance, exceed a total of 30 days from when the statement is first made available to you.

You further agree that if you fail to report any unauthorized signatures, alterations, forgeries or any other errors in your account with 60 days of when we make the statement available, you cannot assert a claim against us on any items in that statement, and the loss will be entirely yours. This 60-day limitation is without regard to whether we exercised ordinary care. The limitation in this paragraph is in addition to that contained in the first paragraph of this section.

DIRECT DEPOSITS – If, in connection with a direct deposit plan, we deposit any amount in this account which should have been returned to the Federal Government for any reason, you authorize us to deduct the amount of our liability to the Federal Government from this account or from any other account you have with us, without prior notice and at any time, except as prohibited by law. We may also use any other legal remedy to recover the amount of our liability.

TEMPORARY ACCOUNT AGREEMENT – If this option is selected, we may restrict or prohibit further use of this account if you fail to comply with the requirements we have imposed within a reasonable time.

FACSIMILE SIGNATURES – You authorize us, at any time, to charge you for all checks, drafts, or other orders, for the payment of money, that are drawn on us regardless of by whom or by what means the facsimile signature(s) may have been affixed so long as they resemble the facsimile signature specimen on the signature card or that are filed separately with us, and contain the required number of signatures for this purpose.

RIGHT TO REPAYMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS – You each agree that we may (without prior notice and when permitted by law) charge against and deduct from this account any due and payable debt owed to us now or in the future, by any of you having the right of withdrawal, to the extent of such persons’ or legal entity’s right to withdraw. If the debt arises from a note, “any due and payable debt” includes the total amount of which we are entitled to demand payment under the terms of the note at the time we charge the account, including any balance the due date for which we properly accelerate under the note.

In addition to these contract rights, we may also have rights under a “statutory lien.” A “lien” on property is a creditor’s right to obtain ownership of the property in the event a debtor defaults on a debt. A “statutory lien” is one created by federal or state statute. If a federal or state law provides us with a statutory lien, then we are authorized to apply, without prior notice, your shares and dividends to any debt you owe us, in accord with the statutory lien.

Neither our contract rights nor rights under a statutory lien apply to this account if: (a) it is an Individual Retirement Account or other tax-deferred retirement account, or (b) the debt is created by a consumer credit transaction under a credit card plan (but this does not affect our rights under any consensual security interest), or (c) the debtor’s right of withdrawal arises only in a representative capacity. We will not be liable for the dishonor of any check or draft when the dishonor occurs because we charge and deduct an amount you owe us from your account. You agree to hold us harmless from any claim arising as a result of our exercise of our right to repayment.

AGENTS – An agent is someone who you authorize to have access to this account on your behalf. (We, however, have no duty or agreement whatsoever to monitor or insure that the acts of the agent are for your benefit.) This may be done by allowing your agent to sign on the space as an authorized signer on the signature card, or by separate form (such as a power of attorney). An agent is not an owner of the account. We will allow agents to be appointed only on individual accounts unless each owner of a joint account has executed a separate power of attorney naming an agent. We may refuse to accept an agent, or an agency account.