

# ECU NEWS



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## News Briefs



### Holiday Closing

Eastman Credit Union will be closed Monday, September 6 in observance of Labor Day.

### ECU Shred Days

Do you have outdated, confidential documents lying around your house that you aren't sure what to do with? Bring your personal items to Shred Day at ECU! Shred Days provide a great opportunity to reduce theft and security risks, free up some space, and get rid of old, useless files. For more details, and a full schedule, visit [www.ecu.org](http://www.ecu.org).

### UPCOMING SHRED DAYS:

Saturday, September 11 Greeneville branch	8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Saturday, September 25 Gray branch	8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 2 Blountville branch	8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 9 Meadowview branch	8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

*\*Branches are not open for regular business on Saturdays.*

*\*In order to accommodate all members participating, please limit your vehicle to the equivalent of four (4) boxes (12"x10"x15") or less.*

### Free Virtual Seminars

ECU offers many free seminars covering topics such as home buying and selling, retirement planning, home construction, and other topics that may interest you. For a complete schedule, and to register, please visit [www.ecu.org/eventsandseminars](http://www.ecu.org/eventsandseminars).



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## Send and Receive Money with Zelle®

Eastman Credit Union has partnered with Zelle to bring you a fast, safe, and easy way to send and receive money with friends, family, and other people you trust<sup>4</sup>, even if they aren't an ECU member<sup>2</sup>.

Zelle is available within ECU Online® or ECU's mobile app, so you don't need to download anything new to start sending and receiving money!

### FAST

Send money directly from your account to theirs, typically in minutes<sup>1</sup>.

### SAFE

Send and receive money from ECU Online or the mobile banking app<sup>2</sup>.

### FREE

There are no fees to send money with Zelle from ECU Online or the mobile banking app<sup>3</sup>.

### How Do I Enroll?

- 1 - Login to ECU Online or the mobile app
- 2 - In the 'Manage Money' or 'More' menu, select 'Send Money with Zelle®'
- 3 - Enroll your U.S. mobile number or email address
- 4 - Send money to almost anyone you know and trust<sup>2</sup>

**To learn more about Zelle, visit [www.ecu.org/zelle](http://www.ecu.org/zelle).**

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<sup>1</sup>Transactions typically occur in minutes when the recipient's email address or U.S. mobile number is already enrolled with Zelle®.

<sup>2</sup>Must have a bank account in the U.S. to use Zelle®.

<sup>3</sup>Mobile carrier fees may apply.

<sup>4</sup>ECU encourages you to only send money to people you personally know.

## Introducing the ECU Virtual Assistant! Now live on [www.ecu.org](http://www.ecu.org)!

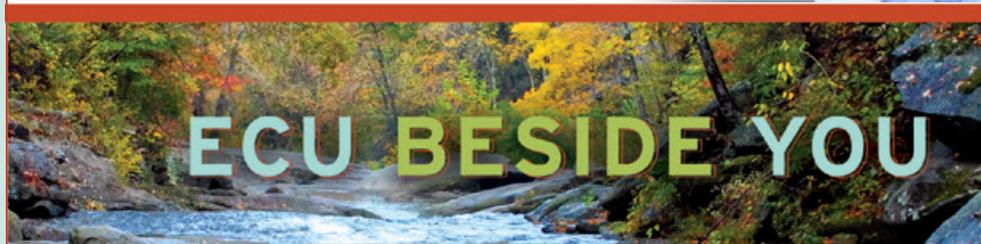
The ECU Virtual Assistant is available 24/7 to answer your general questions and help locate information you're looking for on the website. And the best part is there's no wait time!

Prefer to speak with a person? Simply type "Speak with a rep" and you'll be connected with an ECU Representative during regular business hours.

**Visit [www.ecu.org](http://www.ecu.org) and look for the chat icon in the bottom-right to get started today!**



# ECU BESIDE YOU



## Make Yourself at Home with an ECU Mortgage

100% financing options

Great, low rates

Customized to fit your needs

Local servicing

Complete the process online

Loans subject to credit approval.  
Certain restrictions apply.

Visit [www.ecu.org](http://www.ecu.org)  
or call 800.999.2328  
to apply today!



## Play now and pay later with an ECU RV & Powersports loan!

Enjoy the great outdoors with your new RV, boat, or motorcycle.

**Don't wait until summer's over!**  
**Get started today at [www.ecu.org/fun/](http://www.ecu.org/fun/)!**

Loan and payment deferral subject to approval.



## ECU Student Loans

The fall semester is right around the corner, but it's not too late to apply for an ECU Student Loan!

### How does it work?

ECU student loans are opened as a line of credit based on an estimate of expenses needed to carry you through to graduation. Once the line of credit is established, you will simply request the funds you need to cover your qualifying expenses each semester. Submit the appropriate documentation and you'll receive an advance. It's that easy!

### What expenses are eligible to be included in the student loan?

An ECU student loan covers many expenses that other funding options do not typically include. The following expenses will be covered:

- Tuition
- Computer
- Books
- Study abroad tuition
- Room/board
- Fees
- Other required expenses

### Why choose an ECU Student Loan?

A private student loan from ECU can help bridge the funding gap between scholarships, federal loan options, and your total educational expenses. ECU is here to help with the following great features:

- Interest-only payments until after graduation
- No application or processing fees
- Low fixed rate, so your rate will never increase
- Easily submit an advance request through ECU Online banking

**Achieve your goals with an ECU Student Loan!**  
**Visit [www.ecu.org/student](http://www.ecu.org/student) to get started today.**



For more details about ECU's products and services, visit [www.ecu.org](http://www.ecu.org), or call 423.229.8200 or 800.999.2328.

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