



NEBRASKA BANK SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Criteria

The Nebraska Bank Scholarship is intended to benefit students interested in business or agriculture and who would consider returning to a rural community upon graduating from college. The scholarship will be given to a candidate who shows an exceptional interest in community and has demonstrated the ability to balance academics and extracurricular activities during high school.

Scholarship Features

- One \$1,000 scholarship may be awarded by each Nebraska Bank location, for a total of nine potential scholarships.
- The scholarship will be awarded to the recipient at the beginning of the second semester of their freshman year, having completed the first semester and achieving a GPA of 2.75 or higher.
- Payments will be made directly to the recipient's educational institution.

Eligibility

To be eligible, candidates must meet the following requirements:

- Application must be submitted/postmarked by **April 1st** of each respective year for consideration.
- Be a legal resident of Nebraska.
- Be a high school senior.
- Be enrolled in an approved NEBRASKA college/university within six months of high school graduation.
- Be a full-time student pursuing a degree in a business OR an agriculture related field.
- Must have an interest in returning to a rural Nebraska community to work following graduation from college.

Application Guidelines

- Please submit a complete scholarship application.
- Answer the SHORT-ANSWER question in no more than 150 words; and complete the one-page essay in no more than one typewritten, double-spaced page.
- Weighted consideration will be given to answers and essays demonstrating excellent grammar, spelling, punctuation, and the applicant's ability to express themselves succinctly.

Applications can be submitted via email to: marketing@ne.bank

-OR- mailed/delivered to your local Nebraska Bank location. Physical and mailing addresses for all NINE bank locations can be found:

<https://www.ne.bank/about-us/locations-and-hours>

Make sure to include:

1. Application Form
2. Short-answer question and answer
3. Essay



Recipients will be announced by April 20th of each year.



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Select the Nebraska Bank location to review your application. Only ONE location is permitted.

Alliance___ Atkinson___ Bridgeport___ Carroll___ Chadron___ Dodge___ Hemingford___ Hickman___ Spencer___

Applicant's Personal Information

Name (Last, First, M.I.)

State of Residency

Permanent Mailing Address

City / State / Zip

Primary Phone Number

Email Address

Last 4 Digits of Social Security Number

High School Name / Main Office Phone Number

NEBRASKA College / University Information

Will be a Full – Time Student (Yes or No)

College / University Attending (Indicate if Undecided)

College / University Address

City / State / Zip

Planned Department, Major

College / University Phone Number

High School GPA

ACT or SAT score

Class Rank

Number in Class

List any Athletics, Leadership Positions, and Extracurricular Activities

(Sport, Clubs, Employment, Hobbies, Volunteer Work, Arts, Etc.) OR attach a resume:

In 150 words or less, complete this SHORT-ANSWER question:

- What are your future plans and life goals after college?



Please complete a ONE-PAGE essay that answers the following:

- How does a rural bank improve your community?