



Nebraska
Nursery &
Landscape
Association

2019

All rules and guidelines for the scholarship application including:
Deadline, general information, college information, required
background information in the form of paragraphs or essays and
reference information.

Scholarship
Packet

NEBRASKA NURSERY AND LANDSCAPE ASSOCIATION

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FOR \$1500 towards TUITION & BOOKS

Scholarship funds are available to students enrolled in a horticulture program at a University or college located within the state of Nebraska.

To be awarded at the Nebraska GREAT PLAINS Conference

(Please print legibly.)

DEADLINE IS DECEMBER 10th

General Information:

Name: _____

Complete Home Address: _____

Home Phone Number: _____

College Information:

Complete College Address: _____

College Phone Number: _____

E-mail address: _____

College Enrolled In: _____

GPA: _____

Graduation Date: _____

Number of Semesters in Horticulture Program: _____

On a separate sheet(s) of paper, please compose a short essay to include:

- **Personal background**
- **Leadership skills & scholastic achievements**
- **Why this scholarship is important to your immediate future and if you have any particular hardship.**
- **What are your interests in horticultural and why**
- **What are your goals in the industry**
- **How do you feel about the Horticulture Industry now and in the future.**

Please keep your answers concise and on topic. Your remarks and presentation weigh heavily in the judges scoring.

Don't forget to complete the attached reference forms.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Mail to:

NNLA, Scholarship Committee, 521 First Street, PO Box 10, Milford, NE 68405

Instructions for Reference Forms

Two reference forms are included with this application. Please select references that know your character and/or your potential in the field of horticulture. One should be an employer or former employer. Do not list a faculty member from the Horticulture Department unless they have employed you.

1. Remove the two reference forms from this application.
2. Legibly print the name of your references and your name in the appropriate spaces.
3. Mail the form to your references along with a stamped envelope addressed to: Scholarship Committee, Nebraska Nursery & Landscape Association, 521 First Street, PO Box 10, Milford, NE 68405.
4. Complete the portion below and return it with your application to the NNLA.

Personal References

The people I have sent my reference letters to be completed and returned to the Scholarship Committee, NNLA are as listed:

First Reference

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Second Reference

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Nebraska Nursery & Landscape Association

Scholarship REFERENCE Form

Student Name: _____
(to be filled in by student before sending to reference)

To: _____ (reference)

I am applying for a scholarship to be awarded by the Nebraska Nursery & Landscape Association. I hope you will serve as a reference to help the Scholarship Committee assess my qualifications. Please complete the bottom half of this form. If you would like to give them further information, please comment on the back of this sheet or enclose a separate letter. Enclosed is a stamped, addressed envelope for your use in returning this form to the Nebraska Nursery & Landscape Association. **The Deadline for the application and references is December 10.** Please return to: Nebraska Nursery & Landscape Association, Scholarship Committee, 521 First Street, PO Box 10, Milford, NE 68405.

(Student Name)

(Student Address)

(Student City, State, Zip)

Please rate the applicant by checking the most appropriate space for each of the qualities listed.

	Above Superior	Average	Below Average	Poor	Not Observed
Potential for Career Success					
Dependability					
Integrity & Honesty					
Scholarship & Intellectual Ability					
Compatibility					
Drive & Initiative					

Please attach further comments.

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MEMBERSHIP – Scholarship Applicant

Annual Dues

Membership Year: July 1st – June 30th

Full Time Student Members..... \$15

Please (print or type)

Name _____ Firm Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email Address _____

Phone Number _____ Fax Number _____

Web Site _____

I do not want the above information posted on the NNLA website.

Check Enclosed

Credit Card

*Mastercard *Visa *Discover Card

Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____ Amount Charged: _____

Signature: _____

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