

COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF ELLENDALE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Ellendale Community Foundation (CFE) announces applications are now being accepted for the 2026 Ellendale Community Foundation Scholarship Award program. Under this program, two (2) \$750.00 scholarship will be awarded to graduating high school seniors with plans to further their education.

SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES AND PRIORITIES.

- Applicants must be a high school senior from NRHEG High School.
- Applicants must submit a full application.
- This is a one-time, non-renewable scholarship.
- Applications must be returned to NRHEG Guidance Counselor by **March 20th, 2026**.

SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION PROCESS.

- Applications are to be given to NRHEG's Guidance Counselor's Office by the application deadline. NRHEG Guidance Counselor's Office will give all scholarship applications to the CFE Board of Directors after the deadline has elapsed.
- The winner will be selected based on:
 - ✓ Completed Scholarship Application
 - ✓ Scholarship Application turned in by deadline
 - ✓ NRHEG High School Senior
- Scholarship recipients will be announced during NRHEG Scholarship Day Ceremony.
- A representative of the CFE Board of Directors will present two scholarship awards to selected recipients pursuing higher education in either a Trades Program, 2 Year Degree Program or 4 Year Undergraduate Degree during NRHEG's Scholarship Day ceremony.
- It will be the responsibility of the recipient(s) to provide proof (Official/Unofficial Transcript) to CFE/NRHEG Guidance Counselor of final grades at the completion of 1st Semester/2nd Quarter and enrollment for the 2nd Semester/3rd Quarter.
- Scholarship funds will be made payable directly to the institution of higher education, on behalf of the student after completion of the 1st Semester/2nd Quarter of the First Year of College.

APPLICATION PROCESS.

All applications must be sent to:

**NRHEG High School
Attn: Guidance Counselor
306 Ash Ave. S
New Richland, MN 56072**

Thank you for taking time to apply for the Ellendale Community Foundation Scholarship program! To ensure we have all the information needed for the selection process, please complete this application in full and supply all the required documentation with your application.





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PERSONAL INFORMATION.

Form fields for personal information: First Name, Last Name, Address, City, State, Zip Code, Date of Birth, Phone Number, Email Address (Primary Notification), Name of Parent(s) or Guardian(s).

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION.

Form fields for educational information: Name of Current High School, Name of College/Technical School Attending, Course of Study/Major, Why did you choose this school and your course of study/major?

Did you apply for FAFSA (Free Application For Student Aid)? [] Yes [] No

Have you received any scholarships or grants? [] Yes [] No

Total Amount Awarded: \$ _____

PERSONAL STATEMENT. *(Attach typed sheet with this information if needed.)*

Tell us a little bit about yourself and your educational plans after high school. Be sure to include major/field of study and how you chose the school you plan to attend.

Where do you see yourself in 5 years?

How do you plan to contribute to your community in the future? Please describe how and what impacts you can make in your future community.



By signing this Application, if selected as a Scholarship Recipient, I AGREE:

- *That the CFE Board of Directors may contact my high school to verify my GPA;*
- *To a public announcement of scholarship award and photo on the CFE Facebook page, and submission to local media;*
- *To notify CFE if my school plans change, and I do not attend the post-secondary education institution noted on this application.*

Applicant's Signature

Date

To be completed by the High School's Guidance Office (computed after completion of Junior Year)

Class Rank: _____ **Class Size:** _____ **GPA:** _____

