

2016 Scholarships

Application Deadline: April 1, 2016

Apply online at northdakota.dollarsforscholars.org

Scholarships Available to High Schools Seniors

JoAnn Link Hetzel Vocational/Technical/Trade School Scholarship:

- \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to students attending a vocational or technical/trade school
- Applicants must have a 2.5 GPA or higher and be a full time student
- Students pursuing mechanics, electrical, welding, or surveying will receive preference for scholarships sponsored by Falkirk Mining Company and Coteau Properties Company

Dr. Fradkin Community Service/Volunteer Scholarship:

- \$500 scholarships will be awarded to students who excel in community service

Military Scholarship:

- \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to dependents of members of a North Dakota military unit/installation
- Applicants must have a 2.5 GPA or higher and be a full time student

Scholarships Available to Current College Students

Robert and Doris Alin Legacy Scholarship:

- \$2,500 scholarship will be awarded to a student pursuing an education degree
- Applicant must be a junior or senior with a 2.5 GPA or higher
- Applicant must be a full time student and be employed at least 10 hours per week

Military Scholarship:

- \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to dependents of members of a North Dakota military unit/installation
- Applicants must have a 2.5 GPA or higher and be a full time student

James A. Guy Returning Students/Graduate Students Scholarship:

- \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded
- Applicants must have a 2.5 GPA or higher and be a full time student

Professional Association Returning Students/Graduate Students Scholarship:

- \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded
- Students in the following majors are eligible for scholarships sponsored by Professional Associations:
 - Accounting
 - Advertising
 - Agricultural Economics
 - Banking
 - Business
 - Chiropractic
 - Communications
 - Computer and Information Technology Sciences (including programing, data processing, web design, system analysis, networking, engineering, simulator maintenance, etc.)
 - Economics
 - Finance
 - Graphic Arts
 - Journalism (including related majors that support community print journalism)
 - Dietetics

2016 Scholarship Sponsors

Summa Cum Laude: \$10,000 +

Bank of North Dakota

Magna Cum Laude: \$5,000 - \$9,999

Coteau Properties Company

Falkirk Mining Company

James A Guy Memorial Endowment

Cum Laude: \$2,500-\$4,999

Bell State Bank & Trust, Fargo

MDU Resources Foundation

Robert & Doris Alin Legacy Scholarship Endowment

Starion Financial

Honors: \$1,000-\$2,499

Enbridge

Independent Community Bankers of North Dakota

Information Technology Council of North Dakota

Joann Link Hetzel Endowment

North Dakota Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics

North Dakota Bankers Association

North Dakota Chiropractic Association

North Dakota CPA Society

North Dakota Newspaper Association

North Dakota Society of Accountants

Ottertail Power Company

Professional Insurance Agents of North Dakota

Scheels All Sports, Bismarck

Scheels All Sports, Fargo

T. E. Kenville

Wells Fargo

West Acres Development

How to Apply for Scholarships

Over \$100,000 in scholarships is available to students through North Dakota Dollars for Scholars. North Dakota high school seniors and college students are encouraged to apply. Applications are now open and being accepted online through April 1. Scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$2,500 will be awarded for the 2016-2017 academic year. Applicants must be from a North Dakota community with an active Dollars for Scholars chapter to qualify. Students from a wide range of backgrounds will be awarded as scholarships cover a variety of areas including vocational/technical schools, military family, community service and continuing college students. Scholarship details and a link to the online application are available at northdakota.dollarsforscholars.org.

How to apply?

- Create or edit your student profile by logging in under the **Students & Parents** tab at northdakota.dollarsforscholars.org.
- Remember the deadline for North Dakota Dollars for Scholars Scholarships is April 1.
- By editing your profile you will be matched to scholarships to which you meet the minimum eligibility requirements. You may be matched to Dollars for Scholars scholarships offered by your local chapter, state chapter and even national opportunities.
- You do NOT need to complete the **Financial Info** section or the **References** section of your profile to be matched to scholarships from North Dakota Dollars for Scholars. You may still apply for scholarships even if your profile is less than 100% complete.
- Next visit the **My Scholarships** section of your profile to view and apply for scholarships to which you have been matched. Click each scholarship to answer additional questions and to submit an online application. You must submit to each scholarship in order to be considered.
- Be sure to update your profile annually and reapply for new scholarships between January 1 and April 1.

Contact Laura Fiedler, State Director, if you have questions or need assistance: lentzel@nd.gov or 701.328.5702