

NORTHLAND PIONEER COLLEGE FRIENDS AND FAMILY announces the

Arvin Palmer, Ph.D., Memorial Scholarship

\$1000 (\$500 per semester) for a graduate of **Snowflake High School** toward tuition, books and fees for the **2024-25** academic year; \$500 per semester with second- semester award based on continued satisfactory academic progress.

Established by the family and friends of Dr. Palmer, former Vice President of Northland Pioneer College in memory of him and in honor of his lifelong devotion to education and community service

Criteria:

Degree or certificate-seeking at NPC.

Graduating senior from **Snowflake High School Class of 2024**

Successfully completed prior credits at NPC at the time of award.

Enrolled for 6 or more credits at NPC during the semester of award.

Cumulative Grade-Point Average of 3.0 or better on a 4.0 scale.

Students who will be going on a mission in the year following high school graduation may apply for the scholarship, and if awarded, may defer the award until they return from their mission and enroll at NPC.

How Do You Apply? Attach all application documents as ONE, SINGLE PDF FILE, as directed on the online application form

Application documents:

- Essay – 500 words or fewer – Addressing the following:
 - What are your career goals;
 - What are your educational goals;
 - What resources you have to fund your education making you qualified to receive this scholarship; and
 - Why the scholarship is needed, and specifically how it will be used.

The key to the scholarship essay is that it is a personal narrative, reflecting your experiences and goals. DO NOT USE ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE, SUCH AS CHAT GPT, to write your essay. It is important that your personal voice come through!

- [Click here for tips on writing your scholarship essay](#)
- Demonstration of financial status as evidenced by Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) **FAFSA Submission Summary (FSS) PAGE 1 ONLY for the 2024-25 academic year**, or letter of award from NPC Financial Aid Office or MyNPC page.
- Your unofficial transcript from <https://mynpc.npc.edu/ics> indicating your degree intent; students without an NPC transcript must submit a degree plan (see academic advisor)
- Letter from high school showing applicant is on-track to graduate in Spring 2024.
- Unofficial HS transcript
- Two letters of recommendation, one from a high school or college instructor, and one from a recommender of the applicant's choice. Recommenders should reference the applicant by name in their letter.

Application Deadline: **Thursday, April 18 at 12:00 p.m. MST., for funding for the FALL 2024 semester.**

For more information, contact NPC Friends and Family Executive Director Betsyann Wilson: 928-536-6245 or betsy.wilson@npc.edu