

NPC FRIENDS AND FAMILY FILL-THE-GAPS SCHOLARSHIP

\$1000 toward tuition, books and fees for the **SPRING 2025** semester

One scholarship to a student at each campus, and one scholarship to a student at each center each semester. *This is a need-based scholarship, for students who are **receiving the PELL grant** but can demonstrate financial need.*

Criteria:

- Degree-seeking at NPC
- Demonstrate financial need. Need is prioritized for this scholarship.
- Enrolled for 6 or more credits at NPC during the semester of award
- Cumulative Grade-Point Average of 2.0 or better
- High school diploma or GED® at the time of award
- Not in overpayment status at NPC
- *Students currently in high school at the time of award are not eligible to apply.*

If you have not done so, file your FAFSA ASAP! You must provide a financial aid award letter for 2024-25 to receive this scholarship.

How Do You Apply?

Attach all application documents as directed on the online application form

Application documents:

1. 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](#)

2. 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.
3. 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)

Scholarship recipients may re-apply for this award in subsequent academic years (not to exceed four consecutive semesters).

Application Deadline: Thursday, November 14 at 12:00 p.m. MST., for funding for the SPRING 2025 semester.

Applications received after this date/time will not be accepted, regardless of why they are late. You are **STRONGLY** advised to submit your application well in advance of the deadline date!

For more information, contact NPC Friends and Family Executive Director Betsyann Wilson @ 928-536-6245 or Development Director Karen Zimmerman @ 928-536-6269 or email us at NPCFF@npc.edu