

Nebraska Homeschool Scholarship Program

Instructions

2016

Description: A needs-based scholarship program available to NEBRASKA HOMESCHOOL members.

Purpose: To provide practical help, support, and encouragement to home educators by defraying some of the costs associated with the pursuit of an optimal educational experience for students within our homeschooling community.

Instructions: All NEBRASKA HOMESCHOOL members are encouraged to review the general guidelines to see if a NEBRASKA HOMESCHOOL scholarship will benefit their homeschooling efforts. This document (**NEBRASKA HOMESCHOOL Scholarship Instructions**), along with **NEBRASKA HOMESCHOOL Scholarship FAQ**, and the **NEBRASKA HOMESCHOOL Scholarship Application**, are available for review or download at www.nebraskahomeschool.org.

General Guidelines:

1. Must be an established NEBRASKA HOMESCHOOL member for 18 consecutive months prior to application; current NEBRASKA HOMESCHOOL membership is required.
2. Only one scholarship can be awarded to a family per school year (1 July—30 June). Please consider the best way the scholarship can aid your homeschool program before applying.
3. Scholarships are available to any homeschool student. The student must meet criteria for participation in the requested activity. Please contact the NEBRASKA HOMESCHOOL Board if there is a question in this area.
4. NEBRASKA HOMESCHOOL Scholarship Applications are accepted throughout the entire year and are reviewed as received.
5. Scholarship awards will vary based on amount requested and amount available in the scholarship fund.
6. Scholarship awards are not intended to cover 100% of the cost, but are intended to defray costs associated with homeschooling. The final amount of the scholarship award will be determined by the NEBRASKA HOMESCHOOL Board according to the application request.

Items that may qualify for a NEBRASKA HOMESCHOOL Scholarship:

Academic Scholarships

Includes costs/fees related to:

- Curriculum
- Classes
- Tuition

Arts Scholarships

Includes costs/fees related to:

- Music/Choir
- Drama
- Art
- Dance

DOES NOT INCLUDE PRIVATE LESSONS

Health/Athletic Scholarships

Includes costs/fees related to:

- PE Class
- Sport groups/clubs
- Organized sport teams

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Other Scholarships

Includes costs/fees related to:

- Graduation
- Handicap issues (non-medical)
- Learning disability issues
- Homeschool activities (clubs, conferences, workshops, labs, etc.)