



Raymond G. Alvine  
Memorial Scholarship Fund

# Requirements

Applying for scholarship

## Scholarship Eligibility Criteria

- Student must be pursuing a career in mechanical, electrical or architectural engineering at the University of Nebraska System, University of Iowa, Iowa State University, or Kansas State University
- Must be an incoming college Freshman, Sophomore or Junior in the forthcoming school year
- Must have a 3.0 or higher cumulative grade point average (CPA) on a 4.0 scale
- Must be currently enrolled full-time (12 or more credit hours) undergraduate student OR have completed 3 ½ years of high school
- Must be a U.S. citizen
- Must have taken the ACT and scored a minimum of 21, or the SAT and scored a minimum of 800
- Must submit a personal essay and resume
- Financial Information Required
  - High School Seniors must submit a **complete** FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) signed by parent/guardian or a College Estimator signed by parent/guardian
  - Current college students must submit an expense/financial aid report from the financial aid office

## Official Transcript

The applicant's **most recent** official transcript(s) are required. Faxed photocopies and computer printouts will not be accepted.

## Award

Notification of award is made by June 15. The Omaha Community Foundation will make the disbursement to the University on behalf of the student upon proof or registration for the semester and proof of current GPA. The amount awarded will be a minimum of \$500 and a maximum of \$3,000 to any one student. Scholarship recipients are eligible for renewal. Please see [www.rgascholarship.org](http://www.rgascholarship.org) for further information.

## Application Checklist

- Completed and signed Raymond G. Alvine Scholarship Fund application form. The form may either be typed or clearly hand-written.
- Parent/Guardian signature
- Two letters of recommendation. We suggest a professor or advisor from school, and/or a non-related adult friend at work or in your community who knows you well.
  - a. Letters of recommendation from an advisor or professor must be printed on school letterhead
  - b. Your letters of recommendation must be current
- Personal Essay
- Resume
- Copy of most current high school/college transcript
- Copies of ACT and/or SAT results
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- Please do NOT staple or double-side any of the documents.
- Application must be postmarked by March 31
- Incomplete applications will not be considered**

## **Submission**

Completed application packets must be postmarked on or before March 31. If any circumstances change after submission of application (e.g. additional financial aid awards) applicant must submit a revised application, highlighting the changes.

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# Application

**Student Profile** All information must be completed.

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Last Name* *First Name* *MI*

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. Citizen:  Y  N Gender:  M  F Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Information**

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Street Address* *Apt No.*

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Street Address* *Apt No.*

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Academic Profile**

Please provide high school and college information, including cumulative grade point average on a 4.0 scale. List all high schools and colleges/universities you are attending or plan to attend. Official transcripts must be submitted. All information provided will be verified.

Current Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_

Highest ACT Composite Score \_\_\_\_\_

Highest SAT Composite Score \_\_\_\_\_

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*Name of Institution* *Location (City/State)* *Attendance (Mo/Yr)* *Grad Date (Mo/Yr)* *Cum. GPA*

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Indicate what college level you will be in the forthcoming academic year:

- Freshman       Sophomore       Junior

Which Engineering Degree are you pursuing?    Mechanical       Electrical       Architectural

Indicate the institution you are (will be) attending:

- University of Iowa       Iowa State University       Kansas State University       University of Nebraska System

### Cost/Funding Worksheet

Estimated Annual Cost (Tuition, Fees, Room & Board, Books) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- Student's Annual Contribution      \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Parent's Annual Contribution      \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Scholarships\*      \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Pell Award      \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Work Study      \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Student Loans      \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Total      \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- **Financial Gap\***      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Please detail all scholarships:**

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**\*If you are not awarded the Raymond G. Alvine Memorial Scholarship, how will you fill the above financial gap?**

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## **Personal Essay**

Please provide a personal statement of no more than two pages (8½ x 11 paper). The essay should be typed using 10-point font and double spaced with 1-inch margins. Your name and date must appear at the top of the sheet. Please do not staple or double-side the essay.

Discuss the following:

- Your specific interest in engineering and your leadership qualities.
- Your personal and career goals.
- What event or individual made the biggest impact on who you are today?

## **Resume**

Please provide a copy of your resume and include the following:

- ACT and/or SAT score
- Work history
- Community service and/or public services activities
- School activities
- Demonstrated talents and skills
- Awards or special recognition

## **Certification**

All information in this application is complete, factually accurate and honestly presented. I understand that any information given falsely or intentionally withheld will cause me (my child) to be ineligible to receive this scholarship award; and if such falsehood is discovered subsequent to awarding of this scholarship, will result in revocation of the scholarship award.

I also understand that if I am selected for this award, I am responsible for providing the Raymond G. Alvine Memorial Scholarship Fund with proof of enrollment/enrollment verification, official transcripts for the academic year awarded, and any other required documents in a timely manner.

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_