



Raymond G. Alvine  
Memorial Scholarship Fund

# 2023 Application Requirements

## 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 have a minimum of three semesters remaining until graduation at the start/beginning of the forthcoming school year.
- Must have a 3.0 or higher cumulative grade point average (GPA) 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 submit a personal essay and resume
- Financial Information Required
  - High School Seniors must submit a Student Aid Report (SAR) that summarizes the information reported on your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or a College Funding Estimator signed by a parent/guardian. The SAR must be more than one page; the cover sheet alone is not sufficient.
  - Current college students must submit an expense/financial aid report from the financial aid office

## Official Transcript

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

## Award

The amount awarded will be up to \$5,000 to any one student. In the 13 years since the Scholarship was established in 2008, \$263,000 has been awarded. Award notification is made by April 24. The Scholarship is eligible for renewal and is contingent upon meeting the criteria outlined in the renewal application, as well as approval by the committee.

The Omaha Community Foundation will make the disbursement to the University on behalf of the student upon proof of registration for the semester and proof of current GPA. 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 (using the template attached)
- Copy of most current high school/college transcript
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  - b. Current college students must submit an expense/financial aid report from the financial aid office.
- Please do NOT staple or double-side any of the documents.**
- Application must be postmarked by March 17
- Incomplete applications will not be considered**

## Submission

Completed application packets must be postmarked on or before March 17. 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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## Student Profile

All information must be completed.

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

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(City, State)*

U.S. Citizen:  Y  N Gender:  M  F

## Mailing Information

Student's Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

## 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 \_\_\_\_\_

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

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Please indicate the number of semesters you will have remaining at the start of the school year: \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate the institution you are (will be) attending and the Engineering Degree you are pursuing:

**University of Nebraska System**

- Architectural       Electrical       Mechanical

**Kansas State University**

- Architectural       Electrical       Mechanical

**University of Iowa** (A degree in Architectural Engineering is not offered at this institution)

- Electrical       Mechanical

**Iowa State University** (A degree in Architectural Engineering is not offered at this institution)

- Electrical       Mechanical

### 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 double-check your math, making sure it is accurate

\*\*Please detail all scholarships:

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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 using the following template.

## 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: \_\_\_\_\_

# Your Name

Street Address  
City, State, Zip Code  
Phone Number and Email Address

## Objective

Outline your career objective here.

## Summary of Qualifications

- List all qualifications here.

## Education

School Name – School City, State (list all schools)

- Dates of attendance
- Focus
- GPA
- Class rank

## Awards

- List all academic and other awards

## Activities

- List all sports, clubs, etc. as well as dates of involvement

## Work Experience

Company Name, dates of employment (list all work experience)

- Job title, description, responsibilities

## Volunteer Work

- List all volunteer work as well as dates of involvement