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Lincoln, NE (June 17, 2016). The National Federation of the Blind of Nebraska today announces the 2016 NFBN Scholarship Program and the immediate release of its application form.

Are you a legally blind college student living in Nebraska? This annual program offers 5 scholarships ranging in value from $250.00 to $1,000 to eligible students from high school seniors beginning their freshman year in the fall semester of 2016 up through grad students working on their PhD. These merit scholarships are based on academic excellence, community service, and leadership. In addition to the money, each winner will receive an all- expense paid trip to the NFBN state convention in Columbus, NE from October 7th through 9th,  2016, and the chance to compete for one of five scholarships awarded by the state affiliate and various chapters and divisions within the NFB of Nebraska.

Anyone who has ever attended an NFBN convention will be proud to attest to its ability to be a positive, life changing experience.

To apply, read the rules and the submission checklist, complete the official 2016 Scholarship Application Form (online or in print), supply all required documents, and request and complete one interview with the NFBN affiliate president.

 To apply, print an application form or to learn more, go to [www.ne.nfb.org/scholarship-form](http://www.ne.nfb.org/scholarship-form).