



NSBA College Student Scholarships

NSBA is offering a **\$500 college student scholarship**, which will be awarded at the March convention.

The prerequisites are as follows:

1 - Applicants must have completed a minimum of five semesters in a Nebraska College or University music education program, with a wind or percussion instrument as the primary area of study.

2 - Applicants must also be student members of NSBA.

To apply, please email the NSBA Awards Chair the following information:

- Name
- College/University
- Email address
- Phone number
- Name of high school band director
- High school attended

In addition, please write a brief paragraph answering the following question:

- Who had the most influence, musically, in my life?

Please write a brief essay (no more than two pages) to answer the following questions:

- Why I want to become a band director
- How I will make a difference in music education

Please type in a word document.

Student applications must be accompanied by one letter of recommendation from a faculty member.

All application materials will be reviewed by a committee appointed by the NSBA Awards Chair. This committee will inform the Awards Chair of the scholarship winner, and the Awards Chair will contact the winner. Scholarship winners will be recognized at the annual awards banquet in March.

DEADLINE for the NSBA college student scholarships is **JANUARY 20th**.

Please e-mail the completed application to Carrie Jensen at nsba.awards@gmail.com.

If you have questions, please contact NSBA Awards Chair, Carrie Jensen.