DEADLINES:

APPLY FOR ADMISSION BY
JAN. 15, 2017 (UNL)
FEB. 1, 2017
(UNO, UNK)

SUBMIT THIS DAVIS-CHAMBERS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION BY
FEB. 1, 2017 (UNL*, UNO, UNK)
AUG. 1, 2017 (UNMC)

*UNL applicants must apply online – myred.unl.edu

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT YOUR GUIDANCE COUNSELOR OR:

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA–LINCOLN
OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS
1410 Q STREET
P.O. BOX 880417
LINCOLN, NE 68588-0417
Phone: (800) 742-8800, ext. 2023 or (402) 472-2023
admissions@unl.edu
admissions.unl.edu

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT KEARNEY
OFFICE OF STUDENT EQUITY AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS
905 WEST 25TH STREET
KEARNEY, NE 68849
Phone: (800) 532-7639 or (308) 865-8520
www.unk.edu

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT OMAHA
MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS
MBSC 1ST FLOOR
6001 DODGE STREET
OMAHA, NE 68182-0467
Phone: (800) 858-8648 or (402) 554-2248
www.unomaha.edu

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA MEDICAL CENTER
OFFICE OF STUDENT EQUITY AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS
984275 NEBRASKA MEDICAL CENTER
OMAHA, NE 68198-4275
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DAVIS–CHAMBERS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

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FEB. 1, 2017 (UNL, UNO, UNK)
AUG. 1, 2017 (UNMC)
THE DAVIS–CHAMBERS SCHOLARSHIP
For students applying for admission to (or already admitted to) one or more of the campuses of the University of Nebraska.

The Davis–Chambers Scholarship recognizes academically promising students from diverse backgrounds who often find that the financial requirements of postsecondary education are a major obstacle. Qualified applicants should be graduates of a Nebraska High School and a resident of Nebraska.

The amount can equal the full cost of attendance. The typical award is between $2,000 and $4,000 a year. Each applicant is required to also file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as additional resources may be available to students with financial need. UNMC recipients receive awards between $500 - 2,000.

Send a copy of this application to each campus (UNO, UNK, UNMC) at which you would like to be considered a candidate for the scholarship. UNL applicants must apply online – myred.unl.edu

HOW TO APPLY FOR THE DAVIS–CHAMBERS SCHOLARSHIP

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA–LINCOLN

1. Take the ACT or SAT on or before the December national test dates. Indicate UNL as one of the institutions to automatically receive your scores from the testing agency.

2. Apply for admission. Your Application for Admissions, Personal Statement (available at myred.unl.edu), an official high school transcript, and ACT/SAT scores should be submitted to the Office of Admissions at UNL by January 15.

3. Complete the Diversity Enhancement Scholarship Application online at myred.unl.edu by February 1, and indicate your interest in Davis-Chambers.

4. Complete the confidential financial information by February 1. The UNL confidential financial information should be mailed to:

   UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA–LINCOLN
   OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS
   1410 Q ST
   LINCOLN, NE 68588-0417

   UNL Scholarship Application questions should be directed to:
   1-800-742-8800, ext. 2023

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT OMAHA

1. Take the ACT or SAT on or before the December national test dates. Indicate UNO as one of the institutions to automatically receive your scores from the testing agency.

2. Apply for admission. Submit your Application for Admission, an official high school transcript, and ACT/SAT scores to the Office of Admissions at UNO by February 1.

3. Complete the Davis–Chambers Scholarship Application (attached), including written responses to the essay questions and the confidential section on family income and number of dependents by February 1.

4. Complete and submit the UNO General Scholarship Application to UNO’s Office of Financial Aid by February 1.

   All UNO Scholarship Application materials should be mailed to:
   UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT OMAHA
   MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS
   MBSC 1ST FLOOR
   6001 DODGE STREET
   OMAHA, NE 68182-0467

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT KEARNEY

1. Take the ACT or SAT on or before the December national test dates. Indicate UNK as one of the institutions to automatically receive your scores from the testing agency.

2. Apply for admission. Submit your Application for Admission, an official high school transcript, and ACT/SAT scores to the Office of Admissions at UNK by February 1.

3. Complete the Davis–Chambers Scholarship Application (attached), including written responses to the essay questions and the confidential section on family income and number of dependents by February 1.

   All UNK Scholarship Application materials should be mailed to:
   UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT KEARNEY
   OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID
   905 WEST 25TH STREET
   KEARNEY, NE 68849

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA MEDICAL CENTER

1. Complete the Davis–Chambers Scholarship Application (attached), including written responses to the essay questions and the confidential section on family income and number of dependents by August 1:

   The UNMC Scholarship Application should be mailed to:
   UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA MEDICAL CENTER
   OFFICE OF STUDENT EQUITY
   AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS
   984275 NEBRASKA MEDICAL CENTER
   OMAHA, NE 68198-4275
DAVIS–CHAMBERS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name ___________________________________________________________________________________________

Address _________________________________________________________________________________________

City __________________________________________ State ______________________  ZIP ___________________

Telephone ________________________________________________________________________________________

High School ______________________________________________________________________________________

NU ID Number or Social Security Number _______________________________________________________________

Major/Area of Academic Interest ______________________________________________________________________

Responsible Guardian ______________________________________________________________________________

Are members of your family college graduates? Father (Y/N) Mother (Y/N) Siblings (Y/N)

☐ Male  ☐ Female  Birth date_______________________________________

Are you in a free or reduced lunch program at your high school? (Y/N)

Optional

☐ African-American  ☐ Hispanic/Latino/Latina  ☐ Asian  ☐ Caucasian

☐ Native American  ☐ Multiracial_______________________

ESSAY QUESTIONS

Please be as responsive as you can to each question. Your responses should be no longer than one typed page for each question.

• What knowledge and experiences have you had living or working in a diverse community or organization? Please provide specific examples.

• Please explain any obstacles you have overcome due to your neighborhood and/or community circumstances.

CONFIDENTIAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION

To be completed by the student’s parent or guardian

Please provide the following information for the years indicated. This information will remain confidential and will only be used in the awarding of the Davis–Chambers Scholarship. Documentation may be required; please respond promptly to any requests for additional information. The signature of the parent/guardian providing the information is required.

2015

Adjusted gross income Form 1040-Line 37/Form 1040A-Line 21/

Number of exemptions claimed Form 1040 or 1040A - Line 6d/ Form 1040 EZ

Form 1040EZ-Line 4- Line 6d/

2016

Adjusted gross income (please estimate)

Number of exemptions you will be claiming

Please indicate, from the 2015 tax information above, how many of the persons (not including parents) will be enrolled full-time in college for the upcoming academic year.

Signature of Parent or Guardian _______________________________ Date ______________

Parent/Guardian daytime phone: __________________________  Email: ________________________________

Please indicate here if you plan to apply for financial aid as an independent student because you meet one or more of the following criteria:

☐ 24 years of age or older  ☐ Orphan/ward of the court  ☐ You have children who receive more than half their support from you.

☐ Veteran of active military service  ☐ Married