

THOMAS C. WOODS, JR. SCHOLARSHIP

- Amount:** \$1,250 (3 Awards, renewable up to 4 years if criteria are met)
Eligibility: Graduating seniors from high schools in specific Nebraska counties (*see list below*)
Criteria: Academic success, financial need, graduates from specific counties, with preference to dependents of former Aliant/Alltel employees.

The Thomas C. Woods, Jr. Scholarship was established in 1991 by the family of the late Thomas C. “Chip” Woods, III, and the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Company (LT&T, formerly Aliant, then Alltel). The scholarship honors Thomas C. Woods, Jr. and the contributions he made to LT&T and the community as a whole. The Woods family continues to be generous servants to the Lincoln community and are involved in various organizations throughout the city of Lincoln.

CRITERIA

1. The applicant must be a current graduating senior of a **public or private high school in the following counties in Nebraska: Adams, Butler, Cass, Clay, Fillmore, Gage, Hamilton, Jefferson, Johnson, Lancaster, Nemaha, Nuckolls, Otoe, Pawnee, Polk, Richardson, Saline, Saunders, Seward, Thayer, Webster and York.**
2. Preference will be given to dependents of former Aliant/Alltel employees.
3. Applicants must demonstrate academic success and must be pursuing undergraduate studies at any university or college in the United States.
4. Financial need will be considered when awarding this scholarship.
5. This scholarship may be renewable for up to 4 total years. Previous recipients must complete a renewal application, submit their college transcript(s) and proof of enrollment, and maintain a GPA of 2.5 or greater.

APPLICATION

Applicants are required to complete the Lincoln Community Foundation Application Form online at <https://lcf.academicworks.com/> and submit the form and all required attachments electronically. Applications must be submitted by 11:59 p.m. on March 15th.

Application required attachments:

1. High school **transcript(s)** (copies of transcripts are acceptable).
2. Financial Information that shows **Expected Family Contribution (EFC) number**, which is on the first page of the applicant's Student Aid Report (SAR).

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DEADLINE

Scholarship applications must be submitted electronically to the Lincoln Community Foundation at <https://lcf.academicworks.com/> by 11:59 p.m. on March 15th.

AWARD

The Lincoln Community Foundation will make the final selection of scholarship recipients.

Scholarship checks will be sent directly to the student's college or university. Scholarship grants can be made only to qualified, nonproprietary institutions.

This scholarship shall not be awarded to any immediate or distant member of the Thomas C. Woods, Jr. Family.