



Prince George's County, Maryland Chapter of the  
Norfolk State University Alumni Association  
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Dear NSU Student:

The Prince George's County Maryland Chapter (PGCMDC) of the Norfolk State University Alumni Association (NSUAA) provides a \$1,000 Alumni Legacy Scholarship (\$500 per semester) to assist currently enrolled undergraduate student or an admitted and entering full time freshman who will be attending Norfolk State University (NSU). By awarding scholarships, our chapter is able to help students reach academic goals, as well as give back to the community in which we live and work.

To qualify, you must be maintaining a 2.5 grade point average (GPA) and demonstrate a NSU Legacy Connection to Norfolk State University. Along with the completed application and personal statement, we are requesting an official transcript/ unofficial transcript.

For award consideration, the attached application must be completed and sent via email along with all supporting documents to the email address below. All materials must be received before **Thursday, April 20, 2023**. **Late applications will not be accepted.**

Email Address: [pgcmdcnsuaa@gmail.com](mailto:pgcmdcnsuaa@gmail.com)

Subject Line: Attn. Priscilla Ferebee PGCMDC Scholarship Committee Chair

Sincerely,

Priscilla Ferebee  
Scholarship Chair

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## ALUMNI LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

The Prince George's County Maryland Chapter (PGCMDC) of the Norfolk State University Alumni Association (NSUAA) Alumni Legacy Scholarship is design to celebrate the family tradition of attending Norfolk State University (NSU) by a currently enrolled full time undergraduate student or an admitted and entering full time freshman who is pursuing higher education at NSU. An Alumni Legacy Scholarship of \$1,000 (\$500 per semester) will be offered to students who fully meet and maintain the eligibility requirements. The scholarship may be used to defray the cost of tuition, fees, supplies or room and board.

### CRITERIA

- Any returning full time undergraduate student or admitted and entering full time freshman who will be attending NSU
- Demonstration of scholastic achievement (GPA 2.5 or higher) and motivation for higher education
- Exhibit qualities and traits of leadership, citizenship, and service to school and community
- Must demonstrate a Legacy Connection to Norfolk State University in one of the following ways:
  - a) Child of a NSU graduate – at least one parent is a graduate of Norfolk State University **and** is a current member of the Prince George's County Maryland Chapter (PGCMDC) of Norfolk State University for at least two consecutive years in good standing.
  - b) Relative of a NSU graduate – a grandparent, aunt, uncle, or sibling is a graduate of Norfolk State University **and** is a member of the Prince George's County Maryland Chapter of Norfolk State University for at least two consecutive years in good standing. **Please verify the membership status of your legacy connection prior to submitting an application.**

### Guidelines for Applicants:

The scholarship recipient will be chosen by the PGCMDC Scholarship Committee. Members of the committee will review copies of the application to ensure the application package is complete with personal statement. **Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

Final selection for the scholarship recipient will be made by June 13, 2023. Payment of the scholarship will be made directly to the University, upon written verification of the student's acceptance to NSU for the

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upcoming academic semester and official or unofficial transcripts. In order to receive scholarship disbursement for the subsequent semester, the recipient must provide grades to demonstrate fulfillment of the academic requirement.

### **Instructions for completing this scholarship application:**

Please read all scholarship requirements and directions carefully. Make sure that you are eligible before sending your application. Your application will not be considered if you do not meet the minimum qualifications or **if your application is incomplete**.

There is one part to this Legacy scholarship application. Your application will be evaluated for grammar, spelling, content, and cohesiveness. You are strongly advised to have your materials reviewed and proofread prior to submitting your official application.

### **Personal Statement**

Provide your personal statement in a separate document. Your personal statement should be typed, concise and well-written. Ideally, it should be no more than 2 pages in length, double-spaced.

The personal statement is a very important part of the scholarship application package. The goal of this statement is to present the Scholarship Committee with information and perspectives that you believe are relevant to your academic pursuits at Norfolk State University, your future aspirations upon leaving NSU, and how you plan to give back and build the NSU community as a future alumnus.

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