



The NEIU Class Gift Scholarship Application

Purpose:

Since 1996, graduating students have made it a tradition to support the Class Gift Fund, one of Northeastern's largest scholarship funds. In this NEIU tradition of graduates making a parting gift, it ensures that they leave behind a lasting impact and give other students the opportunity to succeed. Leave your legacy today.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Open to any major
- Must be a degree seeking undergraduate or graduate student
- Must be full-time (12) or half-time (6) hours
- Must serve on the Class Gift Committee during award period
- Consideration will be given to financial need
- Consideration will be given to outstanding scholastic achievement (3.0 or higher)

Award amount:

- Award amount is \$450 per scholarship. A maximum of four scholarships are awarded per academic year.

Application Submission Deadline:

- May 1st (for fall award) and Nov 1st (for spring award). Scholarship will be awarded at end of the awarded semester, based upon engagement in the program.

Submission of Application Materials to:

- Michelle Morrow, Director & NEIU Alumna
Scholarships Office (D-202, Financial Aid Office Suite)
Northeastern Illinois University
5500 N. St. Louis Ave.
Chicago, IL 60625

Questions: Send e-mails to Michelle Morrow at M-Morrow@neiu.edu or Scholarships@neiu.edu



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To be considered for the NEIU Class Gift Scholarship, please complete this application with completed essay to the Scholarships Office by the **deadlines listed above**. Scholarship will be awarded at **end** of the awarded semester, based upon engagement in the program.

General Information

Please print:

Name _____ NEIU ID# _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone () _____ Birth Date _____

E-mail Address _____

Major _____

Cumulative GPA _____ Total Earned Credit Hours _____

Required Documents

In addition to your completed application, please answer the following short essay questions. (Min. 250 words each - Typed)

- 1. Describe your prior and current participation in Alumni Relations and/or Student Leadership Development activities.**
- 2. Please explain why this scholarship would help you complete your degree.**
- 3. Upon graduation, what will it mean to you to be a NEIU alumnus/a?**
- 4. Describe what it means to leave a legacy at your soon to be alma mater Northeastern Illinois University.**

Award Form Certification

I certify that all information provided on this form is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I authorize the Scholarships Office to verify the information that is contained on this form.

Signature _____ Date _____