



# NORTHERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

## ALUMNI RELATIONS

### The Alumni Legacy Scholarship

The Alumni Legacy Scholarship is offered exclusively to students whose parent or grandparent is a Northern Michigan University alumnus/a and resides in the state of Michigan. The NMU Alumni Association awards up to ten \$1,000 Legacy Scholarships annually. Students who receive this scholarship may re-apply.

#### Application Instructions:

- The scholarship application window for the 2025-2026 academic year is open from Monday, January 20 through February 17, 2025.
- Students can apply by logging in to MyNMU and finding the Financial Aid – Donor-Funded Scholarships link on the left-hand side under Student Services. New students can find the link on the Admitted to NMU tab in MyNMU.

#### In order to qualify for this award, students must meet the following criteria:

- Must be the child or grandchild of a Northern Michigan University graduate.
- Must be a Michigan resident attending NMU, having earned at least 60 credits (junior status).
- Must be a continuous, full-time student enrolled in at least 12 credit hours per semester for the duration of the award.
- Must complete the *Alumni Legacy Certification Form*.
- Must complete a Personal Statement paper that addresses the following:
  - Please describe your extracurricular involvement (school, community and/or spiritual organizations) during the past three years;
  - For your parent or grandparent who is an alumni, what do they describe to you as their best memory of their NMU experience?
  - Why did your parent/grandparent choose to attend NMU?
  - Why did you choose to attend NMU?
  - Any other information you would like to share with the scholarship committee.



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**Alumni Legacy Certification Form**

**This form must be completed by the NMU alumni parent/grandparent residing in the State of Michigan whose children/grandchildren are applying for the NMU Alumni Legacy Scholarship.**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, certify that \_\_\_\_\_,  
(Alumnus/Alumna's full legal name) (Student's name)

\_\_\_\_\_ is my child / grandchild (circle one).  
(Student's NMU IN)

I graduated from Northern Michigan University in \_\_\_\_\_ with a \_\_\_\_\_ degree.  
(Year) (Type of degree)

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Last four digits of Social Security Number (for ID verification) \_\_\_\_\_

Name used when enrolled at NMU, if different from signature \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Students: Upload this completed form to the *Scholarship Application website* or deliver to 607 Cohodas Hall, 1401 Presque Isle Avenue, Marquette, MI 49855. Please call 906-227-2610 with any questions.**