North Central Electrical Manufacturers Club

Scholarship Program

2026 Robert E. Lieb Memorial

NCEMC SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

North Central Electrical Manufacturers Club members and Board of Directors are pleased to announce funding of the 38th annual Robert E. Lieb Memorial Scholarship Program for NCEMC member children in 2026.

BENEFITS OF THE NCEMC SCHOLARSHIP:

- Promote our electrical industry
- Encourage NCEMC membership
- Provide a valuable financial benefit directly to our NCEMC members
- Encourage advanced education career paths

SINCE 1987, NCEMC HAS AWARDED $627,000 IN SCHOLARSHIPS TO CHILDREN OF NCEMC MEMBERS

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 30TH

ELIGIBILITY & APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

Current year high school graduates must meet ALL of the following:

- Must maintain a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 GPA scale OR score 21 on your ACT.
- Be accepted into an accredited college/university/technical school. You must provide a copy of the school's Letter of Acceptance with your application.

Current year undergraduates must meet ALL of the following:

- Must maintain a 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 GPA scale
- Be currently enrolled in an accredited college/university/technical school in undergraduate studies for Fall 2026.
- Be enrolled as a full-time undergraduate student, taking at least 12 credits/term.
- **All Applicants Provide 300-Word Essay:**
  - All applicants must submit a 300-word essay. The essay should answer, "What do you think the next five years will look like in our industry?" Your essay must be written in MLA style, original, one page long, and attached to your application in PDF format.
- **All Applicants Provide Current Transcript:**
  - All applicants must submit their most recent high school, college/university/technical school transcript in PDF format to verify their GPA and full-time undergraduate status. A copy of your entire transcript is sufficient.

SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION:

- Include all required documentation in one package to the NCEL office via postal mail, online, or email before the deadline at the address listed below.

ONE APPLICATION PER STUDENT:

- With no limit on the number of applicants per family. Applicants winning an NCEMC Scholarship may re-apply for future scholarship awards based on the applicant's qualifications and eligibility requirements.

SELECTION OPPORTUNITIES:

- The winner (s) will be selected via a random drawing of eligible and qualified applicants to alleviate bias. The drawing will occur on May 29, 2026, at the NCEMC meeting. Applicants will be notified of the results shortly after the drawing. Scholarship checks are made payable to the school, with the winner's name in the check's memo line and postal mail to the NCEMC member parents' home address as indicated on the application. Scholarship checks were issued in August for use in the fall semester.

NCEMC MEMBER MEETING ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENT:

NCEMC member parents must meet the following meeting attendance requirements for eligibility in the drawing:

1. NCEMC Members with scholarship applicants must attend **three** of our meetings during the current **2025-26 meeting season. The 2025-26 meetings are on October 31, 2025; December 12, 2025; January 30, 2026; February 27, 2026; April 24, 2026; and May 29, 2026.**
2. If this meeting attendance requirement is not met, your scholarship applicant will not be eligible for the drawing on **May 29, 2026.** Your scholarship applicant will, however, be eligible for and included in the NCEL's scholarship program drawing in **July of 2026.**
3. **Sorry, no exceptions to the above meeting attendance requirement!**

Applicants winning NCEMC's Robert E. Lieb Memorial Scholarship may re-apply for additional future scholarship awards, based on the applicant's qualifications and eligibility requirements. The Board of Directors of the North Central Electrical Manufacturers Club reserves the right to revoke scholarship funds to any recipient should the recipient fail to meet any academic standards required by their accredited institution, or for any other reasons determined by the NCEMC Board of Directors. Since 1987 the NCEMC Board of Directors determines the number and amount of scholarship awarded each year. Keeping in mind the tremendous support from NCEMC members, the Board strives to award as much as financially feasible for the current year's program. The winners will be selected via random drawing of qualifying applicants. Non-winning applicants will automatically be entered in the NCEL Scholarship Program.

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APPLICATION FORM

PROVIDE ALL INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTATION REQUESTED – INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS NOT ACCEPTED

STUDENT APPLICANT INFORMATION

Student First Name _____ Last Name _____ M.I. _____ D.O.B. _____

Parents Home Street Address (*address where a scholarship check is mailed to - if student wins*) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Student Cell Phone # _____ Student Email Address _____ Phonetic Spelling of Name _____

STUDENTS' SCHOOL INFORMATION

CURRENT HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR APPLICANTS - ***Fill out the following***

High School Name _____ High School GPA _____ ACT Score _____

Date of High School Graduation _____ **School Attending in Fall 2026** _____

CURRENT UNDERGRADUATE COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY/TECH SCHOOL APPLICANTS- ***Fill out the following***

School Name _____ Declared Major _____

Expected Date of Graduation _____ GPA _____

PARENT/MEMBER INFORMATION

Parent First Name _____ Last Name _____ M.I. _____

Company Name _____

Parents Company Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Parent's Cell Phone # _____ Parent's Email Address _____

Applicants must submit all required documentation together in one complete package, to the NCEMC office via email, postal mail, or online (see NCEMC address below) before April 30, 2026 at 4:00 PM. Documentation required includes:

- Completed NCEMC Scholarship Application Form
- Copy of your most recent school transcript from your high school, or college/university/technical school
- Written essay of 300-words "What do you think the next 5 years look like in our industry?"
- Copy of college/university/technical school's Letter of Acceptance (for recent high school graduate applicants only)

I understand that the members of the North Central Electrical Manufacturers Club and their Board of Directors reserves the right to revoke scholarship funds to any recipient should the recipient fail to meet any academic standards required by your accredited institution, or for any reasons determined by the Board of Directors. I understand that the number and amount of the scholarship award(s) will be determined annually by the Board of Directors. I understand that I may only receive one internship or scholarship per calendar year from NCEL, NCEMC, and its affiliates. Winner(s) will be selected by a random drawing of all qualified candidates. I understand that my essay may be posted on the NCEMC website.

To the best of our knowledge, this application and attached documents are accurate. Please sign below:

Applicant's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____ **(Deadline is April 30, 2026)**

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