



Thomas L. Kaup
Memorial
Scholarship
\$500

Eligibility Requirements:

1. Applicant must be a 2026 graduating senior who is attending either West Point-Beemer or GACC High School.
2. Individual must be pursuing a two-year degree from Northeast Community College in the Building Construction Program.
3. Student must have a minimum of a cumulative 2.5 grade point average throughout their high school career.
4. Applicant shows a strong interest in a construction related career.

Criteria for Selection:

1. Meet the eligibility requirements
2. Include a copy of the applicant's transcript
3. Have submitted an application and have been accepted to the Northeast Building Construction Program for the 2026 fall term
4. Involvement in school and community related activities
5. Two completed reference forms from a non-relative
6. Quality of personal statement

Application must be returned by April 1st to the following address:

Travis L. Kaup

217 East Sherman Street

West Point, NE 68788

Scholarship will be awarded 50% upon enrollment as a full-time student for the 2026 fall semester, and 50% percent upon achieving a minimum 2.5 GPA for the fall 2026 semester and enrollment for the spring 2025 semester.

Thomas L. Kaup Memorial Scholarship Application Form

Student's Full Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Phone number: _____ Email: _____

Parent or Guardian(s) : _____

School currently attending: _____

Been Accepted in Building Construction at Northeast Community College (____) Yes (____)No

Academic Achievements:

Extracurricular and Community Involvement:

Work Experience:

Personal Statement: Please attach a separate document no longer than 250 words to describe why you have chosen construction as a career and what would make you a suitable candidate for this scholarship.

Signature _____ Date _____

Thomas L. Kaup Memorial Scholarship Reference Form

I, _____ [Your Name], am writing this letter to express my support for _____ [Student's Name] and their application for the _____ [Name of Scholarship].

I have had the pleasure of teaching employing other _____ [Student's Name] at _____ [Name of School or Business] for the last ____ years.

During my relationship with _____ [Student's Name] I have experienced an individual who shows up earlier than asked, works hard until the task is complete, and takes pride in the work they accomplish. In addition, _____ [Student's Name] maintains a positive attitude, is extremely kind to others, and strives to be a role model in their community. It is without reservation that I recommend _____ [Student's Name] as a candidate for this scholarship.

Any other comments about the applicant:

Printed Name _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Telephone _____

E-Mail _____