

## *Senior Scholarships Available*

The Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District (LENRD) will be offering up to ten \$500 scholarships to graduating High School Seniors within the District. These scholarships are available for students who are planning to further their education in a natural resources or agriculture related field. Seniors who are interested should contact their guidance counselor or the Lower Elkhorn NRD office in Norfolk for further information, eligibility requirements, and applications. Scholarship information will be sent to all schools within the District boundaries and is also available on the LENRD website at: [www.lenrd.org/education](http://www.lenrd.org/education). The deadline for all scholarship applications is **Friday, April 3, 2026**.

### **Senior Scholarship Criteria**

The Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District has established a scholarship program for graduating high school seniors. There are up to ten scholarships available amounting to \$500 each for ten seniors who are planning to further their education in a natural resources or agriculture related field. To be eligible for a scholarship the student must meet the following criteria:

- The student must be a graduating high school senior who resides, or whose family owns land, within the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District.
- The student must have an overall grade point average of a 2.0, or higher, on a 4.0 grading scale at the end of the first semester of his/her senior year in high school.
- The student must submit a cover letter in addition to the application form.
- The student must attend an accredited college, community college or vocational school the semester following graduation.
- The student must direct his/her course study towards curriculum related to natural resources or agriculture.
- The student must mail or email their application to the Lower Elkhorn NRD by **Friday, April 3, 2026**.

**Application Form enclosed**