**Collegiate Scholarship**

NSBA is offering **a $500 college student scholarship**, which will be awarded at the March convention.

The prerequisites are as follows:

1 - Applicants must have completed a minimum of five semesters in a Nebraska College or University music education program, with a wind or percussion instrument as the primary area of study.

2 - Applicants must also be student members of NSBA.

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College/University\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Please email this form along with the following application materials as **1 PDF file**.

* A paragraph to answer the question:  Musically speaking, who has been the most influential person in my life?
* An essay (no more than 2 pages) to answer the questions: Why do I want to become a band director? How will I make a difference in music education?
* One letter of recommendation from a faculty member

Application materials will be reviewed by a committee appointed by the NSBA Awards Chair.  The winners will be contacted and recognized at the annual awards banquet in March.  The deadline for the Collegiate Scholarship is **JANUARY 20th**.  Please email applications to Carrie Jensen, NSBA Awards Chair at awards@nsbma.org.

If you have any questions, please contact NSBA Awards Chair, Carrie Jensen.