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## **Instructions**

### **NextEra Community Impact Scholarship**

2024/2025

### **Southeastern Montana Development Corporation**

#### **Who is Eligible:**

Open to graduating seniors (May 2025) of Forsyth High School seeking to further their education in a general curriculum field at a **Higher Educational Institution in Montana.**

#### **How to Apply:**

Applications are available at the Forsyth High School Counseling Center, at Southeastern Montana Development Corporation office located at 6200 Main Street, Colstrip or online at [www.semdc.org](http://www.semdc.org).

#### **Selection Criteria:**

The Selection Committee will review all eligible applications based on need, goals, essay response and recommendations.

**Deadline:** Applications must be received at Forsyth High School Counseling Center, Southeastern Montana Development Corporation office located at 6200 Main Street in Colstrip or by email to [ahert@semdc.org](mailto:ahert@semdc.org) by **5:00 pm on Wednesday April 30, 2025.** The recipient will be announced at the Graduation Ceremony.

### **Amount of Scholarship: \$5,000 Books & Tuition**

#### **Conditions of the Award:**

The recipient must provide proof of enrollment at an accredited Montana college/university or a Montana vocational/tribal/technical school. If the recipient drops out of the program without completing the semester or term, the recipient must refund the full amount of the scholarship.



## **Application**

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With  
Forsyth High School

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NAME (*print*): \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please address the following on separate sheets of paper:**

**EDUCATION GOALS ESSAY:** Include a one (1) page (maximum) Essay that includes your educational goals, needs and how this scholarship will help you achieve these goals.

**LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION:** Please attach at least one (1) letter of recommendation from a non-relative who can attest to your academic, personal achievements and abilities. The letter should include:

- Name of Person
- Occupation Title and his/her relationship or affiliation with you.

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