# ROY AND DORIS ABOOD SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

#### **Deadline:**

April 1st of each year

### **Eligibility Requirements:**

- Must be a current, graduating senior of a Nebraska High school
- Must be enrolled full-time (minimum 12 hours) in undergraduate study at the University of Nebraska Kearney, in the upcoming fall semester.
- No Scholarships will be awarded to UNK-bound graduates of Nebraska-area high schools
- Award to first generation college students (A first-generation college student is defined as a student whose parent(s)/legal guardian(s) have not completed a bachelor's degree. This means that you are the first in your family to attend a four-year college/university to attain a bachelor's degree).

#### **Selection Criteria:**

- N Financial need
- Scholastic achievement
- Involvement in non-academic, extra-curricular activities including community, charitable and youth group oriented activities.
- 250-word essay submission explaining "Why college is important for my future and how this scholarship will help."
- N Submission of the application by the deadline date

## **Scholarship Award:**

This \$1050 scholarship is awarded at the beginning of the <u>first</u> semester of the first year of higher education

To learn more about applying, go to <a href="https://www.kearneyfoundation.org/scholarships">https://www.kearneyfoundation.org/scholarships</a>

