

## 2026 Application

I am applying for: \_\_\_\_\_ Clark-Foster Scholarship  
\_\_\_\_\_ NWTA Scholarship  
\_\_\_\_\_ Both Scholarships

(If you are applying for both the Clark-Foster and NWTA scholarship, you only have to submit one form.)

### NIAGARA WHEATFIELD TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION/ CLARK-FOSTER FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

#### General Information

1. The Scholarship Committee shall consist of five (5) members; a Chairperson appointed by the NWTA President; a School Counselor; a Senior High teacher; a Middle School teacher; and two Elementary School teachers.
2. The award is \$1,000 for one year.
3. The Scholarship winner will receive two checks, each \$500, to be remitted after the successful completion of each semester of his/her freshman year.

#### Eligibility Information

1. Applicants must be a graduating senior from an accredited high school.
2. Applicants must be in the upper half of the graduating class.
3. Applicants must be relatives (son/daughter, grandchild, niece/nephew, or brother/sister) of a current dues-paying member of the NWTA.
4. Applicants must be planning to attend an accredited higher institution of learning.

#### Application Procedure

1. Applicants must complete and submit a student data sheet.
2. Applicants must submit a typed composition which includes:
  - a.) General information about oneself.
  - b.) Reasons for selecting a specific college and field of study.  
(Please elaborate on a and b so the committee can learn more about you and your personal goals.)
3. Applicants must submit an official high school transcript.
4. Applicants must submit at least one letter of reference from a teacher, activity advisor or employer.
5. **Data sheet, composition, official transcript, letter of reference, and photograph must be received by 2:30 p.m. on March 13, 2026.**

Send application to: Lindsay Yates  
Niagara Wheatfield Teachers' Association  
c/o Niagara Wheatfield High School  
Post Office Box 309  
2292 Saunders Settlement Road  
Sanborn, NY 14132

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6. The top five finalists will be interviewed by the Committee. A winner will then be selected.

**Basis for Determining Award** (weighted 1/3 each)

1. Composition
2. Transcript (academics, activities, etc.)
3. Interview

Failure to adhere to the application procedure will result in disqualification.

**Two** Clark-Foster Scholarships will be awarded in 2026. Good Luck!

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**Student Data Sheet**

**NIAGARA WHEATFIELD TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION/  
CLARK-FOSTER SCHOLARSHIP**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Cell # \_\_\_\_\_

Student's email address \_\_\_\_\_

What college are you planning to attend in the fall?

\_\_\_\_\_

What is your intended field of study? \_\_\_\_\_

NWTA member to whom you are related: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to NWTA Member: \_\_\_\_\_

School Building in which he/she works at: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Information:

Father's name \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's name \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address (if different from applicant's) \_\_\_\_\_

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Are you the recipient of any other scholarships? If so, give names(s) and amount(s).

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List other activities/accomplishments not included on your transcript.

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**(Important... Please check your personal email for the date and time of your interview. You will not receive a phone call, only an email.)**