Minnesota West Community and Technical College Master Scholarship List

Academic Excellence in Dental Assisting

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Canby	Dental Assistant	3.0	Current	None	Summer

- This scholarship is awarded to two current students majoring in Dental Assistant. It is based on scholastic merit, classroom participation, and school involvement.
- Student must have achieved a GPA of 3.0 for the previous Fall Semester.
- The scholarship will be awarded during the SUMMER term for the summer internship.
- Number of Scholarships: 2
- Renewable? No

Accounting Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$200-\$500	Granite Falls and Online	Accounting	2.5	Either	12	Fall/Spring

- This scholarship is awarded to full-time students pursuing the Accounting Clerk, Accounting Diploma, or Accounting A.A.S. program.
- Number of Scholarships: Up to 5
- Renewable? No

Administrative Assistant Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$200-\$500	Granite Falls	Administrative Assistant; Office Management; Receptionist	2.5	Either	6	Fall/Spring

- This scholarship is available to part-time and full-time students enrolled in the Administrative Assistant, Receptionist, and Office Management programs. Scholarships are awarded to assist with educational costs in meeting students' educational/career goals. The funds are awarded on the basis of the students' application according to various criteria.
- Number of Scholarships: Up to 5
- Renewable? No

Agriculture Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Worthington	Agriculture	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This renewable scholarship is awarded to one incoming student majoring in Agriculture who has demonstrated leadership skills throughout his/her high school career.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? Yes

Alpha Nu Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Worthington	Any	2.5	Current	12	Fall

- This renewable scholarship is awarded to one student who is a member of the Phi Theta Kappa national honor society and demonstrates leadership skills at the college.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- *About the Donor*: Alpha Nu is the local chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, a national honor fraternity for liberal arts college students. The group sponsors various service activities throughout the year.

Art Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Worthington	Art	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one student who is majoring in Art and has demonstrated academic and leadership skills.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No

Biofuels Technology Certificate Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$200-\$500	Granite Falls	Biofuels Technology Certificate	2.5	Either	6	Fall/Spring

- These scholarships are awarded to students enrolled in and carrying full credit loads (6+ credits) in the Biofuels Certificate program.
- Number of Scholarships: Up to 5
- Renewable? No

Biofuels Technology A.A.S. Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$200-\$500	Granite Falls	Biofuels Technology	2.5	Either	12	Fall/Spring

- These scholarship are awarded to students enrolled in the Biofuels A.A.S. program.
- Number of Scholarships: Up to 5
- Renewable? No

Canby Campus Award

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Canby	Any	3.0	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to two incoming students who have a minimum cumulative high school GPA of 3.0.
- Number of Scholarships: **2**
- Renewable? No

Canby Rotary Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Canby	Any	None	Current	None	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to a current Minnesota West student. The student must demonstrate how he or she has put service above self. The student must have led, assisted, or contributed in some form to a community or school service project or club in a manner that contributed positively to others.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: Rotary International is an international service organization whose stated human rights purpose is to bring together business and professional leaders in order to provide humanitarian services, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and to advance goodwill and peace around the world. www.rotary.org

Cathy Paulson Memorial Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Granite Falls	Computer Support; Information Security and Assurance	2.5	Either	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to two current or incoming students majoring in Computer A.A.S. or Diploma, or in the online Information Security and Assurance A.A.S.
- Number of Scholarships: 2
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: Cathy Paulson started working at the Granite Falls campus as a payroll clerk. She made her way into teaching in the classroom and eventually found herself working on the state Technical College computer system. She was the ultimate life-long learner and supporter of technical education. With the official merger of community colleges, technical colleges and state universities in 1998 to use one state student system, Cathy started working in web design. She was the author of the first student inquiry web site and first online application for admission for the state system. The Cathy Paulson Memorial Scholarship has been funded by colleagues of Cathy's from across the state of Minnesota.

Child Development Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$200-\$500	Granite Falls	Child Development	2.5	Either	6	Fall/Spring

- This scholarship is awarded to full-time and part-time students seeking a certificate, diploma, or A.S. in Child Development.
- Award amount is based upon department criteria.
- Number of Scholarships: Up to 5
- Renewable? No

Computer Science Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Worthington	Computer Science	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one student who is majoring in Computer Science and has demonstrated academic and leadership skills.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No

Computer Support Technology Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$200-\$500	Granite Falls	Computer Support; Information Security & Assurance	2.5	Either	12	Fall/Spring

- This scholarship is awarded to students enrolled in Computer Support or Information Security & Assurance program.
- Number of Scholarships: Up to 5
- Renewable? No

Connexus Energy Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$2,500	Jackson	Powerline	3.0	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one incoming student majoring in the Powerline Diploma program whose home is in one of the following counties Anoka, Chisago, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Sherburne, Washington, or Wright. Preference is given to the applicants' whose parents or grandparents are members of Connexus Energy.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: Connexus Energy is Minnesota's largest electric cooperative, providing electricity and related products and services to homes and businesses in portions of Anoka, Chisago, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Sherburne, and Washington counties. <u>www.connexusenergy.com</u>

Connie Burchill Memorial Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$150	Worthington	Any	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one student on the Worthington campus who has demonstrated academic and leadership skills.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- *About the Donor*: Conrad "Connie" Burchill was President of Worthington Community College from 1987-1997. He was extremely active in the Worthington community and was an advocate for education for everyone.

Cosmetology Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$350	Pipestone & Luverne	Cosmetology	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one student accepted in the Cosmetology Program.
- Number of Scholarships: **1**
- Renewable? No

Crow Wing Power Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$1,000	Jackson	Powerline	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one incoming student majoring in the Powerline program and who has family members who are members of Crow Wing Power. This may include parents, grandparents, or aunts/uncles.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: Since 1938, Crow Wing Power has delivered reliable electricity to cooperative member's homes, cabins, farms and businesses throughout Crow Wing, Cass and Morrison Counties surrounding the beautiful Brainerd Lakes Area in central Minnesota. <u>http://www.cwpower.com</u>

Dean's Award

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Canby	Any	3.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to four incoming, first year students on the Canby Campus who have a minimum cumulative high school GPA of 3.5.
- Number of Scholarships: 4
- Renewable? No

Dental Assistant Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Canby	Dental Assistant	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to two incoming, first year students majoring in Dental Assistant.
- Number of Scholarships: **2**
- Renewable? No

Diesel Technology New Student Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Canby	Diesel Technology	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to two incoming, first year students majoring in Diesel Technology.
- Number of Scholarships: 2
- Renewable? No

Diesel Technology Current Student Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Canby	Diesel Technology	2.5	Current	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to two current students majoring in Diesel Technology.
- Number of Scholarships: **1**
- Renewable? No

Dorothy Fenstermacher Nursing Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$1,000	Worthington	Nursing	2.5	Either	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to three students of diversity who are majoring in nursing, have a financial need, and have demonstrated academic and leadership skills.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: This scholarship is funded by the estate of Dorothy Fenstemacher. Born in Okabena, MN, Dorothy moved to Philadelphia, PA, where she served as a nurse. She returned to Worthington, MN in 1986, where she was a member of the First United Methodist Church, took piano, harp, and Spanish lessons, and enjoyed playing bridge until her death in 2011.

Duke Energy New Student Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$1,000	Canby	Wind Energy	2.5	New	None	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one incoming, first year student majoring in Wind Energy Technology A.A.S.
- Number of Scholarships: **1**
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: Duke Energy Renewables is a leader in developing innovative wind and solar energy solutions, helping utilities, electric cooperatives and municipalities deliver affordable, reliable and increasingly clean energy to customers throughout the United States. For more information, please visit www.duke-energy.com/commercial-renewables/default.asp

Duke Energy Current Student Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Canby	Wind Energy	2.5	Current	None	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to two current students majoring in Wind Energy Technology A.A.S.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: Duke Energy Renewables is a leader in developing innovative wind and solar energy solutions, helping utilities, electric cooperatives and municipalities deliver affordable, reliable and increasingly clean energy to customers throughout the United States. For more information, please visit www.duke-energy.com/commercial-renewables/default.asp

East River Electric Powerline Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$750	Jackson	Powerline	3.0	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one incoming student majoring in Powerline.
- Preference is given to students whose family is served by East River Electrical Cooperative.
- Number of Scholarships: **1**
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: East River Electric Power Cooperative is a wholesale electric power supply cooperative serving 24 rural electric cooperatives and one municipally-owned electric system, which in turn serve more than 92,000 homes and businesses and about 250,000 consumers. Their 40,000 square mile service area covers the rural areas of 41 counties in eastern South Dakota and 22 counties in western Minnesota. www.eastriver.coop

East River Electric Electrical Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$750	Canby	Electrician	None	Current	None	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one current Electrician A.A.S. student. The scholarship is based on scholastic merit, classroom participation, and school involvement.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: East River Electric Power Cooperative is a wholesale electric power supply cooperative serving 24 rural electric cooperatives and one municipally-owned electric system, which in turn serve more than 92,000 homes and businesses and about 250,000 consumers. Their 40,000 square mile service area covers the rural areas of 41 counties in eastern South Dakota and 22 counties in western Minnesota. www.eastriver.coop

Edward Kellen Memorial Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$1,000	Worthington	Any	3.0	New	12	Fall

- This renewable scholarship is awarded to one graduate of Worthington High School who will attend the Worthington Campus and who intends to go on to complete a bachelor's degree program at an accredited four year college.
- Student must have achieved a GPA of 3.0 to qualify.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable: Yes
- About the Donor: Edward Kellen served the Worthington Campus from 1949-1978 as a business instructor and Registrar. He remained highly active in the Worthington community even after his retirement. All four of his daughters also attended Worthington Junior College, and this scholarship was established by his family in his memory.

Electrician New Student Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Canby	Electrician	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one incoming, first year student majoring in Electrician on the Canby Campus.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No

Electrician Current Student Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Canby	Electrician	2.5	Current	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one current student majoring in the Electrician program on the Canby Campus. It is based on scholastic merit, classroom participation, and school involvement.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No

Elizabeth Trunk Memorial Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$1,000	Worthington	Any	2.5	Either	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to up to five students who have demonstrated academic and leadership skills and have a financial need.
- Number of Scholarships: 5
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: Elizabeth "Beth" Trunk was a longtime resident of Worthington, MN. Beth dedicated her life to teaching for 51 years and for three generations of students the word teacher was given special meaning by Elizabeth Trunk. Beth was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, the Minnesota Education Association and the National Education Association. She was nominated as "Woman of the Year" by the Business Professional Women. She was also a charter member of Delta Kappa Gamma PSI chapter. She enjoyed spending time with family and chatting with friends. Beth was a mentor to all.

ESL Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Worthington	Any	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This renewable scholarship is awarded to one student who has English as his/her second language.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No

Federated Rural Electric Trust Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$700	Jackson	Powerline	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one incoming student majoring in Powerline.
- Preference is given to students who graduated from Jackson County Central or Martin County West High Schools.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: Federated Rural Electric is a distribution electric utility serving member-owners in Jackson and Martin Counties with some along the bordering counties and in Huntington, Iowa. Federated is headquartered in Jackson with a warehouse in Welcome. Federated serves more than 5,000 members and owns 598 miles of underground lines and 1,588 miles of overhead lines. This scholarship is made possible from the Federated members who allow their monthly electric bills to be rounded up to the nearest dollar. www.federatedrea.coop

General Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$400	Pipestone & Luverne	Any	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one student attending Minnesota West at the Pipestone Campus for the first time in a program major.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No

Healthcare Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$300	Luverne	Healthcare	2.5	Either	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one student enrolled in a health related major at the Luverne Center.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No

Humanities Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Worthington	Humanities	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one student majoring in philosophy, music, art, and/or literature/English who has demonstrated academic and leadership skills.
- Number of Scholarships: **1**
- Renewable? No

Interstates Companies Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Jackson	Electrician	3.0	Current	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to a current Electrician student who has completed at least 30 credits and has achieved a GPA of at least 3.0.
- **Applicants for this scholarship must also submit a letters of recommendation from his/her advisor. This letter should be submitted to the Jackson Campus.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: Interstates works to meet the electrical and automation needs of hundreds of clients in diverse markets across the nation. Interstates Companies provides turnkey electrical engineering, construction, instrumentation, and control systems solutions to industrial and commercial clients. <u>www.interstates.com</u>

Janice Plum Memorial Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$400	Pipestone & Luverne	Business	2.5	Either	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one Minnesota Resident majoring in a business program.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- *About the Donor*: Janice Pluim was both a graduate and long-time employee of Minnesota West. This scholarship was established by her sisters in her memory.

John E. Donahue Memorial Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Granite Falls	Any Technical Program	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to students on the Granite Falls Campus who are enrolling in a technical program. One non-renewable scholarship will be available for an incoming student.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: John E. Donahue grew up in Jeffers Minnesota and remained in southwestern Minnesota his entire life. He modeled his own beliefs by taking correspondence courses in mechanics. He worked for the city of Montevideo for 35 years, retiring as the superintendent of the street department. Mr. Donahue was also a very kind and giving person, willing to help out where and when he could. He passed away September 1, 2004. As a legacy to his strong work ethic, his willingness to help others, and his strong belief in the trades industry, this scholarship was set up to encourage and assist students who chose technical education as their path of choice.

John W. Mooty, Genevieve B. Mooty, John W. Mooty, and Melvin R. Mooty Academic Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$3,300	Worthington	Any	3.0	New	12	Fall

- This renewable scholarship is awarded to three incoming freshman who show potential for success and demonstrate financial need after all other financial aid awards and scholarships are given.
- Scholarship applicants must have a minimum high school GPA of 3.0
- Number of Scholarships: 3
- Renewable? Yes
- About the Donor: The Mooty family have been huge supporters of Minnesota West Community and Technical College. Genevieve Mooty was very active in the Worthington Community. Both she and her two sons attended Worthington Junior College, and both John W. Mooty and Melvin R. Mooty completed their education at the University of Minnesota Law School and were partners in the firm of Gray, Plant, Mooty, Mooty, and Bennett. This scholarship is funded by the John W. Mooty Trust.

Lake Country Power Les Beach Memorial Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$1,000	Jackson	Powerline	2.8	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to incoming students majoring in Powerline Technology who demonstrate a commitment to community through active involvement in civic affairs or volunteerism in community organization or programs that enhance the quality of life for citizens in the region.
- Preference given to members of Lake Country Power.
- **Applicants for this scholarship must also submit two letters of recommendation from an advisor, coach, counselor, mentor, or community leader. These letters should be submitted to the Jackson Campus.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: Lake Country Power is a Touchstone Energy[®] Cooperative serving parts of eight counties in Aitkin, Carlton, Cass, Itasca, Koochiching, Lake, Pine and St. Louis. We provide electricity and other energy related services to nearly 43,000 members in the rural parts of northern Minnesota. Geographically, we are Minnesota's largest electric cooperative. <u>www.lakecountrypower.coop</u>

Law Enforcement Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Worthington	Law Enforcement	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one student majoring in Law Enforcement who has demonstrated leadership skills and has a demonstrated financial need.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No

Liberal Arts Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$200-\$500	Granite Falls	Liberal Arts	2.5	Either	12	Fall/Spring

- This scholarship is awarded to students majoring in Liberal Arts A.A. on the Granite Falls Campus.
- Number of Scholarships: Up to 5
- Renewable? No

Marble Lutheran Church Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$1,000	Any	Any	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one student who lives within a 20 mile radius of the original Marble Lutheran Church. This includes the Minnesota towns of Canby, Hendricks, Ivanhoe, Porter, and Taunton, and the South Dakota towns of Astoria, Gary, and Toronto.
- Applicants must demonstrate a financial need. Preference is given to students enrolling on the Canby Campus.
- The scholarship recipient will be selected the first semester they enroll. The award will be applied to tuition during the last semester of the student's educational program.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: The Marble Lutheran Church Scholarship is an endowed scholarship given in the name of the Marble Lutheran Church, which served the local area for decades and finally closed its doors in 2004 after 125 years of existence.

Minnesota West Worthington Foundation Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Worthington	Any	2.5	Either	12	Fall

- This renewable scholarship is awarded to six academically deserving students on the Worthington Campus.
- Number of Scholarships: 6
- Renewable? Yes

Murl E. Anderson Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Granite Falls	Any	None	Both	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to up to four new and/or returning students who have overcome obstacles and barriers in their lives in order to pursue their education.
- No minimum GPA is required for this scholarship.
- Number of Scholarships: 4
- Renewable? No
- *About the Donor*: This scholarship is provided by Vernon Anderson, in honor of his sister, Murl E. Anderson, who attended the Granite Falls Campus during the 1960s in order to become an LPN.

Music/Theater Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Worthington	Any	2.5	Either	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to two Worthington Campus students who are participating in music and have demonstrated academic and leadership skills.
- Number of Scholarships: 2
- Renewable? No

Narvestad Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$750	Granite Falls	Any	2.5	Either	12	Fall/Spring

- This scholarship is awarded to two students who have demonstrated involvement in community service, civic organizations, and volunteer work.
- One scholarship will be awarded to a new student in the fall semester and one will be awarded to a new or returning student in the spring semester.
- Number of Scholarships: 2
- Renewable? No
- *About the Donor*: Carl and Amy Narvestad were civic minded individuals who believed in education and were always working to make the community of Granite Falls a better place to live.

Nick and Myrtle Hand Memorial Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Worthington	Any	None	Either	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one Worthington Campus student who may not have a 4.0 GPA but demonstrates potential for success, and has a financial need.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- *About the Donors*: Nick and Myrtle Hand were longtime residents of Worthington and believed in the importance and value of education.

Nursing Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Worthington	Nursing	2.5	Either	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to two students majoring in nursing who have demonstrated academic and leadership skills.
- Number of Scholarships: **2**
- Renewable? No

Otter Tail Power Company Scholarship – Wind Energy

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$1,000	Canby	Wind Energy	3.0	Current	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to three current students majoring in Wind Energy A.A.S.
- Students must have been registered for a minimum of 12 credits, and maintained a minimum GPA of 3.0 and 90% attendance rate throughout their first year of study.
- Number of Scholarships: 3
- Renewable? No
- *About the Donor*: Ottertail Power is an investor-owned electric utility that provides electricity for residential, commercial, and industrial customers in Minnesota, North Dakota, and South Dakota. <u>www.otpco.com</u>

Otter Tail Power Company Scholarship - Powerline

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Jackson	Powerline	2.8	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to incoming students majoring in the Powerline who have the ability to represent the program well.
- If applications are even, preference given to student whose hometown is within the Otter Tail Power Company service area.
- Number of Scholarships: 4
- Renewable? No
- *About the Donor*: Ottertail Power is an investor-owned electric utility that provides electricity for residential, commercial, and industrial customers in Minnesota, North Dakota, and South Dakota. <u>www.otpco.com</u>

Part-time Scholarship - Canby

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Canby	Any	None	New	6	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one incoming, part-time student on the Canby Campus.
- Student must be enrolled in 6-11 credits with a declared major.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No

Part-time Scholarship - Jackson

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Jackson	Any	2.5	Either	6	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one part-time student on the Jackson Campus.
- Student must be enrolled in 6-11 credits.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No

Part-time Scholarship – Pipestone & Luverne

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$200	Pipestone & Luverne	Any	2.5	Either	6	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one part-time student on the Pipestone Campus or Luverne Center.
- Student must be enrolled in 6-11 credits.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No

Part-time Scholarship – Worthington

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$300	Worthington	Any	2.5	Either	6	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to three incoming, part-time students on the Worthington Campus.
- Student must be enrolled in 6-11 credits.
- Number of Scholarships: 3
- Renewable? No

PEO Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Worthington	Any	None	Either	6	Fall

- This renewable scholarship is awarded to one female student from Southwest Minnesota enrolled in six or more credits.
- The recipient must be willing to attend a PEO meeting.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? Yes
- About the Donor: PEO (Philanthropic Education Organization) is a philanthropic organization where women celebrate the advancement of women and motivate women to achieve their highest aspirations. This scholarship is sponsored by the local chapter of PEO, Chapter EJ

People's Cooperative Services Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$400	Jackson	Powerline	2.5	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to two incoming students majoring in Powerline who live in the People's Cooperative Service Territory.
- Number of Scholarships: 2
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: People's Energy Cooperative provides electric service to nearly 19,000 members in six area counties including Dodge, Fillmore, Mower, Olmsted, Wabasha and Winona. The Co-op distributes electric energy from 29 substations through 2,847 miles of overhead and underground distribution lines and 119 miles of transmission lines. <u>www.peoplesrec.com</u>

Physics, Math, and/or Engineering Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Worthington	Physics, Math, and/or Engineering	2.5	Either	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one student majoring in physics, math, and/or engineering and who has demonstrated academic and leadership skills.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No

Practical Nursing Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$250	Pipestone & Luverne	Practical Nursing	2.5	Either	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one student accepted into the Pipestone Practical Nursing Program.
- Number of Scholarships: **1**
- Renewable? No

Robert T. Olson MD & Joan Olson Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$1,000	Canby	Any	None	Current	6	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one single parent with financial need who shows a determination to complete a degree at Minnesota West (GPA is not a consideration).
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: Dr. Robert T. Olson was a strong advocate of technical education in Canby, MN, and was instrumental in the development of the Canby Campus. The scholarship is funded in his memory by his wife, Joan Olson, who shared her husband's mission to support education and the success of single parents determined to reach their career goals.

Sarah Amundson Memorial Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Worthington	None	2.0	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one graduate of Worthington High School who is non-Caucasian.
- Student must have a minimum GPA of 2.0
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: This scholarship is given in memory of Sarah Amundson by family and friends. Sarah was a member of Worthington High School Class of 2003.

Stearns Electric Association Trust Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$750	Jackson	Powerline	2.0	Current	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one second-year Powerline student.
- Preference will be given to members of Stearns Electric.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: Stearns Electric Association is a member-owned electric cooperative. Since 1937, Stearns Electric Association has provided electricity and related products and services to Central Minnesota. Today, Stearns Electric Association serves nearly 25,000 members in six Central Minnesota counties including Stearns, Todd, Morrison, Kandiyohi, Pope and Douglas. <u>www.stearnselectric.org</u>

Telecommunications Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$200-\$500	Granite Falls	Telecommunications	2.5	Current	12	Fall/Spring

- This scholarship is awarded to students pursuing a degree in Telecommunications in the second, third, or fourth semester of their education.
- Selection criteria are based on academics, attendance, attitude, and aptitude.
- Number of Scholarships: Up to 5
- Renewable? No

The Schwan Food Company Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$1,000	Any	Any	3.0	New	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one incoming, first time college student on each of the five Minnesota West campuses and one fully online student. Students must show leadership qualities and demonstrate the potential for success.
- Students must be first time, full time college students and have a minimum high school GPA of 3.0.
- Number of Scholarships: 6
- Renewable? No
- About the Donor: The Schwan Food Company is a leader in the frozen food industry, with products in the retail aisle, in convenience stores, in schools, and delivered to your home. With headquarters in Marshall, MN, The Schwan Food Company is a bedrock of Southwestern Minnesota. www.theschwanfoodcompany.com

Tim Hansen Memorial Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$1,000	Canby	Wind Energy	2.5	Either	6	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one new or current student on the Canby Campus. Wind Energy majors are preferred.
- Student must have a minimum GPA of 2.0
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No
- *About the Donor*: Tim Hansen was both a student and in instructor in Wind Energy at Minnesota West from 2011 until 2015. This scholarship is given in his memory by family and friends.

Wind Energy Scholarship

Award Amount	Campus	Major/ Program of Study	GPA	New or Current Students	Minimum Credits	Semester Awarded
\$500	Canby	Wind Energy	2.5	Current	12	Fall

- This scholarship is awarded to one current student majoring in Wind Energy Technology A.A.S.
- Number of Scholarships: 1
- Renewable? No