***Scholarship Application***

***Nebraska Czechs of York***

***York, Nebraska***

***The Nebraska Czechs of York is a non-profit organization dedicated to***

***creating an interest in Czech and Slovak culture and heritage.***

***Scholarship Guidelines:***

A $300.00 scholarship is available to all graduating high school seniors of Czech or Slovak ancestry currently **residing** in York, Seward, Polk, Hamilton, and Fillmore Counties who plan to pursue further education at a college of their choice. Selection will also be based upon high morals, character, academics (80% average or above), leadership and community involvement.

Upon successfully completing the first semester of college study, or the first half of a yearlong course of study, the recipient will provide a transcript to the scholarship committee for the payment of the scholarship. The scholarship will be paid directly to the school of your choice.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY MARCH 31, 2014.

To apply for the Nebraska Czechs of York scholarship, please adhere to the following guidelines:

1. Complete the scholarship application form in its entirety.
2. Submit 3 letters of recommendation to the scholarship committee. Letters of recommendation from a family member will not be acceptable.

Send your completed application to:

Jean Lamp, 1504 N. Florida Ave.  York, NE  68467

Incomplete applications will be regretfully disqualified from selection.

Please visit our website at <http://www.nebraskaczechsofyork.org>

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Please complete the following form for scholarship consideration. This information will be used by the Nebraska Czechs of York in the selection of scholarship recipients. Please complete the form in its entirety and remember, this application represents YOU.

**Personal Data**

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parents’/Guardians’ Names: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Siblings (include age & grade level): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Father’s Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Mother’s Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**School Data**

School Currently Attending: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

College you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted to this college: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Major / Degree: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

ACT/SAT Score(s): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Other Scholarship Information**

List scholarships you have applied for and/or have been awarded.

**References**

List the three references who have supplied letters of recommendation in support of your scholarship application.

Name / relationship: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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The Nebraska Czechs of York would like to become more familiar with you and your qualifications. Please answer the questions on the next page. If necessary, you may attach additional paper to this page.

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1. **Tell us about you, your Czech or Slovak ancestry and any ethnic family traditions you may have.**
2. **What course of study or training will you pursue at your chosen institution and why have you chosen this field?**
3. **Briefly describe the personal and career goals you have set for yourself.**
4. **What experience have you had that helped you decide to choose this type of training?**
5. **Briefly describe school, community and other activities in which you have been involved.**