

2026 - 2027 NEW STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



*Scholarship Priority Consideration Deadline: **March 2, 2026***

Use this form to apply for a scholarship if you will be enrolling for the first time at NUNM in Fall, 2026. Scholarship applications must be accompanied or preceded by a submitted 2026 admissions application (or approved deferral), and must be completed in full for consideration. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Submit this form and your essay(s) in a single email to admissions@nunm.edu by March 2, 2026 for priority consideration. See page 2 for essay instructions.

I. APPLICANT INFORMATION

First Name _____ Last Name _____
Street Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Email Address _____ Phone _____
Program(s) _____

- Current Admissions Status
- Application submitted; materials still in process.
 - Application and materials submitted; application is under review.
 - Admitted but I am undecided.
 - Admitted and I have accepted.

II. SELECT THE SCHOLARSHIP(S) FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING

You may apply for more than one scholarship, however, only one scholarship per student may be awarded. Please note that the award amount is equally distributed throughout your education.

DOCTOR OF NATUROPATHIC MEDICINE

- Academic Excellence – \$8,500** Cumulative GPA of at least 3.8
- Academic Achievement – \$5,000** Cumulative GPA of at least 3.4
- Academic Merit – \$2,500** Cumulative GPA of at least 3.0
- Opportunity for All – \$5,000** Help us understand the experiences that have shaped your perspective.

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

- Academic Accomplishment – \$2,000** No minimum GPA requirement
- Opportunity for All – \$2,500** Help us understand the experiences that have shaped your perspective.

COLLEGE OF CLASSICAL CHINESE MEDICINE

- Academic Merit – \$2,500** Cumulative GPA of at least 3.0
- Opportunity for All – \$5,000** Help us understand the experiences that have shaped your perspective.

SCHOOL OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

- Academic Accomplishment – \$2,000** No minimum GPA requirement
- Opportunity for All – \$2,500** Help us understand the experiences that have shaped your perspective.

III. SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY

Submit an essay of no more than 750 words, choosing from the prompt options listed below. If you are applying in more than one category, you will need to submit a different essay for each scholarship. Acceptable file types are .pdf, .doc, and .docx.

ACADEMIC AWARD: Doctor of Naturopathic Medicine/College of Classical Chinese Medicine

Option 1: An excellent provider can make a huge difference in a patient's medical and/or healing experience. What qualities, skills or attributes do you believe make an excellent doctor, and why? What talents do you see in yourself that might help you stand out as a doctor, and what will you seek to cultivate in yourself once enrolled at NUNM?

Option 2: In what ways have you contributed to your community, and how do you see your career goals furthering opportunities to give back?

ACADEMIC AWARD: School of Graduate/Undergraduate Studies

Option 1: What are your extracurricular activities, and what made you participate in these activities? How has participating in them shaped your identity and/or worldview?

Option 2: What would you say is your most important accomplishment to-date, and how does it relate to your academic or career goals?

OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL: All Programs

Option 1: Describe an identity-related issue facing your community, and how you have taken steps to help solve the problem(s). What did you learn from this experience?

Option 2: How have aspects of your identity and experience influenced your education? How do you see them impacting your career path and professional goals?

IV. ACADEMIC STANDING

If you have ever been placed on academic probation, have had disciplinary action taken against you in the past, or have disciplinary action currently pending, please describe the circumstances below.