

Alworth Scholarship
2025/2026 CHECKLIST for Submitting an Application
Award Amount: \$24,000

Online application deadline is January 15th

<input type="checkbox"/>	Email: Use an email address that you will check frequently during the application-to-award cycle.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Intended College(s)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Intended Field(s) of Study
<input type="checkbox"/>	High School & College Credits
<input type="checkbox"/>	Number of Students in Senior Class
<input type="checkbox"/>	GPA 3.5 or higher by the end of 2025 fall semester
<input type="checkbox"/>	ACT Score of 24 or higher and include sub scores in Math, Science, English and Reading. *If you plan to take or retake the ACT in December or February, apply by deadline and send test scores by March 1.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Financial Information: estimated cost of college, your school budget, employment
<input type="checkbox"/>	Parent's 2024 IRS 1040 Return or IRS Tax Return Transcript Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) must not exceed \$175,000. Due by January 15. Submit by email, fax or USPS. *Block out social security numbers before sending. Only need to send first page to pages showing your gross income, adjusted gross income and taxable income. Email: alworth@alworthscholarship.org . <i>Note: In the event that there has been a dramatic change in income between 2024 and 2025, please send an email to discuss possible permission to submit 2025 tax information.</i>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Activities / Athletics / Honors: years of participation, leadership roles/awards. Be very thorough.
<input type="checkbox"/>	ESSAY QUESTIONS TO ANSWER: Please provide thoughtful and authentic responses in your own words. Essays may be reviewed with AI checkers to determine if AI has substantially contributed to the content. An application may be rejected if not written by the applicant. 1. Describe a situation or project that didn't go as planned. Discuss the following; -What you did to overcome any obstacles -What you learned 2. What are your short-term and long-term career goals? 3. Tell us what interests you about your chosen field of study. 4. What else can you share about your skills and experiences that you haven't addressed in the previous questions?
<input type="checkbox"/>	RECOMMENDATION FROM A <u>MATH OR SCIENCE TEACHER</u> <i>Students are responsible for contacting a math or science teacher to submit a recommendation through the website on their behalf. Out of respect, ask them early, ideally before the Thanksgiving holiday. Will need: Name of Teacher, Subject Taught, Email Address</i>
<input type="checkbox"/>	TRANSCRIPTS <i>After January 15th, the Alworth Memorial Fund will contact your high school for your transcripts.</i> Note: eligibility is determined after the fall semester grades and receipt of ACT test scores.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I have informed my counselor that I am applying for the Alworth scholarship.

Please contact us with any questions at alworth@alworthscholarship.org