



Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001, Sons of Norway
Educational Foundation
2245 NW 57th Street
Seattle, WA 98107



DOUGLAS WARNE VOCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001, Sons of Norway, Education Foundation will annually award scholarships to a person attending or planning on attending an accredited technical, trade, or vocational program in Washington State. The amount of the award for 2026 will be a minimum of \$3,000. (The interest rate changes every year so the amount will vary from year to year). The check will be made out to the recipient's school in the name of the recipient.

Instructions of the applicant: (Please type or print clearly in black ink)

To be eligible for the Douglas Warne Vocational Scholarship:

- The applicant shall be recommended by a current member of Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001, Sons of Norway.
- The applicant must be a United States citizen who is at least a senior in high school up to 25 years old attending or planning on attending an accredited technical, trade, or vocational program in Washington State.
- The applicant must not have previously received this award.

Submit an essay, not to exceed 250 words, describing your accomplishments to date; interest in Norwegian/Scandinavian culture or heritage; your involvement in Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001, Sons of Norway, or other Scandinavian/Nordic organization, and community activities; and your educational or career goals.

The criteria by which candidates are evaluated:

- Academic performance and evidence of ability to succeed.
- Two letters of recommendation giving specific evidence of good character, accomplishments and abilities, one of which is from a member of Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001.
- Financial need or means tests shall not be considered.
- Content of the essay.
- Ability to follow the instructions on the application.

Mail the completed application form to the Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001, Sons of Norway Educational Foundation address above. To be eligible for consideration, the application must meet all the requirements AND be **received** by March 30, 2026. The Educational Foundation cannot accept applications by e-mail or fax.

Applicant's Last Name, First and Middle Initial: _____

Date/Place of Birth: _____ Citizenship: _____

Permanent Address:

Street: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone (inc. area code) _____ E-Mail: _____

Sons of Norway Membership: Self (____)

Relative(s) Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Member Since: _____

High School/Vocational School Currently Attending: _____

Address of School Currently Attending: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Phone (inc. area code): _____

Subject of Interest: _____

Completed: _____ (Circle One: Terms, Semesters, Quarters) _____ Semester/Quarter Total Hours

GPA: _____ Maximum grade point value possible: _____ Date of Expected Graduation: _____

Have your school send a copy of your latest transcript directly to:

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List the name and address of the two persons, who are writing letters of recommendation for you. Such persons may include teachers, coaches, youth leaders or someone else not related to you, but who knows you well. They should describe your character, accomplishments, and abilities. Recommendation letters must be **received** by March 30, 2026.

First Recommendation Name: _____ Relationship to applicant: _____

Street: _____ City/State/Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Second Recommendation: _____ Relationship to applicant: _____

Street: _____ City/State/Zip: _____ Phone: _____

I hereby certify the above statements are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____

If you have any questions, contact:

Heidi Ludeman (Larsen), 360-927-1194 or LELEducationalFoundation@gmail.com



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Douglas Warne Vocational Scholarship Application Checklist

Please initial all and include this checklist with your application.

_____ I meet all of the qualifying conditions for the scholarship

_____ I have enclosed or mailed to LEL 2-001, Sons of Norway, Educational Foundation a copy of my current transcript.

_____ I have enclosed an essay, not exceeding 250 words, describing my accomplishments to date; interest in Norwegian/Scandinavian culture or heritage; my involvement in Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001, Sons of Norway, or other Scandinavian/Nordic organization, and community activities; and my educational or career goals.

_____ I expect my two references to send in a letters of recommendation giving specific evidence of good character, accomplishments and abilities. One of the letters of recommendation will be from a Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001 member.

_____ I have to the best of my knowledge filled out the form completely and honestly.

Name (Please Print): _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____