Hello, my name is Addison Williams and this is why I feel like I deserve a scholarship. Education has always been a huge part of my life; my mom works as an advisor at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, and my dad used to work at the University too. They have always encouraged me to try my hardest in school because one day it will pay off. I have a brother named Luke who is in 5th grade right now. Since I am the oldest sibling I will graduate high school and college first and I would love to set a good example for him to follow, so he knows that school is important and it can come with benefits.

I believe that education and learning are very important to being successful in life. I also believe that everyone should have the right to an education that is why I always try to do my best in school, because I know that some kids aren't as lucky as me. Ever since elementary school, even when times were rough, I have always tried my hardest.

I like to think of myself as kind, caring, and hardworking. I always try to help out others when they can't figure something out or if they are behind in schoolwork because people have always done the same for me. I also like to do things that are out of my comfort zone to try new things. Beyond school, I have tons of hobbies and sports that I love to do! I like to paint, do photography, and do pottery. Some of the sports I like are soccer, volleyball, and horseback riding. I hope to continue those hobbies and sports in high school, college, and the future.

Another thing I would like you to know about me is that I love animals. My parents would tell me stories about how when I was little I would call everything "dog" like squirrels, cats, and even cars! I even knew the career I wanted later in life since third grade! I originally wanted to be a veterinarian or a doctor but then I found out that the medical field wasn't the

best career choice for me. I decided to have my love for animals, helping people, science, and even some aspects of medical sciences and combine all of those interests into one career, which is what I feel when I think of being a biologist. I have wanted to go to school for biology for so long now and I would love some extra help getting money ready for college. I have already planned to start working when I am around 15 because as my mom always tells me "you should live your childhood while you can, you will have the rest of your life to work" That is why I feel like I deserve a scholarship for college. Thank you for reading my essay and I hope you have a great day.