Application Forms

Barry County 4-H Scholarship

Schedule of Events

✓ Fall of your Senior Year. . . . . . . . . . . . . Apply and gain admission to the educational program of your choice.
✓ February 15th . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Application forms are available at the Extension Office or on our website.
✓ April 15th . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Applications due at the Extension Office.
✓ Barry County Fair . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Scholarship winners announced.
✓ Enrollment in Educational Program . . . Check will be issued.

Eligibility Criteria

Eligibility to apply for scholarship:
• You must be a high school senior or a high school graduate.
• You must have been active in 4-H programming during 3 of your last 4 years of 4-H eligibility.
• Your last year of active participation must have been in the Barry County 4-H Program.
• You must show proof of acceptance for admissions to an accredited university, college or vocational program.

Eligibility to receive funds:
• Scholarship funds awarded will be in the form of a check, made out to the applicants educational institution, in the name of the scholarship recipient.

Reapplication for Scholarship:
• Recipients of previous scholarships from this program will be eligible to apply again.

Award Considerations

The Scholarship Award Committee will have broad discretion in allocating and awarding scholarship grant monies. They will consider the following factors:
• Participation in 4-H
• Accomplishments in 4-H
• Citizenship
• Leadership
• Moral Character
• Evidence of self help
• Additionally, the Scholarship award Committee may consider other factors they deem worth while.
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Please Print or Type

Vital Statistics -

Name: ________________________________ Phone: (   )__ - ______

Address: __________________________________________

City: __________________________ State: _____ Zip: ______

Date of Birth: ____________ Social Security Number: ___________

Parent or Guardian: Name: ________________________________

Address: ______________________________________________

City: _______________ State _____ Zip __________

Eligibility Considerations –
• Current Grade __________________ Or Year Graduated ____________
  Name of High School __________________________
• List your 4-H involvement since grade 9.
  Grade 9 Year ____ ___ Club ______________ County ___________
  Grade 10 Year ____ ___ Club ______________ County ___________
  Grade 11 Year ____ ___ Club ______________ County ___________
  Grade 12 Year ____ ___ Club ______________ County ___________
  Post H.S. Year ____ ___ Club ______________ County ___________
• List Post High School Education or training programs where you have been accepted for admission. Attach a copy of proof of acceptance.
  School of Program __________________ Location __________ Accredited?__
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Have you received this scholarship before? _________ If so when? ____________
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Award Considerations –
Participation in 4-H:
• At what age did you begin your 4-H involvement, including Young Clovers? _________
• How many years have you been a 4-H Member or Leader? ______________
• List, on the sheet provided (Please Type), the 4-H Clubs, Project Areas, and other 4-H Programming you have been involved in.

4-H Accomplishments –
• List, on the sheet of paper provided (Please Type), the important accomplishments you have made and awards you have received during your 4-H career.

Citizenship –
• Describe, on a separate sheet of paper (Please Type), any Citizenship Awards and training you have received, and your involvement as a good Citizen in the 4-H Program, your school, and your community.

Leadership –
• Describe, on a separate sheet of paper (Please Type), how you have provided leadership in the 4-H Program, in your school, and in your community.

Moral Character –
• Provide at least two letters of recommendation from non-family adults attesting to your character (clergy, teachers, counselors, 4-H Leaders).

Evidence of Self Help –
• How do you plan to finance your education or training? (Please Type)
• Describe how you have accumulated any savings which will help you pay for your education.
• What jobs and employment have you had, or will you have?
• What scholarships and grants you have applied for, and what you have received?
• What loans do you expect to apply for?
• What help can you expect from family members?
• What other sources of income can you expect?

Other Factors which may be considered –
• Field of study you plan to pursue ___________________________ Vocational Objective ___________________________
• List any other facts which you wish to be considered – use an attached sheet (Please Type).

Reviewed and approved by:
Parent or Guardian ______________________________ Date __________
Reviewed by General Leader ______________________________ Date __________
Reviewed by Staff Member ______________________________ Date __________
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Participation in 4-H –

- List the Clubs, Project Areas and other 4-H Programming you have been involved in.

| Clubs, Project Areas & Programs | Years during which you were involved. |