



JACKSON COUNTY 4-H ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP

2 Scholarships for an amount of \$500 each will be awarded per year.

Eligibility

- Former Meadowlark District 4-H member from a recognized 4-H Community Club in Jackson County, KS
- Age 19 or older as of January 1 of current 4-H year
- Freshman, Sophomore, Junior or Senior status at any accredited college, university or technical school
- Enrolled as a full-time student (minimum of 12 credit hours)
- Undergraduate cumulative GPA or 2.5 or better
- Any academic major acceptable

Selection Criteria

- 30% 4-H Experiences & Activities
- 45% 4-H Alumni Experiences & Activities
- 15% Financial Need
- 10% Essay Questions (Future Plans/Impact of 4-H)

Application Procedure

- 1) Application Deadline: June 1st of current year.
- 2) Application must be typed or neatly hand written.
- 3) Scholarship will be awarded Thursday night at the fair.
- 4) Submit with Application:
 - Copy of current college/university transcript or grade report
 - Letter of Recommendation from an academic advisor or professor
 - Staple all pages/materials together in top left-hand corner. Do not use tabbed dividers, cover sheets or any type of folder/binder.
 - Submit to:

Meadowlark Extension District – Holton Office
114 West 5th Street
Holton, KS 66436

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Name: _____ Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____
(first) (middle) (last)

Address: _____
(street) (city) (zip)

E-mail: _____

Phone: _____
(cell) (home)

High School Information:

High School Attended: _____ Graduation Date: _____
High School GPA: _____

College/University/Technical Information:

College/University/Technical School Attending: _____

Major: _____

Current Grade Level: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

Expected Graduation Date: _____

College GPA: _____

Father's Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Occupation: _____

Mother's Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Occupation: _____

Statement By Applicant:

I have personally prepared this application and certify that it accurately reflects my work.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

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1. 4-H Experiences

A. Number of years enrolled as a 4-H Member _____

B. Did you attend/serve in any of the following 4-H events?

Discovery Days	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Year _____
Kansas Youth Leadership Forum	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Year _____
Horse Panorama	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Year _____
State Dog Conference	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Year _____
Citizenship in Action	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Year _____
4-H Camp	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Year _____
Campference	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Year _____
Other: _____			Year _____
Other: _____			Year _____
Other: _____			Year _____

C. Major 4-H Projects:

D. Major 4-H Honors:

Include 4-H awards, recognition and other sources of pride and self-esteem.

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E. 4-H Leadership: Major Club Offices/Committees:

Include offices held and committees you served/chaired.

F. 4-H Leadership Roles & Experiences:

Include activities performed to benefit 4-H and your community.

2. ALUMNI 4-H EXPERIENCES

A. Are you involved in collegiate 4-H?

Yes

No

Not Offered/Available

B. Describe your involvement/activities with collegiate 4-H:

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C. Explain ways you have stayed involved in 4-H during your alumni years:

D. List any Volunteer and/or Organizational involvement at your educational institution and/or in your local community:

3. FINANCIAL NEED

A. Explain your need for financial assistance in order to continue your college education. What have you done to help finance your education? What do you intend to do during college to finance your education (scholarships, grants, work-study)? Include your plans for self-support and aid from your family.

B. Outline your plans for use of the funds from the Jackson County 4-H Alumni Scholarship:

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C. Have you received or are you being considered for any other scholarships for the coming school year? Yes No (if yes please list)

Name of Scholarship	Amount \$	Received/Under Consideration

Have you received this scholarship before? Yes No If so what year. _____

D. Sibling's Information:

Siblings' Name	Age	School Grade

4. ESSAY QUESTION

Write an essay answering the following questions:

- 1) "How has the Meadowlark District 4-H Program impacted your life?"
- 2) "What are your plans for the future?"