

Sarasota County 4-H Foundation, Inc.

Scholarship Application



The Sarasota County 4-H Foundation awards scholarships each year to current Sarasota County 4-H members who are graduating from high school. The scholarships are awarded in memory of the late George Cross and the late Mabry T. Carlton, Jr.

Applications will be screened by the Scholarship Committee and recipients will be selected by the 4-H Foundation. The scholarships will be presented at the Foundation's annual meeting in May.

Scholarships will be awarded based upon your 4-H accomplishments and personal growth while a member of 4-H. The 4-H Foundation awards scholarships for further education at colleges, universities, vocational, and technical schools. The Foundation is proud to support 4-H members in their future endeavors.

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Requirements:

1. Applicants must be graduating high schools seniors.
2. Applicants must be current 4-H members with a minimum of three years of 4-H membership. Applicants must have completed a record book each of the three years.
3. Applications must be complete and submitted to the 4-H Office on or before Friday, April 7, 2017.
4. All essays must be typed: Times New Roman, 12 point font, double-spaced
5. Two (2) letters of recommendation are to be submitted. One letter is to be from a 4-H leader and one letter is to be from an outside source (teacher, coach, etc.). Recommendation letters cannot be from family members.

Please submit your 4-H Scholarship application in this order*:

1. Applicant Information- Part I
2. Typed Essay Response- Part II
3. Two (2) Letters of Recommendations

* All portions of the scholarship application must be complete. Incomplete applications will be disqualified.

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION Part I

Full Name: _____

High School: _____

Telephone: _(____)_____ Address: _____

E-Mail Address: _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Extracurricular Activities: (These are activities beyond your 4-H involvement; *volunteer service, work experience, clubs, organizations, leadership positions and length of time in each*)

Intended School Type (circle one or more):

Vocational/Technical

2-year college

4-year college

Intended Major or Program: _____

Selected Colleges/Educational Institutions: 1st Choice: _____

2nd Choice: _____

3rd Choice: _____

4-H Club(s) Membership and Projects Areas:

Club	Year(s)	Project Areas and Number of Years Completed
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4-H Leadership and/or Activities: *List any activities, and offices held that go beyond projects at the club level. Examples: County Council Officer, District Delegate, 4-H University*

4-H Leadership and/or Activities	Years	Level: County, District, State
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4-H Foundation Fundraisers in which you have participated in:

Foundation Fundraiser	Years
Foundation Fundraiser	Years
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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION ESSAY- Part II

Explain and support with details your overall experience in the 4-H program. In composing your essay include the following:

- Major Accomplishments**
- Skills Gained**
- Leadership**
- Community Service**

All information should be connected to your years in 4-H. Please limit responses to 300-500 words. Essays must be typed: Times New Roman, 12 point font, double-spaced.