



## SHERIDAN COUNTY 4-H SCHOLARSHIP



The purpose of this scholarship is to recognize Sheridan County youth for their leadership and participation in 4-H work. Those 4-H members who remain active during their high school years are considered important role models for younger members. By their example and encouragement, younger members can become active 4-Hers. Active membership is what will keep 4-H alive in the county. The scholarship winner(s) will be announced at the *Sheridan County Fair Livestock Auction*. County members who have met the requirements below may apply multiple times but must be enrolled in post high school education to receive scholarship. A 4-H member may only receive the scholarship once. Three \$500 scholarships may be awarded each year. Money will be awarded and sent to the school after the first semester certification day and submission of official college enrollment or transcript.

### Requirements for receiving the scholarship are as follows:

1. Be a High School Senior or older planning to attend or attending post-secondary schooling.
2. Be a member of 4-H all four years of high school.
3. Be a member of a Sheridan County 4-H club for the last two years of high school.
4. Have a GPA of 2.5 or above.
5. Complete a 4-H Scholarship application.
6. Turn in a one-page report describing your 4-H experience, how it has benefited you and briefly outline your future educational plans.
7. Turn in two letters of recommendation from your high school counselor or a high school teacher, or college professor, or a 4-H reference.
8. Show evidence of leadership and participation in club, county, regional, and state 4-H events. Submit completed Permanent Record and Project Record from 8<sup>th</sup> Grade through High School Junior years (minimum 1 Project Record per year).
9. To receive funding from Council, members must fulfill or have fulfilled the Active Member Requirements during High School while in Sheridan County 4-H.
10. Awarded scholarship funding will be written to the college or higher learning institute where the recipient will be attending.
11. District agents and 4-H Council reserve the right to make exceptions for special circumstances.
12. Return your application to **Twin Creeks District – Sheridan Extension Office by July 1<sup>st</sup>**.

### Scholarships will be awarded by a Selection Committee consisting of:

- (2) Unbiased Community Members with 4-H Background
- (1) Fair Board Member and District Agent(s)



# 4-H Scholarship Application



YEAR \_\_\_\_\_

1. **NAME:** First, Middle and Last \_\_\_\_\_

**2. RESIDENCE**

A. Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, Box or Route
City
ZIP

B. Home Telephone including area code \_\_\_\_\_

**3. SCHOOL**

A. Year presently in school: High School \_\_\_\_\_ College \_\_\_\_\_

B. Date of High School graduation \_\_\_\_\_

C. Name and location of the Institution of High Learning you are attending or plan to attend \_\_\_\_\_

D. Intended college major \_\_\_\_\_

I have personally prepared this application and believe it to be correct.

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Date Received \_\_\_\_\_ Initial of Receiving Staff Professional \_\_\_\_\_

Date Application Reviewed By Committee \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Extension Agent \_\_\_\_\_