

# 2017 Cass County 4-H Scholarship Application

The purpose of this scholarship is to provide post-secondary tuition funds to 4-H youth who have outstanding record of 4-H participation and achievement in the Cass County 4-H program and are wishing to pursue higher education. The scholarship is designed to award 4-H youth who have represented the 4-H program in a positive manner.

This scholarship is available to currently enrolled Cass County 4-Hers who are high school seniors. Applicants should have participated in the 4-H program for at least five years. This scholarship is sponsored by the Cass County 4-H Endowment.

**Procedure** - Applications are due **April 3** to the Cass County Extension Office, selection will be made by the Cass County 4-H Endowment Committee. Recipients of the scholarship will be announced at their High School Senior Awards Day. Recognition will also be given at 4-H County Convention in November. Scholarship checks will be written to the college in the student's name following the first semester of the recipient's freshman year.

**Selection Criteria** – Active 4-H participation, academic merit, application quality, and community involvement (selection NOT made on financial need)



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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

4-H Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Years in 4-H: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_

Class Rank: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of High School Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

**Answer all the following questions on no more than 3 pages.**

1. Share your college plans for fall 2017. (name of college, major and minors planned)
2. Highlight at least three of the most significant project areas and/or 4-H activities during your 4-H career. Describe years involved, knowledge and skills gained, and how your involvement impacted others.
3. Explain the importance of citizenship, communication and leadership in your life.
4. Describe how the skills that you learned in 4-H have influenced you.
5. Highlight your future goals and plans.