

Richland County 4-H Scholarship Application

Richland County 4-H Leaders Association
Extension Richland County Office
1000 Highway 14 West
Richland Center, WI 53581

Criteria

- Any current or past Richland County 4-H member.
- 12th or 13th year of school (i.e. current senior in high school or freshmen in college)
- Planning to or currently attending a 2 to 4 year school

Application Requirements

*The following items should be sent to the Richland County 4-H Leaders Association, 1000 Highway 14 West, Richland Center, Wisconsin 53581 postmarked **by March 2.***

- Cover Letter
- Resume (include 4-H involvement)
- Most involved or completed 4-H Record Book within the past two (2) years
- One (1) Leadership Skills Essay Question
- ***How has 4-H helped you prepare for your future?***
- Proof of acceptance to a post-secondary school
- Two letters of recommendation (one 4-H related reference **and** one non-4-H reference letter is suggested)

*(*Any materials submitted can be returned to the candidates once the selection of the recipients has been completed. Simply contact the Extension Office at 647-6148 to pick those items up.)*

Amount

- This will be based on the funds available each year, but not less than \$250.

Deadline

- Application deadline is **March 2**

Application Submission

Submit completed application to the Extension Richland County Office, 1000 Highway 14 West, Richland Center, WI 53581 **by March 2.**

Notification

Awards will be in time for May/June graduation ceremonies at local high school. It will be announced again at the Richland County 4-H Awards Night in November.

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Claiming Criteria

- Must be enrolled in an accredited college for at least two (2) semesters (can claim after 1st semester)
- Proof of Transcript and Good Standing (2.0 or better GPA, or the equivalent of)
- Full time student
- Request the check from the 4-H Leaders Board/Extension Office with proof of registration
- Checks can be claimed after proof of a student's second semester of college

**A recipient can be chosen for the Richland County 4-H Scholarship AND claim the scholarship ONLY once.

Selection

- Applicants will be interviewed by a selection committee consisting of 3-5 people from the Richland County 4-H Leader Board members, community members, youth leaders, and etc.
- Number of recipients each year will be determined by the Richland County 4-H Leaders Board of Directors.