2020
Leon County 4-H Scholarship
GUIDELINES

1. Up to three (3) scholarships will be awarded annually in the following amounts: of $700 each

2. Each student receiving a scholarship will be able to use monies at a college, university, or technical school of their choice.

3. Students must have been enrolled in 4-H for a minimum of 3 years during high school and must be actively involved in 4-H projects and activities and show exceptional leadership capabilities throughout their 4-H careers.

4. All applicants must submit the following:
    a. Scholarship application
    b. High School transcript
    c. Letters of recommendation from their 4-H club manager

5. Scholarship will be announced at the applicant's school's scholarship ceremony and at the annual 4-H awards banquet.

6. Before receiving scholarship, recipient must submit proof of school registration, social security number, name and address of financial aid office/director at the school they will be attending. These items must be submitted 30 days prior to when recipient needs scholarship. All scholarship monies will be mailed directly to the financial aid office and will be distributed through them. Any monies left over or refunded will remain in student's scholarship account at school or be returned to Leon County 4-H.

7. The intent of Leon County 4-H Scholarship is to award scholarships to the top (up to three) outstanding Leon County 4-H members who have not only demonstrated a varied 4-H career, including project work, leadership, and community service, but have also excelled beyond their club activities. Applicants should demonstrate their 4-H leadership and project work within the community, county, district, state and national level if applicable. Applications will be judged by a team of adult leaders, none of whom can be a parent of an applicant.

8. Money **must** be claimed **within 1 year** of being awarded to recipient.

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS June 22, 2020

Leon County 4-H Scholarship Application Form

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete the following form. Attach the following: high school transcript and letter of recommendation from 4-H leader. **Please provide as typed or computer generated.**

Name_____

Phone_____ Social Security Number_____

Address_____

City/State/Zip_____

4-H Club Affiliation_____

Name of High School_____

Name & Phone Number of High School Counselor_____

Date of School's Scholarship Ceremony _____

Date of Expected Graduation_____

Names of Parents/Guardian_____

Address if different from above_____

College/Tech School you plan to attend_____

If Junior College, which Senior College do you plan to transfer?_____
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Have you been accepted? Yes_____ No_____
Major_____

Please List Scholarships You have Applied for/been awarded & their amount:

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A. What career do you plan to pursue and why have you chosen this career field? *(200 words or less)*

B. How has 4-H influenced your future? *(200 words or less)*

C. Clubs and Organizations

D. Major 4-H Project Areas and Years

E. Leadership Experience (Include 4-H club, county, district, state, and national and non 4-H)

F. Honors/Awards (4-H and non-4-H)

G. Community Service (4-H and non-4-H)

4-H Member Signature: _____

Date: _____