

GEAUGA COUNTY JUNIOR LEADER 4-H CLUB SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

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GUIDELINES

1. The scholarships will be awarded based on an application approved by the Junior Leader Club Advisors, the Extension Office, and an unbiased third-party if needed. Incomplete applications will not be considered for the scholarship.
2. Applicants must be high school seniors through the age of 21, as of January 1 of the current year, who have participated in the Geauga County 4-H program.
3. Recipients will not be eligible to apply again.
4. Those applying must be enrolled in any accredited two to four year degree program or certificate program at any accredited school.
5. Consideration will be given to applicants who are currently or were active in the Junior Leadership Club and the level of the participation in that club. Please detail your entire 4-H experience in your application.
6. The funds may be used for tuition, books, or lab fees, and will be made payable to the recipient.
7. The Junior Leader Club, Executive Committee, and Junior Leader Advisors will administer the scholarship fund. Should the club be disbanded, the club members will vote on whether or not to continue the fund. The fund will not be used for any other purpose but scholarships without a 2/3-majority vote of club members.
8. All applications are due by July 1 and delivered to the Extension Office on or before that day. Scholarships will be awarded by September 1. Applicants will receive a letter with the selection results.
9. You are required to submit a copy of your college class schedule or your acceptance letter with your application.

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APPLICATION FORM

Name: _____ Age: _____

Address: _____

Parents Name(s): _____

College, University or Technical School Attending: _____

Number of Years in 4-H: _____

Geauga County 4-H Club: _____

Are you a current member of Junior Leaders? Yes No

What are your career goals and why did you choose this field of study?

On separate pages, complete the following requirements:

- 4-H Club Participation and Leadership. Include years in 4-H, club offices, camp experience, service activities, committees, public speaking, and any other experiences or leadership activities from your 4-H club.
- 4-H Project Achievements. Include number of projects, variety of projects, project accomplishments (Gold medals or other awards), and participation in project training experiences.
- List outside activities, such as mentoring programs, awareness teams, cultural/international exchange, school activities, and church activities.
- In 500 words or less, tell us what 4-H has meant to you, and the impact it has made on you and your family. Include, if any, the impact you have made on 4-H. Sign and date your essay.

Don't forget to include a copy of your acceptance letter or class schedule with your application.

Signature: _____

Date: _____