




# MERRICK COUNTY 4-H SCHOLARSHIP

## OFFICIAL APPLICATION

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ 4-H AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

1. Official Application
2. Senior Achievement Application 
3. Essay - maximum three (3) pages
4. Photo - one (1)
5. Two (2) Letters of Recommendation

All applications must be submitted to the Merrick County Extension Office, 1784 Fairgrounds Road, Central City, NE 68826 or [merrick@unl.edu](mailto:merrick@unl.edu) by **January 31**.

This activity is funded through Merrick County 4-H Council, 1784 Fairgrounds Road Central City, NE 68826, (308) 946-3843. The 4-H Youth Development program abides with the nondiscrimination policies of the University of Nebraska–Lincoln and the United States Department of Agriculture.



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The Merrick County 4-H Scholarship is offered to encourage Merrick County 4-H members to continue their education.

Application deadline is **January 31**. Scholarship amount is \$500. Winners will be announced at graduation time each year.

Awards will be granted upon scoring of application including review of Senior Achievement Application, essay and letters of recommendation. A selection committee composed of 4-H Council members will make the final decisions.

### Eligibility Requirements

- Current 4-H member of Merrick County.
- Graduating high school senior at time of application.
- Enrolling in an accredited school (vocational or college) beyond the high school level.

### Application Requirements



- Senior Achievement Application.
- A maximum three (3) page essay outlining what 4-H has meant to me with a strong emphasis on how 4-H has impacted my future education plans. Your story should be different from the Dan & Susan Monaghan 4-H Scholarship application.
- One (1) photograph of applicant.
- Two (2) letters of recommendation. One (1) letter of recommendation must come from a 4-H leader, volunteer, mentor, etc. highlighting how you have seen this applicant grow in 4-H.