

Van Buren County 4-H Scholarship Application

Sponsored by the Van Buren County 4-H Leader's Association

Due to Van Buren County MSU Extension office or pdf emailed to rajzerj@msu.edu by 5 p.m. on April 15.

Youth must be a current high school senior, college freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior. All applicants must be currently enrolled in 4-H and under the age of 21. A person may not receive this award, more than twice.

Name: _____

4-H Club: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Parents/Legal Guardians: _____

Currently participating in 4-H: Yes _____ No _____ Years in 4-H: _____

Name of college/ institution of higher learning:

Key Leader signature:

I personally have prepared this report and certify that it accurately reflects my work. I understand if I receive this scholarship and do not attend an institution of higher learning the money will be returned in full.

Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____

We have reviewed this report and believe it to be correct. I understand if my child receives this scholarship and does not attend an institution of higher learning the money will be returned in full.

Parent signature: _____

Date: _____

**Check will be issued upon proof of enrollment.

Grammar, spelling and neatness - 20 points

Section A - Experiences in 4-H

1. List 4-H projects and number of years in each project. (No more than 2 pages.) - 20 points

2. Identify up to four areas of content knowledge you have learned in your 4-H project and describe what you have learned and how you learned it. (*Essay, no more than 500 words.*) - 20 points

In my 4-H Goat project I have learned showmanship, hoof care, milk processing and nutrition. In the area of nutrition, I have learned the various feed stuffs, ration amounts and protein contents of each feed stuff...

Section B - 4-H Citizenship and Leadership Experiences

1. Identify up to three 4-H leadership experiences you have had and describe their significance to your personal growth and development. (Essay, no more than 500 words.) - 20 points

One of the most significant leadership experiences I have had in my 4-H career was serving as a club officer. I have held the positions of secretary, vice president and president. The last two roles allowed me to learn parliamentary procedure and how to conduct a meeting. Being a club officer taught me how to make decisions as a group...

2. Identify up to three 4-H citizenships/community service experiences you have had and describe their significance to you and your community. (Essay, no more than 500 words.) - 20 points

My favorite community service project in my 4-H club was learning about world hunger and raising funds to donate to the food bank in my community. Through this community service project, our 4-H club had a guest speaker who taught us about the issue. Our club members shared what we learned with many people in our community to raise awareness about the hunger issues locally and collect funds to meet this need...

3. How are you currently involved in 4-H or plan to be in the future? - 10 points

Section C - Career Path

1. What are your career goals? - 10 points

2. How has your 4-H experience influenced your career choice? - 10 points