



WYANDOTTE COUNTY FARM BUREAU[®]
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January 16, 2019

Dear High School Counselor,

Each year the Wyandotte County Farm Bureau Association awards \$500 scholarships to graduating seniors. Enclosed is an application.

The main qualifying criteria is that the student's family must be a Farm Bureau member (parents or grandparents). For our scholarships, the family doesn't need to be a member of Wyandotte County Farm Bureau; membership in Leavenworth, Douglas, Johnson or any other Kansas county Farm Bureau association meets the qualification.

Deadline for application submission is 5:00 PM on April 1, 2019 (by mail or email). Please feel free to contact me if you have questions. Thank you for sharing this with your students.

Sincerely,

Kerry Mueller



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Scholarships for Graduating High School Seniors

WYANDOTTE CO. FARM BUREAU SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 Scholarship, 1 Year Non-Renewable

The Wyandotte County Farm Bureau Association's scholarship is available for high school seniors graduating in May 2019 and whose parents are members of Kansas Farm Bureau. As part of the largest agricultural organization in the nation, Wyandotte County Farm Bureau believes it is important to recognize scholastic achievement as well as community and extra curricular activities of today's youth.

LEON LALLIER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 Scholarship, 1 Year Non-Renewable

Wyandotte County Farm Bureau offer students the Leon Lallier Memorial Scholarship. The scholarship was created in memory Leon Lallier. Leon was well known in the area for his civic and educational interests and his special love of agriculture and the land. He had degrees in history and law but chose to farm and serve his community.

ATTENTION APPLICANTS: It is only necessary to fill out one application; you will be automatically considered for both scholarships.

ELIGIBILITY

- Family must be a member of Farm Bureau (parents or grandparents).
- Student must attend a university, junior college or trade school in the State of Kansas.
- Not mandatory but prefer student pursuing a course of study related to agriculture or who has an agricultural interest or background.

SELECTION PROCESS

The committee prefers someone with a farm background, but this is not mandatory. The recipient will also be judged based on family need and academic performance.

Submit the following:

- The completed application.
- Official copy of your high school transcript that contains ACT/SAT test scores and final class ranking.
- Your senior picture, wallet size (photocopy is acceptable).

Deadline: Applications must be received in our office by 5:00 PM on April 1, 2019. Selection will be made by the end of April. Return application to Wyandotte County Farm Bureau, 9340 Parallel, Kansas City, KS 66112. Or you may email your application to WyandotteFB@KFB.org.



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2019 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

High School Name: _____

School Counselor's Name: _____

Counselor's Email: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name(s): _____

Their Kansas Farm Bureau Membership Number: _____

Please attach answers to the following questions (must be typed).

1. What school do you plan to attend and what are your educational goals?
2. What high school classes have been most important in preparing you for college?
3. List academic awards or honors.
4. List extracurricular and community activities. Include offices held, accomplishments, special awards or honors.
5. If you volunteered or participated in a Farm Bureau event, please explain your involvement.
6. Explain why you feel you should receive this scholarship. Describe your personal and career goals for the future and how this scholarship will help make those goals possible. (300 words or less)
7. Please write a short essay on why agriculture is important. (300 words or less)