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Information to Prepare for the Montana 4-H Foundation Scholarship Application

Name and Email Address - By giving us your email address, we're able to save your progress as you go. So, if you want to come back later, just click the link in the email we're sending your way.

First Name

Last Name

Email Address: If your school email expires after graduation, please use another personal email address.

Contact Information

Mailing Address

City

State

Zip Code

Phone Number

Text Number

Date of Birth

Current Student Status



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Tell us about your high school

High school name

High school city

High school state

Please input your cumulative GPA, the scale used and possible points. (3.0/5.0 Weighted GPA Scale)

High School Graduation Date

What is your intended major/course of study?

Tell us about your current or intended College/University/Technical School

School Name

Have you been accepted to this school?

School's Financial Aid Address - Be sure to supply the correct mailing address as this is where scholarship checks will be sent if you receive one. Incorrect addresses may lead to delays in funding.

School City

School State

School Zip Code

What is your major/course of study?

Please input your cumulative GPA, the scale used and possible points. (Example: 3.0/5.0 Weighted GPA Scale). If you have not taken post secondary classes, please put "N/A" in this section.

Intended Graduation Date

Please provide a brief statement of career fields or goals after graduation. (Max 50 Words)



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4-H Information

Number of years you were in 4-H. *You can include years in cloverbuds.*

Are you currently enrolled in 4-H?

County where you participated in 4-H

Who is the Extension Agent you worked with most throughout your 4-H career?

Who is the most current Extension Agent in the county where you are enrolled?

Why were you a part of 4-H? (Max 200 Words)

4-H Projects - Please add the most significant 4-H projects during your 4-H career. You may add up to five projects.

Provide the following information for each project.

Project Title

Number of year(s) involved

Activities and Leadership related to this project (Max 200 Words)

What you did and what you learned: (Max 200 Words)

4-H Contributions - Please add the three most significant 4-H contributions you have made during your 4-H career. These could be leadership, service, citizenship, etc. We look for ways you have grown and are giving back through 4-H. Provide the following information for each contribution.

Contribution Name

Number of year(s) involved

What you did and what you learned: (Max 200 Words)



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Other Activities - You may list up to three other activities and leadership/service responsibilities (including social and service clubs, sororities, fraternities, church, campus, committees, or additional 4-H, etc.) Provide the following information for each activity.

Organization Name

Number of year(s) involved

Office/committee/leadership role

What you did and what you learned: (Max 200 Words)

Essay Questions: Responses must be 300 words or less.

Question 1: Please describe and explain an experience in your life that created a growth opportunity. This could be a challenge that you overcame, a way you stretched out of your comfort zone, or a time you had a profound learning experience.

Question 2: List your awards/accomplishments. Your answer should be in a list format, not paragraph format. After each award, press enter, so it is in list format instead of a paragraph.

Question 3: Choose one of the awards/accomplishments that you listed in the above question. Share why this was meaningful to you and/or others.

Transcript: Upload a copy of your current transcript - This can be an unofficial transcript.



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Recommendations: (no letters of recommendation needed – only names and email addresses)

You will input into the scholarship application the appropriate names and email addresses. These people will be emailed a scholarship recommendation questionnaire to complete. **THIS IS NOT A LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION!**

Once you have added in your contributor's first name, last name and email address they will be sent an email from Kaleidoscope (our scholarship software platform). Please make sure you type in their email correctly to ensure they receive the request. If your recommender does not receive an email from Kaleidoscope have them check their spam/junk folder or simply have them visit: apply.mykaleidoscope.com/login and type in their email address as their username (this is the email you typed in the email field on your application) and use the forgot my password feature to set up a password. Once they are logged in they will see your application request on their dashboard.

Your scholarship will be considered complete as you have submitted. Recommendation forms may be used for additional informational purposes for the review committee.

Who is the Extension Agent you worked with most throughout your 4-H career or the most current Extension Agent in the county where you are enrolled?

First Name

Last Name

Email Address

Message to Recommender

Who is the 4-H leader/volunteer you have worked with the most?

First Name

Last Name

Email Address



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Photo Upload:

Upload a photo of you where we can see your face. If awarded a scholarship, your photo will be used in various publications, online, and on social media.

If your photo is from a professional photographer, please also submit a photo release that they will provide you.