

**CLAY COUNTY YOUTH TRUST FUND, INC.
4-H SCHOLARSHIP**

AMOUNT: \$750.00 MINIMUM— AMOUNT DICTATED BY THE TRUST. ONE HALF INSTALLMENT PER SEMESTER. MAY BE INCREASED OR DIVIDED INTO ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS. SCHOLARSHIP MONEY WILL BE PAID DIRECTLY TO THE INSTITUTION WHERE THE RECIPIENT IS ENROLLED, AT THE TIME FINAL FEES FOR A SEMESTER ARE DUE. APPLICANTS MAY RECEIVE THE CLAY COUNTY YOUTH TRUST FUND, INC. 4-H SCHOLARSHIP ONLY ONCE.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: ON OR BEFORE APRIL 1ST.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

- The applicant must be a current Clay County 4-H member and must apply during their last two years of club work.

- The applicant shall submit the following:
 - ◆Scholarship application form.
 - ◆A copy of their most recent high school or college grade transcript.
 - ◆A letter of recommendation from an academic advisor, such as a high school teacher, guidance counselor, principal, college or vocational instructor. The letter should attest to the applicant’s scholastic standing, leadership and character.
 - ◆Most recent 4-H Record Book and Accumulative Report.
 - ◆A recent black/white or color photography in a sealed envelope to be used for local publicity purposes.

- The scholarship must be used in the next fiscal school year. If not, the person will be eligible to reapply, stating reason why they did not use the funds.

- Application materials should be submitted by April 1st to:

Clay County Youth Trust Fund, Inc.
515 High Street
Vermillion SD 57069

- Judging procedure
 - ◆The Clay County Youth Trust Fund Scholarship Committee will review all applications. Applicants will be judged on the following criteria:
 - *4-H activities and leadership – 40%
 - *Scholastic standing – 40%
 - *Character – 20%

4-H SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Name _____

Mailing Address _____ Phone _____

Parent's Names _____

Parent's Address _____

Birth date _____

Social Security or Student ID Number _____

4-H Club Name _____

Name you want used in publicity _____

Name of school attending _____

Address of school attending (Financial Aid office address required*) _____

Field in which you are majoring or plan to major _____

Date of graduation _____ Degree you plan to get _____

Name of high school attended _____

Address of high school attended _____

Year graduated _____ SAT score _____ ACT score _____

● Describe why you are interested in pursuing an advanced education.

● Outline your reasons for choosing your field of study.

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- List community service experiences and leadership responsibilities in 4-H.

- List offices held in 4-H club or other organizations.

- List activities and honors received in 4-H.

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● Explain your need for financial assistance and your plans to meet this need.

● Will you be receiving or will you be a candidate for any other scholarships for the next year?

Yes _____ No _____ If yes, please explain:

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● Will you have any brothers or sisters attending college during the next year?

Yes _____ No _____ If yes, please explain:

● Have you completed a FASFA? Yes _____ No _____

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