

SCHOLARSHIP SPONSORED BY STAATS CUSTOM AWARDS

STAATS Company is offering \$1,000 annually for a scholarship program administered by the Kansas Fairs and Festivals Association. This scholarship is in addition to the present scholarship program. The scholarship offered by STAATS is not limited to 4-H and FFA members. An applicant must have a letter from his/her county agent certifying that he/she has participated in at least three of the last four years at either a county fair within Kansas, or the Kansas State Fair.

Eligible Applicants: Current High School Seniors or Current College Freshmen

1. The applicant must be from a county that is a current member of the Kansas Fairs Association. **Form must be signed by a board member.** [Click here to see if your county is a member.](#) Fair Association membership must be current and kept current during the period of the scholarship.
2. Each Applicant must be from the county that the fair is held in. Example: If you participate and your official county is (A) but you live in county (B). Then you must complete an application from County (A).
3. Each applicant must have exhibited his/her project in a County Fair or at the State Fair in three of the last four years. (An exception will be made for any person who serves on active duty in any of the military services during this period. The four years will be extended by the length of the active military service.)
4. Each applicant must hold a 3.0 high school grade point average (based on a 4.0 system). Each college applicant must have a 3.0 grade point average for the semester in college for the year the applicant applies. They must also carry at least 12 credit hours.
5. Each applicant must agree to apply the scholarship funds for tuition or fees at a two year, four year college or its equivalent, to be judged by the committee.
6. Each applicant must have demonstrated support for his/her school and community.
7. Each applicant must exhibit during the application process a desire to achieve the goals of which he/she is capable.
8. Financial need will not be considered in the selection process.
9. The scholarship will be paid after the completion of the next (spring) semester and proof of grade point average from the college/school of attendance. It is the applicant's responsibility to provide proof of GPA to the Kansas Fairs & Festivals Association after the completion of the semester.
10. The scholarship can be awarded at the rate of \$500 for two outstanding applicants or one \$1000 scholarship to one outstanding applicant. The scholarship will be awarded by STAATS. This is a onetime payment and winner(s) cannot apply again.
11. The winner(s) will be recognized at the Kansas Fairs and Festivals Convention held in January.

Only one person can be recommended per year per county for each 4-H, Association, FFA Chapter and/or committee selected by the county agent. Applications must be postmarked or electronic date stamped before **midnight of due date on application.**

Mail to: Kansas Fairs & Festivals Association, P.O. Box 127, Great Bend, Ks. 67530

Email to: Admin@kansasfairsassociation [Click here e-mail](#)

Contact : Charles Atkinson 620-793-3747

(Selection Committee will be appointed by the KFFA board President. The committee will comprise of members of the Board of Directors, Kansas Fairs and Festivals Association. If an applicant is from the same county as one of the committee members the president will appoint a replacement for the selection.)