



# College Scholarship Guidelines

## **Purpose.**

Montana FFA members represent all sectors of business, from agriculture to nursing to engineering. The Montana FFA Foundation provides funding for students to attain a technical or higher education degree so that they can continue to create an educated, vibrant workforce of FFA Alumni in our state.

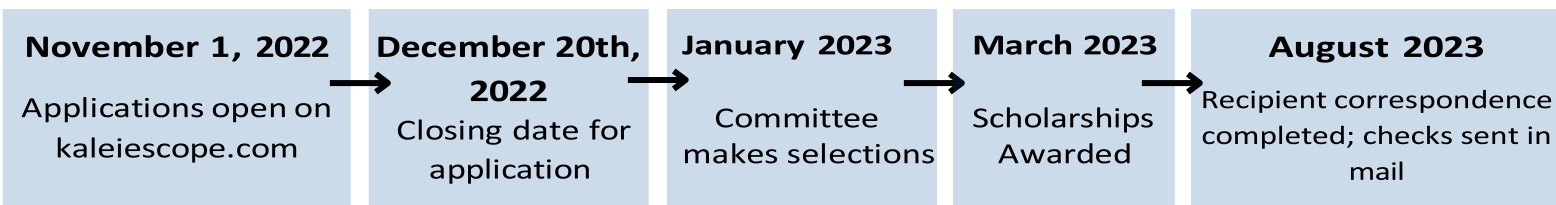
## **Who can apply.**

Any Montana FFA member who is a high school senior or college freshman and meets the following criteria may apply for the Foundation College Scholarships:

- ♦ Active FFA member
- ♦ Two (2) years of Ag Ed courses completed
- ♦ 2.0 GPA

## **Application timeline.**

Students apply in the fall and are awarded scholarships in the spring to be used the following fall for college. A link to the online application will be posted on the Montana FFA website when the application opens: [montanaffa.org](http://montanaffa.org) > Applications> College Scholarship Application <http://montanaffa.org/applications/>



## **Application materials.**

Students who apply must upload a photo of themselves and their transcript to their online application. They must also have their advisor and a community member complete the Scholarship Reference Form by the December 31st deadline in order to have a complete application. Students are responsible for making sure references receive the email link and are completed by the deadline. [Additional Materials needed for a complete application:](#)

- ♦ Headshot of the student
- ♦ School transcript
- ♦ Reference form (advisor) by the December 31st
- ♦ Reference form (community member) by the December 31st

## **Recipient correspondence.**

Students must submit a thank-you to the Montana FFA Foundation immediately following the award notification as well as proof of college enrollment and a copy of their classes upon enrollment (see application timeline). You will be notified on whom to address the thank-you card and will need to mail it to the Montana FFA Foundation.

### Complete verification materials:

- Hand-written thank you card mailed to the following address:
  - Montana FFA Foundation 502 S 19<sup>th</sup> Ave. Suite 304 Bozeman, MT 59718
- Proof of enrollment
- Class schedule



# Leadership Scholarship Guidelines

## Purpose.

The Montana FFA Foundation offers scholarship programs to Montana FFA members to continue their personal growth and education while developing an educated workforce for our state. Our leadership scholarships help offset the costs of attending the Montana FFA Alumni Leadership Camp (ALC), Washington Leadership Conference (WLC), and National FFA Convention.

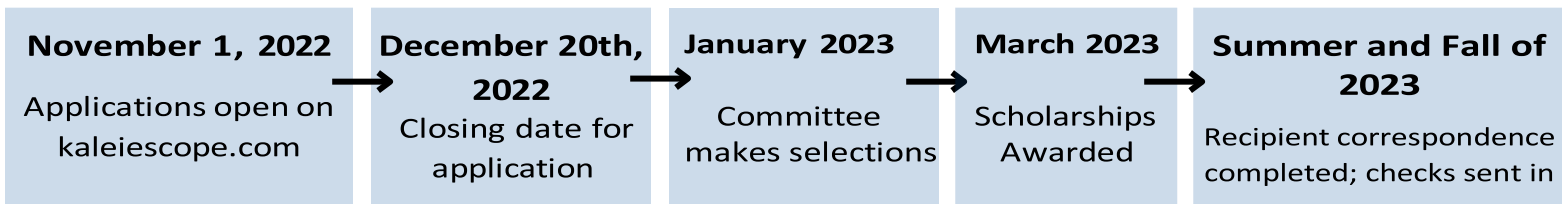
## Who can apply.

Any active Montana FFA member who meets the following criteria may apply for the Foundation Leadership Scholarships:

- Irene Andres National Convention Scholarship: Active FFA member
- Holt Family, John Bliss National Convention Scholarship: Active FFA member, must be freshman, sophomore, or junior in the fall
- Sam Cornthwaite ALC Scholarship: Active FFA member, cannot have previously attended camp, displays some financial need
- Sam Cornthwaite WLC Scholarship: Active FFA member, displays some financial need

## Application Timeline.

Students apply in the fall and are awarded scholarships in the spring to be used that summer. A link to the online application will be posted on the Montana FFA website when the application opens: [montanaffa.org](http://montanaffa.org) > Applications > Leadership Scholarship Application <http://montanaffa.org/applications/>



## Application materials.

Students who apply must upload a photo of themselves and their transcript to their online application. They must also have their advisor complete the Scholarship Reference Form by the December 31st deadline in order to have a complete application. Students are responsible for making sure references receive the email link and are completed by the deadline.

### Additional Materials needed for a complete application:

- Headshot of the student
- Reference form (advisor) by the December 31st

## Recipient correspondence.

Proof of attendance in the leadership event (ALC, WLC, National Convention) needs to be emailed to [foundation@montanaffa.org](mailto:foundation@montanaffa.org) after the event. Students must submit a thank-you to the Montana FFA Foundation immediately following the award notification (see Application timeline). You will be notified on whom to address the thank-you card and will need to mail it to the Montana FFA Foundation.

### Complete verification materials:

- Hand-written thank you card mailed to the following address:
  - Montana FFA Foundation 502 S 19<sup>th</sup> Ave. Suite 304 Bozeman, MT 59718
- Proof of attendance emailed to [foundation@montanaffa.org](mailto:foundation@montanaffa.org)