

November 25, 2024

Dear High School Senior:

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY, this year's scholarship application process has **not** changed.

The application, including supporting documents (picture, transcript, essay, and 4-H leader's reference letter), must be submitted on or before Monday, January 13, 2025 at 4:30pm through this link, <https://forms.gle/5YvumXL5UbcAoxwdA>

County scholarship information is also available at <http://www.maraisdescygnnes.k-state.edu/4-h/scholarships/index.html>.

Scholarships, available through this application, include:

	COUNTY	NUMBER	AMOUNT
Mi Co 4-H Foundation – General (committed)	TBD	TBD	\$3,150 total
Carl & Mary Buchman Scholarship <i>(Pays at end of 1st Semester – requires 2.5 GPA)</i>	Miami	1	\$1,200
Coffman Leadership <i>(May be split into 2 if total available exceeds \$500)</i>	Miami	1	\$700
Peter Downey Memorial	Miami	1	\$450
KAD <i>(Pays \$575 for 1st Semester. Balance payable at end of 1st Semester with 2.0 overall college GPA.)</i>	Miami Co or a Linn Co USD 362 youth	1	\$1,150
Marais des Cygnes District Master Gardeners <i>(Requires 2 years in Plant Science.)</i>	District	1	\$500
Troth Leadership	Linn	2	\$275

If you are unsure of your plans and/or considering military service please apply anyway. You can decline later but will not have another opportunity to apply.

The application closes at 4:30pm on January 13, 2025. No applications will be accepted after closing. **We encourage you to complete your application early – to allow time to ask questions, to review your application, to avoid issues with the process and to assure timely receipt of all documents.**

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APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR MIAMI COUNTY 4-H FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

ON-LINE APPLICATION CLOSES: JANUARY 13, 2025, 4:30 P.M.

<https://forms.gle/5YvumXL5UbcAoxwdA>

1. All scholarships may be used to attend an accredited Vo-Tech/Trade School or any 2 or 4 year college.
2. Applicant must be an **enrolled** (2024/2025 4-H year) Marais des Cygnes District 4-Her who is a senior in high school.
3. Applicant must have 3 years of 4-H involvement.
4. The following table summarizes required documents.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS	√
Completed Mi County 4-H Foundation Senior Scholarship Application	
School Transcript (may be unofficial)	
Recommendation letter from a non-related 4-H leader or <u>non-related currently employed</u> KSU extension agent, assistant, or specialist	
One-page essay: "How 4-H has Impacted Me." <i>Double space, 1" margins, font size 10 or larger</i>	
Senior or Yearbook picture or one of you with your favorite project	

5. **The scholarship application must be complete with all attachments.**
6. **ALL attachments and supporting documents must be uploaded to the on-line application.**
7. **Considering Military Service or Trade School?** If you are unsure of your college plans and/or considering military service or trade school, we encourage you to apply. You can always decline, but you will not have a second chance to apply.

SELECTING THE WINNER:

The Selection Committee will be the combined Linn and Miami County 4-H Council Trips & Awards Committee or such other advisory group or party as may be approved from time to time.