

Boerne High School FFA Alumni Association Scholarship Application Cover Sheet & Rules

Applicant:	
Address:	
Phone:	

Scholarship Application Rules

- 1. Fill out the application completely. **Print legibly**.
- 2. Return the completed application with this cover sheet and your essay. You may use additional paper if there is not enough room on the application.
- 4. Please return the completed application, including your essay to Mrs. Trout or Mr. Lenard
- 5. **<u>DEADLINE</u>**: Your completed scholarship package **MUST** be turned in no later than April 20, 2018 for it to be considered by the scholarship committee.
- 6. Scholarships will be presented to the recipients at the annual Boerne ISD High School Scholarship Awards Ceremony as well as the Boerne FFA Banquet. All scholarship recipients are required to attend this event.

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BOERNE HIGH SCHOOL FFA ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

I. Academic Achievement

List each college, university or technical school you are considering. In the appropriate column, indicate if you have already applied and/or been accepted for admission to a college, university or technical school.

Name of College, University or Technical School	Applie Admis		Accep Admis	oted for ssion
	Yes No	00 0	Yes	□ No
	Yes No	 	Yes No	00
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	Yes No	 	Yes No	

Identify the major (course of study) you intend to pursue:

List the occupation(s) that you are considering:

II. FFA/Agricultural Science

A. Agricultural Science

1. List each sem	nester of agricultural sci	ence instruction you	ı have enrolled in a	nd/or completed
(including any co	ourses you are currently	rtaking):		

2. List all Agricultural Science courses you have completed.

Name of Course	Year Completed

B. FFA Achievement

1. FFA Offices Held

School Year (ie. 08-09)	FFA Office	Greenhand	Chapter	District	Area

2. Individual FFA Honors-

List the **individual** honors you have received. For example, outstanding achievements, special recognition (etc). Include individual Career Development Events (CDEs) and Leadership Development Events (LDEs) you participated in. List special awards, delegate to convention, exhibiting livestock and crops, FFA Foundation awards, showmanship awards, FFA Degrees, and other individual FFA honors. Indicate the level of achievement.

NOTE: DO NOT INCLUDE TEAM HONORS IN THIS SECTION.

EXAMPLE:

School Year	FFA Achievement	Chapter/ County	District	Area	State	National
08-09	Extemporaneous Speaking			Х	Х	
08-09	Exhibited Steer	Х	Х			

School Year	FFA Achievement	Chapter/ County	District	Area	State	National

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3. FFA Team Participation/Honors-

List the <u>team</u> activities you have participated in, such as Career Development Events (CDEs), Leadership Development Events (LDEs), judging teams, talent teams, etc. Indicate the level of achievement.

EXAMPLE:

School Year	FFA Team	Chapter/ County	District	Area	State	National
08-09	Chapter Conducting			Х	Х	
08-09	Horse Judging		Х			

School Year	FFA Team	Chapter/ County	District	Area	State	National

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4. Other FFA Sponsored Activities-

List your participation on committees, education tours, FFA banquets, preparing chapter exhibits, FFA camps, leadership schools, etc.

NOTE: Do not duplicate any activities listed in the preceding sections.

EXAMPLE:

School Year	Other FFA Activity	Duty or Responsibility
08-09	School Tours at S.A.L.E	Tour guide for elementary kids at S.A.L.E

School Year	Other FFA Activity	Duty or Responsibility

III. Other Non-FFA Activities-

List your involvement (<u>during high school years</u>) in community, church, athletics, activities or organizations (outside FFA, Ag Science or Welding). Include any jobs you held while attending high school.

EXAMPLE:

School Year	Other Non-FFA Activity	Position, Duty or Responsibility	Contact person/Number
08-12	National Honor Society	Member	Mrs. Brothers 830-555-6262
08-12	1st UMC Youth	Youth Officer	Bridgett 210-555-1212

School Year	Other Non-FFA Activity	Position, Duty or Responsibility	Contact person/Number

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IV. Essay- "What FFA means to Me"

NOTE: It is important to follow all formatting instructions specified for the scholarship essay contest.

Please type an essay and submit the essay with the completed application.

- The essay should be 300-400 words in length, typed and double spaced.
- Do not include any personal information in the essay.

Scholarship Essay Format

Your essay should be professional in appearance and easy to read. The essay on "What FFA means to Me" is limited to a 400 word maximum, double spaced. Recommended font types include: Arial, Calibri, Geneva, Tahoma and Verdana. Use a font size of 11 or 12 points for the body of your essay and 14 points for the heading.

Once you complete the essay, it is recommended that you proof read it several times; making sure your essay clearly communicates to the reader **what FFA means to you?** Be sure to remove anything that does not contribute to the main point of your essay.

Next, look for misspelled words, grammatical errors, or typographical errors. Moreover, it is helpful to have someone else proof read your essay to make sure that you have clearly expressed your thoughts and that you have not overlooked anything. Once you complete all edits to the essay, print one copy on standard paper.

Next, complete the application form. Place your essay and the application form in an envelope that is at least 12"x9", with your name, clearly written, on the outside of the envelope. **DO NOT** fold your essay or the application form.

Remember, all college undergraduates are expected to write effectively. College courses require students to write longer, more advance papers that clearly communicate their ideas to diverse audiences. This essay provides you an opportunity to practice writing at the college level. Use the analytical skills that you possess and the writing processes that you learned during high school to write your essay in a way that clearly communicates to the scholarship review committee what FFA means to you. Good Luck!

Scholarship Essay Writing Resources:

http://www.scholarshiphelp.org/scholarship_essay.htm

http://www.beat-tuition.com/scholarship-essay-format.html

http://www.internationalstudent.com/essay_writing/scholarship_essay.shtml

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We have examined this application and f	ind the information included true and accurate.
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Applicant	
Signed:	
Parent/Guardiar	
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	LISTED TERMS. IF I DO NOT FULFILL THIS OLARSHIP AWARDED BY THE BOERNE HIGH
I will attend the Boerne High School Sch dress clothes or official FFA dress.	nolarship awards ceremony and Boerne FFA Banquet in
 I will enroll in a college, university or tech semester after graduating high school. 	hnical school of my choosing no later than the first spring
school of my choice to collect my schola	High School FFA Alumni Association from the rship award. This paid receipt should be submitted graduation from high school or I forfeit my
Applicant	 Date
Witnesses:	
Parent/Guardian	 Date
Ag Science Teacher	 Date

Boerne High School FFA Alumni Association Scholarship Evaluation Sheet

(Participant Copy)

Points
Possible

I.	Academic Achievement	20 points

GPA:

70-74= 3 points 85-89= 12 points 80-84= 9 points 75-79= 6 points 100 or higher= 20 points 95-99= 18 points 90=94= 15 points

II. FFA, Agricultural Science/Welding Involvement

Α.	Aq	Science/Welding Course	s Taken	10 points

B. FFA Achievements

1.	FFA Offices Held	10 points

2. FFA Individual Honors 20 points

3. FFA Team Participation/Honors 20 points

4. Other FFA sponsored activities 20 points

III. **Other Non-FFA Achievements** 20 points

IV. **Essay** 20 points

> TOTAL 140 points