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FFA FOUNDATION

2020 College Scholarship Program

The Idaho FFA Foundation is proud to announce the 2020 College Scholarship Program!

This year, a grand total of **\$40,000** will be awarded to **30 recipients**.

Tractor Raffle Scholarships	\$18,000
Tractor Raffle Agriculture Education Scholarships	\$4,000
J.A. Wedum Foundation Scholarships	\$6,000
Betaseed Scholarships	\$2,000
Dairy West Scholarships	\$10,000

Application Deadline: November 15th

Upload application and all supporting documents to:

<https://mjedry.wufoo.com/forms/scvnrqrc00wf5ff/>

Use this application to apply for all scholarships as applicable per rules and eligibility.

Scholarships will be announced at the 2020 Idaho State FFA Leadership Conference in Twin Falls.

FFA Advisors of scholarship winners will be notified prior to the conference.

Actual amounts awarded may vary

Requirements and Information for ALL Scholarships:

1. Completed application with **all required signatures**, along with an **official transcript** of high school record to date, or college record to date, and **2 letters of recommendation**, must be submitted on or before November 15th, 2019. Applications will not be considered without transcript and letters of recommendation. **Save application as a PDF and name file for upload using the following format: CS_FirstNameInitialLastname** For example: CS_LWilder
2. Include a recent digital photo in which the applicant is wearing their FFA jacket. This is required to receive a scholarship! **Save and upload JPEG image in the following format: CS_FirstNameInitialLastName_Pic**, for example: CS_LWilder_Pic
3. Do not add extra pages or submit additional information.
4. Scholarship recipients must enroll as a full-time student at a post-secondary institution within 12 months of scholarship selection to receive the scholarship. *(Exceptions to extend this time period for up to 24 months may be granted upon written request to accommodate religious, military, FFA state or national officer commitments. Other requests will be reviewed on an individual basis.)* All scholarship funds will be paid directly to the educational institution after proof of enrollment is received. Specific instructions will be sent to all scholarship recipients
5. Scholarships are available to students enrolling in a post-secondary education undergraduate program at a college, university or technical school. You may apply for as many scholarships as you are eligible for but only one scholarship will be awarded per recipient.

Tractor Raffle & Tractor Raffle Agriculture Education Scholarships

To be awarded:

- 18-\$1,000 Post-Secondary Scholarships
- 2- \$2,000 Agricultural Education Scholarships



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A special thank you goes to Sid Freeman of Caldwell for continuing the Tractor Raffle Project and the Scholarship Program for the past 10 years, to the Idaho FFA Alumni who are assisting with this project and the scholarship selection process, and to FFA Chapters all over the state who are working hard to ensure the success of the Tractor Raffle and this valuable scholarship program.

Specific Rules & Eligibility Requirements

1. If a student applies for a \$2,000 Agricultural Education Scholarship, but does not receive one, they will still be considered in the regular scholarship pool for the \$1,000 scholarships.
2. Applicant must be currently enrolled as a member of their local Idaho FFA Chapter and the Idaho FFA Association, be a **current high school senior**, and have a **minimum 2.0 GPA**.
3. Applicants will receive equal consideration regardless if they are attending an in-state or out-of- state institution, or whether the institution is a university, college or vocational/technical school. Students majoring in all fields of study are eligible to apply.
4. The Idaho FFA Alumni will assist with the scholarship selection process. Regional committees will review the applications and the top applications from each of Idaho's ten FFA districts will be ranked and sent to the state committee for final selection. The scholarship committee will strive to award scholarships to members from around the state depending on the number and quality of applications received.

Betaseed Scholarships

To be awarded:

- 2-\$1,000 Post-Secondary Education Scholarships

Thank you to Betaseed for their commitment to supporting Idaho FFA members through funding these scholarships to help students in their pursuit of higher education toward careers in the agriculture industry. Betaseed is the leading sugarbeet seed brand for growers in North America. From their start over forty-five years ago in 1970, Betaseed hybrids have gained a reputation as the industry standard for disease tolerance combined with high yield potential. Sugarbeet growers trust Betaseed to provide them with knowledge, variety performance and timely responses to technical operating questions in order to achieve the highest possible revenue for their operation.



Specific Rules & Eligibility Requirements

1. Applicant must be currently enrolled as a member of their local Idaho FFA Chapter and the Idaho FFA Association, be a **current high school senior**, and have a minimum **2.0 GPA**.
2. Applicants will receive equal consideration regardless if they are attending an in-state or out-of- state institution, or whether the institution is a university, college or vocational/technical school.
3. Scholarships will be awarded to students with **declared majors in the field of agriculture**.

Dairy West Scholarships



UNITED DAIRYMEN – A DAIRY WEST PARTNER

To be awarded:

• 5-\$2,000 Post-Secondary Education Scholarships

Thank you to Dairy West (United Dairymen of Idaho) for their commitment to supporting Idaho FFA members through funding these scholarships, helping students in their pursuit of higher education toward careers which may support or enhance the Idaho dairy industry. The United Dairymen of Idaho (UDI) was established in 1980 to provide Idaho's dairy farm families with resources to support a prosperous Idaho dairy industry. In 2017, UDI transitioned to Dairy West – the future of Idaho's dairy checkoff program.

Dairy West whose mission is “creating a world where farmers and the dairy industry prosper and, together, build healthy communities around the globe,” is a USDA qualified program based in Meridian and continues the marketing and promotion work for Idaho's dairy farm families. This is an exciting evolution in the nation-wide checkoff system, and Dairy West will work side-by-side with the Idaho Dairy Products Commission, fulfilling the mission of ensuring the prosperous future of dairy farming in the west.

Specific Rules & Eligibility Requirements

1. Applicant must be a current or former Idaho FFA member as verified by the chapter advisor, be a **current high school senior or a current undergraduate or graduate college student**, and have a **minimum 3.0 GPA**.
2. Scholarships may be awarded to students attending the **University of Idaho, Utah State University, Oregon State University, Washington State University, Brigham Young University or Brigham Young University -Idaho**.
3. Scholarships will be awarded to students in majors and planned career paths in the dairy cattle production or dairy food science areas.
4. Direct relatives of FFA staff, Dairy West staff, or those on the selection committee are not eligible.

J.A. Wedum Foundation Scholarships



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To be awarded:

• 3-\$2,000 Post-Secondary Education Scholarships

- 1- \$2,000 scholarship to a member of the Notus FFA Chapter, 1-\$2,000 scholarship to a member of a Canyon County Chapter, 1-\$2,000 scholarship to a member from any Idaho FFA chapter.

** If enough qualified applicants from Canyon County FFA Chapters are not identified, that designated scholarships may be awarded to other FFA members from any FFA Chapter from throughout Idaho at the discretion of the scholarship committee.*

A special thank you goes to Dawn Downs for the J.A. Wedum Foundation and resident of Canyon County. Through Dawn's vision and devotion to education, improving the lives of young people, and advancing careers in Animal Science and the field of Agriculture, these scholarships have been made available by the J.A. Wedum Foundation, a private family foundation based in Minneapolis, Minnesota. The mission of the J.A. Wedum Foundation is to develop and utilize resources of the foundation to positively change and improve people's lives in the spirit of stewardship and generosity exemplified by John A. Wedum, the grandfather, and carried forward by John A. Wedum, the grandson.

Specific Rules & Eligibility Requirements

1. Applicant must be currently enrolled as a member of their local FFA Chapter and the Idaho FFA Association, be a **current high school senior**, and have a **minimum 3.0 GPA**, unweighted.
2. Scholarships will be granted to high school seniors with **declared majors in Animal Science or the field of Agriculture** with preference to those in animal science related majors.
3. Applicants attending in-state institutions will receive preference; however, applicants attending in- state or out-of-state institutions will be considered and final scholarship determination made on overall application.