



DUBUQUE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION 4-H & FFA Educational Scholarship

- TWO - \$500.00 Scholarships are available to 4-H Club members and FFA members in Dubuque County who are seniors in high school and who plan to go on to a two-year community college or four-year college or university following graduation.
- Applications are available on our website, at the Dubuque County Fairgrounds Office or from the Dubuque County Extension Office.
- Applications must be returned to the Dubuque County Fairgrounds Office no later than May 31, 2026.
- Scholarship winners will be announced on July 1, 2026, and a formal presentation will be held during opening ceremonies at the 2026 Dubuque County Fair on Tuesday, July 28, 2026.
- For further information, please call the fairgrounds office at (563) 588-1406.

Scholarship funding provided by:
The Dubuque County Fair Association



Dubuque County Fair Association
4-H & FFA Educational Scholarship

Note: The Dubuque County Fair Association will award TWO - \$500.00 educational scholarships to eligible and deserving 4-H or FFA members in Dubuque County who are in their senior year at a Dubuque County High School.

The purpose of the scholarship is to encourage 4-H and FFA members to advance into higher education following high school at a recognized two-year community college or four-year college or university. The selected applicant must use their award for college tuition, fees, and books. The check will be made payable to the school of your choice.

Applications presented to the Dubuque County Fair Association will remain confidential and only members of the scholarship selection committee will be concerned with the information contained in your application.

Remember – please be concise, factual, and careful when completing your application. Type or print clearly and return your application on time. The decision of the selection committee is final, and no application will be returned. Good Luck!

2026 APPLICATION

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Name:	
Address:	
City: State: Zip:	
Home Telephone #:	
Email Address	
Birth Date: Age:	
Parent's Name(s):	
Name of 4-H or FFA Club:	
Name of 4-H or FFA Leader:	
Name of High School:	
Graduation Date:	
Approximate GPA (prior to this semester):	
How did you hear about the scholarship?	

- **Why are you a good candidate to receive this award?**

- **What college or university are you considering attending and major you are pursuing?**

- **Tell us the importance of this major to you and the difference it will make?**

- **Briefly describe why you feel that achieving a higher education is important:**

- **What clubs, groups, or organizations do you belong to?**

- **List any special awards or honors you have received in high school, 4-H, FFA or extra-curricular activities:**

- **List briefly any hobbies or activities you especially enjoy:**

- **Please list four people you especially admire and respect and describe why for each person:**

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Please describe an incident where you feel that you were a good role model:

Now, in 250 words or less, please describe what your experiences in 4-H or FFA club activities have meant to you and why you would recommend 4-H or FFA membership to others.

Note: if you need additional space, you may use an additional sheet of paper.

Thank you for your application. Our committee appreciates your interest in 4-H and FFA club activities and higher education. Please mail or deliver your completed application (during regular business hours, which are **8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.**,) to the Dubuque County Fairgrounds office by May 31, 2026, no later than 4:30pm.

You may send this application to: Dubuque County Fair Association
4-H & FFA Scholarship Committee
14569 Old Highway Road
Dubuque, IA 52002-9602

*The decision of the selection committee is final