

# Van Buren Township Scholarship

## Scholarship Program

Each scholarship awarded shall total \$1000, payable to two applicants.

### **Eligibility:**

- Any high school senior who will be graduating high school in the end of the 2025 academic year OR a first year college student.
- Must have a high school grade point average of at least 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale.
- Each applicant must be/or have been active in 4-H for 3 or more years.
- Applicants can be in any field of study at any Institute of their choice.
- Applicants must reside in Clay County, Indiana.

### **Application:**

- Student must complete and submit application, by **April 15<sup>th</sup>** to Clay County Extension Office. With a list of achievements they have accomplished with in school and in 4-H, and a 500 word essay on “What I have Learned in 4-H”.

### **Selection:**

- Selection criteria will be based on scholastic achievement, school and 4-H involvement and essay.
- Decision of Scholarship winners is final.

### **Notification:**

- Scholarship winners will be recognized at the 4-H awards program during the Clay County Fair.

## **Essay/ Application Requirements**

All applicants must complete and essay on: “What I have Learned in 4-H”. Your essay must be 500 words, typed and double-spaced. In addition to your essay, please provide a cover page with your name, address, phone number and e-mail, if applicable.

Finalists for consideration of the scholarships may be requested to provide additional information as necessary.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Your School \_\_\_\_\_ Year in School \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's / Guardian's Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Name of College you plan/are to attend(ing) \_\_\_\_\_

Date you plan to start college Fall of \_\_\_\_\_ *(If enrolled, please attach proof of enrollment.)*

### School Achievements

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### 4-H Achievements

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### What are your hobbies, talents, special interests?

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Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/ Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/ Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_