



California Women for Agriculture San Luis Obispo County Chapter 2017 4-H and FFA Project Scholarship

The San Luis Obispo County California Women for Agriculture 4-H and FFA Project Scholarship Program is part of our commitment to young farmers and ranchers, targeting ages 9 thru 19. These scholarships support individuals who have shown an interest in agriculture by joining 4H clubs and FFA chapters recognized in San Luis Obispo County. Under the Program, San Luis Obispo County California Women for Agriculture (SLO CO. CWA) members will work to assist participants with qualifying livestock projects by providing financial and educational assistance, as well as emphasizing the importance of accurate records and budgeting.

Guidelines:

1. Due Date: Application/Agreement must be completed, signed and received by SLO CO. CWA by **April 1st**. Send to SLO CO. CWA, P.O. Box 3786, Paso Robles, CA 93447, Attn: Scholarship Committee.
2. Applicant must complete the below application/agreement in its entirety and provide a brief **hand written** essay about their 4-H/FFA project in 200 words or less to be considered for the scholarship.
3. Participant must maintain a minimum of a "C" (2.0) grade average in school – applicant to **provide a copy of their most recent report card with the application .**
4. Participant must use funds only to purchase and care for a project animal.
5. Participant must be a resident of San Luis Obispo County, attend school in San Luis Obispo County, and participate at either the California Mid State Fair or Santa Barbara County Fair.
6. Participant understands that SLO CO. CWA has limited scholarship funds available and that all qualified applicants may not receive a scholarship.
7. Scholarship recipients will be awarded at the June General Membership Meeting.

As the FFA Advisor of your Ag Department or the Community Leader of your 4H club, we ask that you please make exhibitors aware of the San Luis Obispo County California Women for Agriculture FFA/4-H Project Scholarship Program. If you, the FFA Advisor, Community Leader, Project Leader, parent or participant have questions please contact the CWA Scholarship Committee by email at slocwascholarships@gmail.com

Complete application due by April 1, 2017. Mail to SLO CO. CWA, P.O. Box 3786, Paso Robles, CA 93447, Attn: Scholarship Committee.

- **Completed application (Page 2 & 3)**
- **Hand written, 200 word essay about project**
- **Copy of most recent report card**



SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY CALIFORNIA WOMEN FOR AGRICULTURE

4-H/FFA PROJECT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION/AGREEMENT

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION				PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN INFORMATION	
NAME				NAME	
MAILING ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP	NAME	
EMAIL ADDRESS		PHONE #		PRESENT STREET ADDRESS	
4-H CLUB NAME		SCHOOL		CITY	
4-H PROJECT LEADER NAME		4-H PROJECT LEADER'S PHONE #		STATE	ZIP
GRADE IN SCHOOL		BIRTHDATE		HOME PHONE #	
GPA / GRADE AVG. (attach recent report card/transcript)				BUSINESS PHONE #	
YEARS OF EXPERIENCE IN AGRICULTURE				CELL PHONE #	
OTHER PROJECTS EXHIBITED (PAST OR PRESENT) attach sheet if needed				EMAIL ADDRESS	
PROJECT INFORMATION				ESTIMATED PROJECT BUDGET	
PLEASE SELECT PROJECT TYPE*				<u>Estimated Income from Sale of Animal:</u>	
BEEF – Market Steer OR Replacement Heifer (\$500.00)				<u>Expenses</u>	
SHEEP – Market Lamb OR Market Goat (\$250.00)				Cost of Animal:	
SWINE – Market Hog (\$300.00)				Feed:	
POULTRY/RABBITS – Meat Birds OR Meat Rabbits (\$100.00)				Veterinary:	
				Rent/Other:	
				<u>Total Estimated Expenses:</u>	
				<u>ESTIMATED NET INCOME:</u>	

I, _____ hereby apply for San Luis Obispo County California Women for Agriculture 4-H/FFA Project Scholarship Program funds in the amount of \$_____ to be used for the purchase and care of the animal specified above. In order to have SLO CO. CWA approve my request, I promise as follows:

1. **Use Advance for Purchase.** To use the scholarship for the purchase and care of the animal described in the Project Information.
2. **Care for the Animal.** To care for the animal in accordance with good and acceptable agricultural practices.
3. **Notify SLO CO. CWA of Changes in Plan.** To notify SLO CO. CWA within ten business days of any material changes in the Project Information.
4. **Information Certified.** I hereby certify that the information contained above is true, complete and accurate as of the date I have signed this Application/Agreement. I understand that I am only allowed one outstanding project advance per year.

In witness whereof, I have signed this Application/Agreement on _____
(Date)

Participant _____

PARENT CERTIFICATION:

I hereby certify that I am aware of and have approved the project described on this Application/Agreement.

Parent _____

ADVISOR CERTIFICATION and Agreement:

I certify as follows: I am an authorized advisor of the 4-H Club/FFA Chapter (Circle One) mentioned above. The above-referenced student is a member in good standing of the _____ 4-H Club/FFA Chapter (Circle One) and that I am aware of the proposed project.

4-H Project Leader/FFA Advisor _____