

# LEROY AND JOYCE HONGSERMEIER FFA SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

## Deadline:

- April 1 of each year

## Eligibility Requirements:

- Must be a current, graduating senior of Ravenna High School in Nebraska
- Must have a grade point average of at least 2.0 on a 4.0 scale
- Must be pursuing a degree in Ag-related field of studies such as animal science or ag education in a two-year or four-year program.
- Must be enrolled full-time (12 hours or more) in an accredited, tax-exempt school or institution of higher learning
- Must achieve a grade point average of 2.5 or greater during the first semester of higher education

## Selection Criteria:

- A letter of recommendation
- 100 word essay submission on how FFA had benefited their life and future career.
- Extra-curricular activities involvement
- FFA activities involvement: Three (3) local and two (2) non-local FFA activities, can include district, state, national events, can include contests, workshops, meetings, conventions.
- Preference given to students with supervised Agricultural experience involving livestock.

## Scholarship Award:

- This \$500 scholarship is awarded at the beginning of the second semester of the first year of higher education

To learn more about applying, go to <https://www.kearneyfoundation.org/scholarships>



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