

Helpful Hints

When filling out the Scholarship Application:

1. Review all of the scholarships and their requirements. Mark all scholarships that you qualify for on application.
2. For all juniors and non-high school seniors present, now is a good time to start keeping track of information that is being asked for on applications. This is similar to a resume and or list of accomplishments. Starting to document this information now will reduce your work load in the future.
3. Any senior applying this year and not chosen can apply again next year, providing you meet the scholarship requirements. Note, some scholarships are only for graduating high school seniors. If you did get one of the scholarships, there are some categories and scholarships which you still can apply towards next year; each scholarship description has this information.
4. Home schooled students are welcome to apply.
5. Two letters of recommendation are required. These letters may be from anyone who can speak to the qualities of the applicant.
6. A resume is required; no specific format is required. Examples can be found on the web or through your counselor at school.
7. Major accomplishments in 4-H should include more than just ribbons/awards, if possible.
8. Please look at the 4-H Participation sheet and note everything you have been involved in. The Boulder County 4-H Participation page must be printed to fill in the information. Also, note it includes photography release that must be signed by a parent or guardian.
9. Please proof read your application.
10. Make sure application is turned in by the deadline date; late applications will not be accepted. There is a drop off slot in one of the door at the north side of the extension building, if the office is closed the day or weekend you turn in your application. Please call the office the next day to ensure they have received the application.

If you have any questions, please contact the Extension Office or Board Member – Marsha Slepicka at jmsranch@comcast.net

Next Step

After reviewing the applications the first week of April, those who have qualified applications will be contacted regarding an interview in the last week of April. If the applicant is at college telephone interviews will be conducted.