**Outstanding Youth in Agriculture Scholarship**

**Presented by the Ag/Business Group of Johnson County & Greater Iowa City, Inc.**

The scholarships will be officially announced in Greater Iowa City, Inc’s weekly newsletter following notification of recipients. Scholarship recipients will be notified ahead of print. Formal presentation will take place at the recipient’s high school award night and the 2025 Johnson County Fair.

**Eligibility**

Applicants must satisfy the following criteria to be eligible to apply for this scholarship:

1. A student must reside in and attend a high school in Johnson County
2. Pursuing post-secondary education in an agricultural field
3. Demonstrated exceptional achievement in agriculture, academics, and community involvement

Applications for the 2025 – 2026 academic year higher education must be completed and submitted by **Saturday, March 15, by 5:00 p.m. no exceptions**, to ellie@cfjc.org or mailed to:

Community Foundation of Johnson County

Attn: Scholarship

501 12th Avenue, Suite 102

Coralville, IA 52241

**Student Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**School Information**

High school/equivalent program you will/did graduate from: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Current GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ACT Score\*: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ SAT Score\*: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*\*If you did not take the ACT or SAT, please mark N/A.*

College or university you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted to this college/university? (Circle one): Yes No

Major or Field of Concentration: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Activities and Involvement – Short Answer**

Describe your involvement in agriculture, including livestock & commodities produced, 4H and FFA involvement, etc. (attach additional page if needed): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Describe your involvement in the community outside of farm activities and school groups, including any volunteer or work experience (attach additional page if needed): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Essay**

Please attach a one-page or less essay responding to the prompts below:

* What are your current goals and aspirations after college?
* What barriers will you need to overcome to achieve those goals?

**Resume**

Please attach your current resume with work and school activities, extracurriculars, and leadership positions listed.

**Signature**

The undersigned acknowledges all statements given are true to the best of the applicant’s knowledge.

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Scholarship Details**

Your application materials must include the following:

1. **This form** completed and signed.
2. A copy of your current **resume**
3. One-page or less **essay** response

All materials are due by **Saturday, March 15th by 5:00 p.m.** no exceptions. If any materials are missing the applicant will be disqualified from consideration.

All applicants will be notified of their status by May. Chosen scholarship recipients will be informed of how to access and utilize the scholarship funds via mail.

This scholarship is a one-time, non-recurring award.

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