

BELL COUNTY YOUTH FAIR

P.O. Box 1058
Belton, TX 76513



BELL COUNTY YOUTH FAIR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM 2023

For scholarship consideration in amounts up to \$10,000, you must:

1. Be a high school senior for 2022-2023.
2. Be a participant of the 2023 Bell County Youth Fair and Livestock Show, plus have participated in the fair a minimum of one other year.
3. Be eligible to attend a two-or four-year College, university, trade or technical school as a full-time student (12 hours per semester) for the 2023-2024 school year.
4. Complete this scholarship application form and submit it to the Bell County Extension Office, Attn: BCYF Scholarship Program, 1605 North Main, Room 102, Belton, TX 76513 by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 10, 2023. **Timeliness is important as any applications received after 5:00 p.m. Monday, April 10, 2023 will not be considered. No extensions due to missing or incorrect documentation will be granted.**

CHECKLIST:

To be considered for the scholarship, please check off that you have the following items:

Typed applications are required. Please input information on the pages provided – additional pages added will not be considered.

- _____ Completed typed application form for _____
(Applicant)
- _____ Official Transcript Attached – must be sealed by a high school counselor or principal
- _____ Proof of FAFSA Score Attached – confirmation e-mail, screenshot or Student Aid Report
- _____ Essay Attached
- _____ All Requested Signatures Obtained:
_____ Parent/Legal Guardian
_____ High School Counselor/Principal
_____ High School Ag Teacher/Home Economics Teacher or Adult Club Supervisor
_____ Applicant

ESSAY: Please answer the question below in essay format. Please limit your answer to a **maximum** of 750 words. Please format your attached typed document to a size 12 Times New Roman font.

2023 Scholarship Essay Question: It's story time! Please write us a story about one prominent memory – good or bad - from your time participating in the Bell County Youth Fair and how it contributed to your personal growth.

Bell County Youth Fair Scholarship Application Form

Full Name _____
Last First Middle

Address _____
Street City State Zip

College, University or Technical School that you plan to attend _____

Field of Study _____ Acceptance Letter Received? ____ No ____ Yes
Planned length of study - **choose one only:** ____ Two-year program ____ Four-year degree

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Parent or Legal Guardian's Name(s) _____

Please Choose One:

What is your Expected Family Contribution (EFC) from the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)? _____ (You can find this on the FAFSA confirmation e-mail from the Department of Education Include copy of e-mail or your FAFSA Student Aid Report in your scholarship documentation for verification purposes.)

--OR--

_____ I will not be completing the FAFSA.

Has there been any significant change in your financial situation within the past year, or is there any other financial information we should take into consideration? ____ No ____ Yes

If yes, explain: _____

TO BE SIGNED BY A PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN:

I certify that the financial information listed above pertaining to _____ is correct. I
(Applicant's Name)

understand that the scholarship committee may request a copy of the FAFSA confirmation e-mail from the Department of Education, and that any false information given will result in immediate disqualification from scholarship consideration.

Signature Please Print Name Date Contact Phone #

ACADEMIC INFORMATION – To be completed by your High School Counselor or Principal (this

section can be hand-written if needed.) **High School Counselor or Principal:** Please fill out the following, sign the application, and attach an official copy of the applicant's seventh semester school transcript. An official copy of SAT and ACT scores should be included with the transcript, but these scores are not required if the applicant is attending a two-year college or technical school.

UNWEIGHTED GPA on a 100 point scale: _____ Applicant's numerical rank in graduating class:

SAT Score: _____ out of _____
Verbal Math Verbal/Math Comb

ACT Composite Score: _____ STAAR Scores: _____
(STAAR only needed if no ACT/SAT scores are available)

I certify that the information listed above is correct as of _____, and that _____
(Date) (Applicant)

has a satisfactory scholastic record at _____
(School)

Signature Please Print Name Title Date Contact Phone #

Please list details of your participation in the Bell County Youth Fair and Livestock Show. List all years (up to 10 maximum) that you participated. **One typed page only – additional pages will not be considered.**

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For your **high school years only**, please list details of your 4-H, FFA, and/or FCCLA **involvement and achievements**. Please include any **LEADERSHIP** roles (ex. - club officer, committee, chair, etc...).

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TO BE VERIFIED AND SIGNED BY A CLUB SUPERVISOR, AG OR HOME ECONOMICS TEACHER:

I certify that the club involvement information listed above pertaining to _____ is correct.
(Applicant's Name)

4-H Supervisor (if 4-H information is listed):

Signature	Please Print Name	Date	Contact Phone #
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FFA Supervisor (if FFA information is listed):			
Signature	Please Print Name	Date	Contact Phone #

FCCLA Supervisor (if FCCLA information is listed):			
Signature	Please Print Name	Date	Contact Phone #

For your high school years only, please list any other **extra-curricular** activities outside of 4-H, FFA and/or FCCLA:

Year	Activity	Leadership positions, Award(s) and/or Achievement(s)

Please list any community service projects that you participated in during high school:

Date – From/To	Community Service Project	Project Total Hours

Please list any jobs held during high school. Include co-op programs and summer work:

Date – From/To	Employer	Job Description	Avg. Hours per Week

Statement of Integrity

All of the information that I have provided in this application is true and complete, to the best of my knowledge. I have included all the information requested in the checklist, and personally wrote the attached essay. I understand that any incomplete or false information will result in my immediate disqualification for consideration in the Bell County Youth Fair Scholarship Program.

Applicant's Signature

Please Print Name

Date

Contact Phone #