



NORWAYNE FFA ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is given to a graduating senior on behalf of the Norwayne FFA Alumni Association. The scholarship deadline for applicants is March 1st of each year.

Scholarship Amount: The exact number of recipients each year and the exact scholarship amount will be determined by the amount of funds available for the scholarship and the number of qualified applicants as determined at the discretion of the Scholarship Selection Committee and the Norwayne FFA Alumni Association. The scholarship award shall be paid directly to the school or university and will be applied to tuition and/or books at the student's selected school.

Eligibility Requirements: Those eligible for the scholarship must be a graduating senior from Norwayne High School, Creston, Ohio who meet the following criteria:

- A senior pursuing a two or four year degree at an accredited school or university;
- A senior who will be continuing work in an Ag related business. This award could be used for training or monetary support to assist the student in pursuing their business venture. (Examples could include: QuickBooks class, pesticides training class, welding class, or some type of equipment to assist a student in a new ag related venture following high school graduation such as software, etc.). If choosing to apply for training or monetary support, please attach a statement of 500 words or less detailing this information.
- Must have maintained a 2.5 or higher GPA;
- The individual must have participated in FFA in high school, with preference given to those who have been highly involved in CDEs, SAEs, and chapter activities.
- Preference may be given for those continuing their education or work in an ag related field, depending on the applicants. It is not necessary that the applicant be entering an ag related field.

Selection Committee: The Scholarship(s) will be awarded by an appointed selection committee of the Norwayne FFA Alumni and will be based on the information provided on the application. A minimum of three (3) persons shall serve on the selection committee and any committee members shall excuse themselves if they have a child or close relative who is an applicant.

APPLICATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

DOB: _____ Parent's Name and Address: _____

Highest degree received in FFA: _____ GPA: _____

List of FFA high school activities including CDEs, SAEs, Offices held and chapter activities participated in

Explain the CDEs and SAEs you have been involved in:

High School activities, honors and awards received:

Community activities:

Work Experience:

Why do you wish to continue your education?

What career or profession do you plan to enter? _____

Where do you plan to continue your education? _____

The following items shall be included with your application:

--Two reference letters including those from the following individuals:

- 1 reference letter from an FFA advisor;
- 1 reference letter from another teacher or adult involved in activities with the student;
- high school transcript

---If you are continuing to work in an Ag related field and are requesting monetary support (please attach details)

Essay Requirement (Answer the 4 questions below in separate essays of 500 words or less. Please attach your essays.):

1. How has being a member of the Norwayne FFA prepared you for the career you are choosing?
2. How have you lived out the FFA motto "Living to Serve" during your high school career?
3. How have you stepped out and shown leadership and initiative while in high school?
4. What does a college education or this financial award mean to you personally?

Timeline:	December 31 st annually	Announcement of Scholarship applications by NHS Guidance office
	March 1 st each year	Scholarship Deadline. <i>Completed scholarship application package must be turned in to the Norwayne High School Guidance office on or before March 1st in a sealed 8 ½ x 11" envelope addressed to: Norwayne FFA Scholarship Committee.</i>
	FFA Banquet	Scholarship Recipients will be announced