



HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
MUST BE EMAILED NO LATER THAN
11:59 PM Wednesday, August 13, 2025
scholarships@epcfa.org
(NO EXCEPTIONS)

INTERVIEWS: Saturday, August 16th 9:00 am to 12:00 pm, El Paso County Coliseum

AWARDS: Friday, September 19, 2025, El Paso County Coliseum

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Must be a 4-H or FFA member
2. Must be an exhibitor in the 2025 El Paso County Fair in any division
3. Must be in the 9th - 12th grade in the current (2025-2026) school year
4. Must complete and submit Scholarship Application form via email
5. Seniors must be in the top 50% of their class

CRITERIA:

1. Being a well-rounded individual
2. Completeness of application
3. Concept of future goals

***Following rules is a component in life's successes, therefore:
Please TYPE or PRINT, in ink, all information. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Scholarship applications must be attached to an email to scholarships@epcfa.org in a SINGLE Word or PDF file. Please do NOT send multiple photo attachments. Any application submitted to any other email address or with multiple attachments will not be accepted. Any application submitted without the applicant's signature at the end of their essay will be disqualified.***

The Scholarship Application form is the only one needed to be submitted for these scholarship programs. Scholarships will be awarded from the applications received and the winners will be presented at the El Paso County Fair's Buyer's Banquet. These awards may be won in different years by the same individual. If the Application of a scholarship winner is found to have been submitted with false information, the scholarship will be forfeited and the applicant banned from any further El Paso County Fair Scholarship Programs. The funds awarded will be held in the El Paso County Fair Association's Scholarship Account and will be dispersed to the financial aid office of the school in which the scholarship winner enrolls after graduation from high school. Scholarship winners may ask for a one-college semester deferment in requesting the funds. If a scholarship winner does not utilize available scholarship funds within two years of graduation from high school, the scholarship will be voided and the scholarship funds will be retained by the El Paso County Fair Association for future scholarship use. These awards may be won by the same individual more than once.

El Paso County Fair and Jr. Livestock Show
2025 Scholarship Entry Form
High School

JIM TIDWELL SCHOLARSHIP

One each of \$300.00 to
a 9th, 10th, & 11th grader

EPCFA HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,500.00 to Graduating Seniors

EPCFA Premier Scholarship

\$2,000 to top scoring senior

Full Name: _____ Grade 2025-2026: _____

Mailing Address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____ e-mail address: _____

High School Graduation Date: _____ Name of School: _____

School Address: _____ School Phone _____

College/University you plan to attend: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Field of Study: _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY PRINCIPAL OR COUNSELOR:

GPA (100%): _____ Class Rank: _____ Number in Class: _____
(9th thru 12th grades use previous year information)

Applicants SAT and/or ACT Composite (if taken): _____ Year Taken: _____

Principal/Counselor Completing the Above Information: _____
Please Print Name

Signature of Principal/Counselor _____ Date: _____

**Principal will need to verify all information on application is true, accurate and complete
before signing last page of application.**

4-H Club (and County) or FFA Chapter: _____

4-H County Agent or Ag Teacher: _____ Phone: _____

Please Print Name

FAMILY INFORMATION:

Father's Name: _____

Mother's Name: _____

EL PASO COUNTY FAIR DIVISIONS & PARTICIPATION:

Livestock: Number of Past Years Participated: _____ Species: _____
CURRENT YEAR:

Species: _____ Number entered _____

Consumer Sciences: Number of Past Years Participated: _____ Divisions _____
CURRENT YEAR:

Division: _____ Item(s): _____

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Division: _____ Item(s): _____

Ag Mechanics: Number of Past Years Participated: _____ Divisions _____
CURRENT YEAR:

Division: _____ Project: _____

Division: _____ Project: _____

Division: _____ Project: _____

FUTURE GOALS: What are your future goals?

ACTIVITIES, LEADERSHIP, & COMMUNITY SERVICE:

(You may continue on a separate piece of paper but please limit to one)

SCHOOL:

CHURCH:

SPORTS:

4-H/FFA

OTHER:

LIST AWARDS & HONORS:

From El Paso County Fair, school or other organizations. Please list chronologically by year.

YEAR

AWARDS &/or HONORS

ESSAY:

What has been your favorite 4-H or FFA experience so far and why? Describe what that experience taught you and how that knowledge can be applied to your adult life.

You may continue on a separate page, but with maximum two pages. An adult may proofread your essay and assist with grammar, spelling or punctuation, but the words must be your own! **Once completed, applicant must sign essay after the last line.**

ALL SIGNATURES are required for this Application to be Complete

I have examined this application and find the information to be true, accurate and complete.

_____ Date: _____
Applicant Signature

_____ Date: _____
Parent/Guardian Signature

_____ Date: _____
FFA Teacher/4-H County Agent Signature

_____ Date: _____
High School Principal or Counselor Signature

*If unable to obtain signature of FFA Teacher/County Agent of High School Principal/Counselor,
please have verification email sent to scholarships@epcfa.org*

Email applications to:
El Paso County Fair Association
scholarships@epcfa.org

DO NOT COMPLETE INFORMATION BELOW. FOR OFFICE USE ONLY.

Application Received Date: _____

I have reviewed this application and find that it is complete and the applicant is eligible for an El Paso County Fair Association scholarship consideration.

_____ Date

_____ Chairman, Scholarship Committee
