

Jackson County 4-H Foundation Application for Youth Trip Scholarships – Pg. 1

Scholarships are made possible with funding from the Jackson County 4-H Foundation. To apply for a scholarship, submit the following:

- This completed application (2 pages)
- Missouri Recognition Form (MRF)
- Project records from the past year
- Additional attachments outlined on page 2 of this application

Deadline: October 1

Submit all application materials to:
Jackson County 4-H Foundation

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Name of 4-H Club: _____

Are you a first-time scholarship applicant? _____

Date of Birth: _____ 4-H Age: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Scholarships are available for the following 4-H events – Please rank the scholarships you are applying for in order of preference. Qualifying recipients may receive funding for each trip once during their 4-H career.

Please rank the scholarships you are applying for (1 = 1 st choice, 2 = 2 nd choice...)	Eligible Event	Approximate Dates (Subject to change)	Approximate Total Cost (Subject to change)	Amount Available for Scholarship
	Citizenship Washington Focus (CWF) Located in Washington, DC for youth ages 14-18. A living and learning experience where young people see, learn, listen, discuss and debate in workshops, seminars and field trips. Use this form with attachments and include MRF and project records.	10 days in the summer	\$2,000	Scholarship pays half
	International Exchange Trips Locations and age requirements vary. Use this form with attachments and include acceptance letter, MRF and project records.	Varies. Usually July/Aug.	\$3,000	Scholarship pays one third
	National 4-H Congress Located in Atlanta, GA for youth ages 15-19. Youth participate in workshops, perform services around Atlanta, tour landmarks, and meet other members from across the country. Use this form with attachments and include winning MRF.	Late November during Thanksgiving	\$800	Scholarship pays balance of costs not covered by State 4-H Foundation
	National Horse Bowl State awarded trip for youth ages 15-19. Use this form with attachments.	First weekend in November	\$900	Scholarship pays half
	National Hippology State awarded trip for youth ages 15-19. Use this form with attachments.	First weekend in November	\$900	Scholarship pays half
	Additional 4-H trips may be considered as funding is available. Contact the Jackson County 4-H Foundation for more information and approval.	Varies	Up to \$1,000 each	Scholarship pays half

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1. Attendee Information:

Name of Applicant: _____

Total cost of the event: _____

Additional funding received: _____

Total amount of funding requested: _____

Name and address of person/institution to send payment:

2. Attachments:

- a. National awards only: Attach a 1-page description of your preparation process, your personal growth, and how this process has benefitted you.
- b. CWF and International Exchange only: Attach a 1-page description of how this trip will benefit you, apply to your future goals, and how 4-H has helped you prepare to succeed.

3. Attendee agrees to:

- a. Attend and complete the program, event, or activity.
- b. Upon completion of the program, event, or activity, deliver a presentation to the Jackson County 4-H Foundation highlighting the experience, benefits and/or lessons learned, etc.
- c. Within six months of completing the program, event, or activity, deliver a presentation to one additional 4-H club (other than their own) or at a county, regional or state 4-H event, highlighting the experience, benefits and/or lessons learned, etc.

By signing this form, I/we agree to the stipulations above and have provided information that is true and accurate to the best of my/our knowledge.

Attendee (4-H member) signature

Date

Parent or guardian signature

Date

Approval of this application: I certify that this youth is a member in good standing and that the application was completed by the 4-H member.

Signature of Club Leader

Date

Applications must be submitted electronically to JacksonCountyMO4HFoundation@gmail.com

NOTICE

1. **Cancellations:** If for any reason the applicant cancels their trip or does not complete all required steps, the scholarship shall be returned to the Jackson County 4-H Foundation. Any penalties or non-refundable expenses are the responsibility of the youth.
2. In most cases, funds are paid on behalf of the 4-H member directly to the sponsoring institution and are paid as the final payment.