

# **Stony Point FFA Booster Club SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

## **PURPOSE:**

To identify those candidates who qualify for this scholarship and to establish some guidelines for those applicants as well as the Stony Point FFA Booster Club.

## **POLICY:**

As a general rule this scholarship is available to seniors, who are members of the Stony Point FFA, with a desire to obtain a higher level of education. All applicants must meet all of the criteria set forth by the Stony Point FFA Booster Club.

## **CRITERIA:**

1. Must be a graduating senior at Stony Point High School the year the scholarship is awarded to the recipient.
2. Must have been an FFA member for at least two years.
3. Scholarship applicants must be full time Round Rock ISD students for a minimum of one full semester, prior to the application deadline.
4. Application must be typed, using Times New Roman Font size 12.
5. A copy of applicant's transcript, including all college hours, must be submitted with application.
6. Two sealed letters of recommendation from Stony Point High School faculty (other than the Ag teachers) must be submitted with application.
7. Applicant must be prepared to write an essay on an assigned topic. Essays should be original works of the applicant and be a minimum of 250 words and a maximum of 500 words.
8. Applications will be judged based on the following criteria: Scholarship (15 possible points); FFA Activities (88 possible points); School/Extracurricular (10 possible points); Special Recognition (10 possible points); Community Service (12 possible points); and Essay (15 possible points).
9. **Application, transcript, and letters of recommendation must be submitted by the close of school (4:30 pm) on March 25, 2013 to Rachel Sotelo, Stony Point High School Main Office A127.**

## **GUIDELINES FOR SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS:**

1. The applicant's enrollment in an accredited institution (college, university, trade school, military academy, etc.) is a requirement for receiving scholarship funds.
2. Disbursement checks, including scholarship funds, shall be made payable to the college/university in the student's name.
3. Support for disbursement of funds shall include an invoice from the college/university.
4. Such funds will only be made available for one year after the scholarship is awarded.
5. Should the recipient fail to provide the Scholarship Committee a statement or bill from an approved educational institution within the one year period, the recipient will automatically forfeit the scholarship and the funds may be used to award future scholarships.

**Applicants must carefully adhere to all application instructions. Failure to meet any of the aforementioned requirements will result in revocation of application and/or scholarship. All scholarship applications, which do not have the required information, will be considered incomplete and returned to the applicant.**

**For further information contact:**

Stony Point FFA Booster Club Scholarship Committee – Rachel Sotelo (512) 428-7099

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Test scores: SAT (total verbal and math): \_\_\_\_\_ or ACT total \_\_\_\_\_

High School GPA (including 1<sup>st</sup> semester of senior year): \_\_\_\_\_

Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_ Counselor's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

# Stony Point High School FFA Scholarship Application

**I. FFA ACTIVITIES:** List activities that you have participated in during high school that are related to FFA (Elected office, CDE, LDE, livestock or other projects/activities, etc).

School Year:	Activity:	Office Held: (If applicable)

(If necessary, attach a plain sheet of paper for additional activities.)

**II. SCHOOL/EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:** List clubs, sports, and other activities and leadership positions held throughout grades 9-12.

School Year:	Activity:	Office Held: (If applicable)

(If necessary, attach a plain sheet of paper for additional activities).

**III. SPECIAL RECOGNITION:** List all activities in high school through which you gained special recognition, such as student council, clubs, athletics, honor society, UIL, and other contest.

School Year:	Activity:	Office Held: (If applicable)

(If necessary, attach a plain sheet of paper for additional activities).

**IV. COMMUNITY SERVICE:** List all community service activities not included in other sections of this application.

School Year:	Activity:

(If necessary, attach a plain sheet of paper for additional activities).

**V. ESSAY:** What are your future education and career goals? How has your participation in FFA impacted you, and prepared you, to successfully reach those goals?

(The essay must be between 250-500 words in length. The FFA Scholarship Committee will take into consideration spelling, grammar, formatting, and actual substance of the essay response. Please type your response below.)

**WORK EXPERIENCE:** List below your employment history:

Date From and To:	Employer Name:	Phone:	Position:	Reason for Leaving:

(If necessary, attach a plain sheet of paper for additional jobs.)

College / Trade School Selected: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list major field of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you applied? \_\_\_\_\_ Have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_

The information included in this application is true, complete, and my original work.

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

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

**Applications are due to Rachel Sotelo, Stony Point Main Office A127, no later than March 25, 2013 by 4:30 pm. Please include two letters of recommendation from high school teachers (other than Ag teachers). These letters should be written and sealed by the teachers in envelopes with the teacher's signature across the back seal.**

# STONY POINT HIGH SCHOOL FFA SCHOLARSHIP SCORE SHEET

1. SCHOLARSHIP (15 possible points) \_\_\_\_\_
  - ACT/SAT
  - Class Rank
  - Grade Point Average
  
2. FFA ACTIVITIES (88 possible points) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Elected Office
  - CDE Activities
  - LDE Activities
  - Livestock or other projects/activities
  
3. SCHOOL/EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (10 possible points) \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. SPECIAL RECOGNITION (10 possible points) \_\_\_\_\_
  
5. COMMUNITY SERVICE (12 possible points)
  
6. ESSAY (15 possible points) \_\_\_\_\_
  
  
- TOTAL POINTS:** \_\_\_\_\_