

San Luis Obispo County CattleWomen's Scholarship Application

The San Luis Obispo County CattleWomen's Association is offering scholarships to students continuing their education in agriculture or related fields.

Eligibility & Criteria For Selection

Scholarship recipients need to have a record of excellent academic performance, a strong commitment to a career in agriculture and demonstrate financial need. Candidates eligible for scholarships must have attended or graduated from high schools located in San Luis Obispo County CattleWomen's base areas or be students attending junior college or a university in San Luis Obispo County. An interview may be required of the applicants being considered for scholarship. You **must** show proof of college enrollment and be a full-time student with no less than 12 units per term. You **must** have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5.

San Luis Obispo County CattleWomen scholarship awards may be deposited directly into your school account or given to you directly by September 1st upon official notice of your enrollment.

Each applicant must complete the criteria listed below and submit to the San Luis Obispo County CattleWomen's Association c/o Susan Hermreck, P. O. Box 72, Nipomo, CA 93444; no later than **April 1st**. Winners will be notified by mail by May 1st and will also be invited to a dinner in their honor.

Application Requirements

1. Biographic Information (see enclosed application)
2. Two Letters of recommendation. Letters from teachers, counselors, business and community leaders are preferred. Letters from family members are not accepted. Letters are due **April 1st**.
3. List and describe your co-curricular activities, community service and work experience.
4. Indicate your commitment and career goals to Agriculture/Beef Cattle.
5. Please explain in your own words, "My career goals in Agriculture and why I want to further my education in an Agriculture field (200 words or less).
6. Please explain your financial need. Include any additional funds or support you are receiving from other sources. What have you done towards acquiring funds and how do you plan supporting yourself while attending school?
7. A copy of your most recent transcripts or grades (must be received by **April 1st**.)

