

**James L. Rudowski Scholarship Application**

Scholarship recipient will receive *a one-time grant of up to \$500* provided that they have been accepted for a regular course of study at a college, or technical school.

**Requirements:**

- Be a graduating high school senior with an interest in a career in science;
- Is a current member in good standing with a Somerset County 4-H Club; and
- A letter of recommendation from an adult currently active in the Somerset County 4-H Program.

**Criteria:**

- 4-H Participation and Achievement;
- Contribution to the 4-H Program; and
- Demonstrated an interest in the sciences.

*This application and a letter of recommendation from an adult currently active in the Somerset County 4-H Program **must be returned to the 4-H Office by April 1<sup>st</sup>**. We may want to contact your references. Please have your reference include their address and phone number.*

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**Personal Information**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Birthdate:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Social Security #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Names of Parents/Guardians:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of High School and Graduation Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Vocational, Technical or College Institution which you will attend or are currently**

**Attending:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Your Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Club Leader's Signature (Required) \_\_\_\_\_

*Complete the following use a separate sheet of paper if necessary:*

**4-H Club Participation and Achievement:** Total number of years in 4-H \_\_\_\_\_

List each club individually, including 4-H Prep. Please include the club's name, number of years in the club, project area, offices held, club leader name and phone number using the following column format:

Club Name	# of Years in Club	Project Area	Offices Held	Club Leader's Name(s) and Phone Number

**Essay:** Please write an essay of no more than 200 words that describes how 4-H has helped you become the person you are today. You might include: How has your 4-H participation contributed to your interest in science? How would you use your 4-H experience to further your interest in science? Was there a specific person or event that helped shape your goals and future? (Please use a separate piece of paper and review your essay to ensure it reflects proper grammar, spelling and punctuation).

*The James L. Rudowski Scholarship Committee will interview all scholarship applicants.*

**Scholarships will be awarded at the May 4-H Association Meeting.**

*Please review your application to make sure it is complete.*