

# New Mexico Junior Livestock Foundation, Inc.

## 2023 Annual Scholarship Application

The New Mexico Junior Livestock Foundation will be awarding scholarships to New Mexico 4-H & FFA members. The deadline to RECEIVE applications and references is **April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023**. The NMJLF Scholarship Committee will decide the amount and number of scholarships awarded once applications have been reviewed. Winners will be announced in **May 2023**. Winners will be recognized on NMJLF website, Facebook page, and at the NM state fair sales.

### Scholarship Requirements:

1. Applicant must be a current member of a NM 4-H Club and/or FFA Chapter.
2. Applicant must be a high school senior in good academic standing.
3. Applicant must have applied to any college, university, or vocational school and have been accepted.
4. **Applications must be typed; NO HAND-WRITTEN applications will be accepted.**
5. **Complete application, including at least TWO references using the form attached completed by a 4-H agent, FFA advisor, and/or an Academic Advisor. References should be sent directly to the NMJLF scholarship coordinator at:**

ATTN: NMJLF Scholarship Committee  
[Ashley.Thompson@agnewmexico.com](mailto:Ashley.Thompson@agnewmexico.com)

6. Read and complete carefully – **Only completed applications will be considered.** A completed application consists of the application, essay, and at least TWO signed references.

**The NMJLF Scholarship Committee judging process: Applications are blindly judged and are based on a point system. It is encouraged that applicants be as explicit and thorough as possible.**

**NOTICE:** Applications must be received by email no later than **April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023**, in order to be accepted.

### Email:

[Ashley.Thompson@agnewmexico.com](mailto:Ashley.Thompson@agnewmexico.com)

Attn: NMJLF Scholarship Committee

Please follow up with a phone call within three days  
if you have not received confirmation.

Ashley Thompson (505)328-5392

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you entering as a member of; 4-H: \_\_\_\_\_ FFA: \_\_\_\_\_ 4-H & FFA: \_\_\_\_\_

4-H County and/or FFA Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parents or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

How many brothers & sisters are living at home: \_\_\_\_\_ How many in college: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of High School you are enrolled in: \_\_\_\_\_

High school grade point average: \_\_\_\_\_

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By signing this application, I hereby attest to the best of my knowledge the information included above and on the following pages is true and correct. Furthermore, I hereby authorize the members of the New Mexico Junior Livestock Foundation, Inc. scholarship committee to verify any information I have given in this application (PDF E-Signatures are acceptable).

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**(NOTE: Only one signature from the following is required)**

Extension Agent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

What institutions have you applied to for admission?

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the institution you have been accepted to:

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
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List any scholarships you have already received:

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
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List your 4-H projects and/or FFA SAE's:

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- \_\_\_\_\_
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List any 4-H and/or FFA offices held and major committee work:

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List any leadership experiences in 4-H and/or FFA. Include level of participation: club, county state, or national:

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List awards and honors achieved in 4-H and/or FFA:

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**Short Essay Responses (50 - 100 word minimum)**

Describe one lesson you have learned from your 4-H project and/or FFA SAE's and explain how this will help you in your career.

Describe one concept of leadership you have learned from your 4-H and/or FFA experiences.  
Explain how you will continue to use this in your life.

What do you consider to be your most memorable, significant, or rewarding 4-H and/or FFA moment?

List activities and/or organizations **other than** 4-H and FFA in which you are involved in.

Include volunteer work if applicable:

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- \_\_\_\_\_
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**Outside** of the Agriculture program (FFA/4-H) what factors have contributed to the development of who you are?

**ESSAY (500 word minimum)**

In one page type an essay explaining to the NMJLF “How will you use your FFA and/or 4-H experiences to make a positive, meaningful contribution to society after completing college.”