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United States
Department of
Agriculture

DUE APRIL 5, 2016

Farm Service
Agency

PO BOX 1845
MCALESTER,
OK 74502

RE: Oklahoma Rural Rehabilitation Corporation (ORRC)
Scholarship Program

Here is an opportunity to help rural students (from a town of not more than 20,000) to get their desired college or trade school education. The ORRC and Farm Service Agency (FSA) have been making these scholarships available for the past 44 years. Students who plan to attend out-of-state schools generally will not be considered eligible. The amount of the scholarship will depend on the net worth of the parents and applicant and the income that will be available. The application should be complete in all phases (especially the financial statement) and signed by the applicant, a parent or guardian and the Principal or Superintendent. You must return the application to FSA, for FSA to sponsor and sign the application before sending the completed application to ORRC. Applications without a sponsor signature will NOT receive an award.

PLEASE MAKE THIS APPLICATION AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS GRADURATING HIGH SCHOOL AND PLANNING TO ENTER COLLEGE, TECHNICAL SCHOOL OR VOCATIONAL TRAINING IN THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA. The student must clearly name the Oklahoma School he or she will attend. The enclosed application can be reproduced as needed. Be sure to get the "Signature of Applicant" at the bottom of page 1 if you reproduce. Please be sure a cover letter is attached to the application for the student.

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE RETURNED TO THE FARM SERVICE AGENCY OFFICE NO LATER THAN TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 2016 IN ORDER FOR FSA TO GET YOUR APPLICATION TO ORRC BY THE 15TH. PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED APPLCIATION TO:

ATTN: FLP
FARM SERVICE AGENCY
PO BOX 1845
MCALESTER, OK 74502 (Tele: (405) 379-3221 x 113)

The application must be signed by FSA (the sponsor) before it reaches the ORRC office.

If you have any questions regarding the application, please do not hesitate to contact our office. Please speak to Linda Burleson, Farm Loan Program Technician or JT Bain, Farm Loan Manager.

We appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

John T. Bain
Farm Loan Manager





OKLAHOMA RURAL REHABILITATION CORPORATION
 401 S. Lewis, Stillwater, OK 74074-3518
 Phone 405-377-2010

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT

DUE IN ORRC OFFICE APRIL 15

This application is to apply for a scholarship grant for a graduating senior for their first year of advanced education. Oklahoma Rural Rehabilitation Corporation provides this grant for one year only. The eligibility and amount given will be based on the net worth of property owned by me & my parents & the income that will be available to us. Scholarships are available to residents of Oklahoma only and student must obtain education & training in Oklahoma.

Name (Last, First, Middle-Initial) _____ County of Residence _____

Address - Street or Route City Zip _____ Phone _____

Currently attending and planning to graduate from _____
 City, Name of High School, or Home School Organization

My plans are to attend _____ located at _____
 Name of School or College City

My education or training will be in the field of _____

1. Father's Name _____ Address _____
2. Mother's Name _____ Address _____
3. Applicant: Male _____ Female _____ Age _____
4. Ages of other children at home or supported by family: _____
5. Are any of these in college? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, give location _____
6. Student employment past year (where employed) _____
7. Scholarships or grants I have been or will be awarded: (Name and Value) _____
8. Participation in school activities: 4-H _____ FFA _____ FHA _____ Athletics _____ Other _____
 In space below set out any special accomplishments you have achieved.

This application will not be accepted unless complete financial information is shown in tables below.

Generally, the amount of the scholarship will be determined largely by this.

FINANCIAL AND INCOME STATEMENT OF APPLICANT

Amount of funds in applicant's own bank account: \$ _____

Property solely owned by student:

ASSETS (Items Owned)	Value	DEBTS (To Whom Owed)	Amount Owed
_____	\$ _____	_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	_____	\$ _____

Signature of Applicant _____

Since you may be receiving assistance from the Oklahoma Rural Rehabilitation Corporation (ORRC), we would like for you to be knowledgeable about the agency. The agency was formed in 1934 as a non-profit corporation. The funds for the agency were furnished to a board of directors to assist farmers and rural people. The original funds have been kept together and increased by the board. These funds are presently invested in farm loans. The interest from these loans is used for scholarships, rural development grants and other purposes. The money that is used to assist you is funds the agency earns and not furnished by county, state or federal government.

FINANCIAL AND INCOME STATEMENT OF PARENTS OR GUARDIAN

ITEMS OWNED:	Value	DEBTS: (To Whom Owed)	Amount
Land (____ Acres)(Or Home)	\$ _____	_____	\$ _____
Livestock & Farm Equipment	\$ _____	_____	\$ _____
Investments, Bonds, Cash, Etc.	\$ _____	_____	\$ _____
Other Assets (Value Consolidated)\$	_____	_____	\$ _____
TOTAL ASSETS OWNED	\$ _____	TOTAL DEBTS OWED	\$ _____
TOTAL ASSETS OWNED MINUS TOTAL DEBTS OWED (Net Worth)			\$ _____

Gross FARM Income \$ _____ (Last Calendar Year) Total FARM Expenses \$ _____ (Net Farm Income is obtained by subtracting expenses from income) Net FARM Income \$ _____

Additional annual income of Father:
 Where employed? _____ How Long? _____ \$ _____

Additional annual income of Mother:
 Where employed? _____ How Long? _____ \$ _____

TOTAL INCOME (Add net farm income to salary of mother & father & other income) \$ _____

Any comments or explanation of anything in this application should be provided in a written record attached to this application.

 Signature of Parent or Guardian

Applicant must have recommendation from High School Principal or Superintendent and (Sponsor) agency helping process application

PRINCIPAL OR SUPERINTENDENT:

I am acquainted with this applicant and their records at this school and recommend this student for:
 college____ technical school____ or vocational training_____.

 Signature of Principal or Superintendent (Circle one)

COMMENTS BY PROPOSED SPONSOR:

Yes | No

- 1 - Are parents farmers or ranchers or live in town of no more than 20,000? |
- 2 - Does there appear to be a financial need by the family for this scholarship? |
- 3 - Does the student have the desire and ambition to continue his education or training? |

COMMENTS _____

 Signature & Address of Sponsor (Farm Service Agency, Rural Development, or Bank)

ORRC Committee Certification:

We herewith (approve _____) (disapprove _____) a scholarship grant in the amount of \$ _____ for the applicant.

 (Chairman)

 (Member)

 (Member)