



Guidelines:

1. Applicants must be a current member or alumni of an Effingham County 4-H Club.
2. Applicants must have been a 4-H member for at least 5 years.
3. The application form and two letters of recommendation (one from a 4-H leader and one from a non-family member such as teacher, employer or other community leader), should be submitted to the Effingham County Extension office by 4:30 p.m., **April 1, 2021**. Letter of recommendation should be in a sealed envelope or emailed to logan1@illinois.edu directly from the individual writing the recommendation letter.
4. The application should be typed and the application form must be completed in full.
5. Applicants may only receive the \$250 Recognition Award one time.
6. Must have been a high school senior or currently enrolled in college 2020-2021.
7. Parent and leader signatures are required on application form.

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Applicant's Name: _____

Phone #: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Name of High School/College: _____

Month/Yr of HS Graduation: _____

I plan to attend: ____ Trade School ____ Two-Year College ____ Four-Year College

Name and Location of Trade School, College or University you plan to attend Fall 2021:

What is your planned Major: _____

Name of 4-H Club(s):

Number of Years Involved in 4-H: _____

The information provided in this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant: _____
(signature) (Print Name) (Date)

Parent/Guardian: _____
(signature) (Print Name) (Date)

4-H Leader: _____
(signature) (Print Name) (Date)

**University of Illinois Extension
Effingham County
Recognition Award
2021**

- 1. List major accomplishments, awards, offices, activities, committees and services in 4-H:**
 - A.
 - B.
 - C.
- 2. Identify and explain your involvement in community/extra curricular activities outside of 4-H.**
 - a.
- 3. Described the most important things you learned through 4-H that has impacted your life (Essay of 250 words or less).**
- 4. How will you utilize your 4-H experiences and life skills in the future including your career/life plans (Essay of 250 words or less)?**

**Mail completed application including two letters of recommendation (in sealed envelopes) to:
University of Illinois Extension
1209 Wenthe Drive
Effingham, IL 62401**