



OKLAHOMA RURAL REHABILITATION CORPORATION  
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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 \_\_\_\_\_

Address - Street or Route \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Graduating High School \_\_\_\_\_

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

My education or training will be in the field of \_\_\_\_\_  
Agriculture, Welding, etc.

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. ORRC has awarded 6000 scholarships totaling \$2,500,000 over a 33 year period.

### 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 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total FARM Expenses \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Net FARM Income \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Last Calendar Year) (Net Farm Income is obtained by subtracting expenses from 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?

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\_\_	\_\_
\_\_	\_\_

COMMENTS \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature & address of Sponsor (FSA, RD, Bank or Other Approved Agency)

**ORRC Committee Certification:**

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
 (Chairman)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 (Member)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 (Member)



February 1, 2013

FROM: Oklahoma Rural Rehabilitation Corporation  
401 South Lewis  
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Phone: 405-377-2010  
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TO: Farm Service Agency and Rural Development employees and other approved agencies interested in participating in this scholarship program

SUBJECT: Oklahoma Rural Rehabilitation Corporation Scholarships

The Oklahoma Rural Rehabilitation Corporation (ORRC) scholarship program continues to offer (one-time) scholarships to Oklahoma high school seniors to attend college or tech school in Oklahoma.

Our scholarship may be used at any public or private college or university or vocational training school in Oklahoma. We are grateful for the assistance of Farm Service Agency, Rural Development, and banks who have assisted in this program for the past 45 years.

An application form is enclosed for distribution. The application consists of one sheet, to be completed on front and back. No transcript is necessary since the high school superintendent or principal vouches that the student qualifies for entry into Oklahoma higher education. **This scholarship is intended for lower income, lower net worth families. The awards are tiered, meaning the lower the income and financial position, the higher the amount awarded.**

Please note the importance of the following points:

1. This scholarship is available to students from towns of 20,000 or less population.
2. This scholarship (good for the first year only) is available to students finishing high school in Spring 2013 and planning to enter advanced schooling in Oklahoma.
3. The scholarship will not be available to students who plan to attend out-of-state schools or to students who are not Oklahoma students.
4. The student must clearly name on the application the Oklahoma school which (s)he will attend.
5. The ORRC office must be notified immediately if there is a change to another school after award is announced.

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6. The amount of the scholarship will depend on net worth of parents and applicant and the income that will be available (important that we have this information and that the parents participate in filling out the application, but please keep the responsibility for preparing and processing the application on the student).
7. The application should be complete in all phases (**especially** the financial statement) and taken to the principal or superintendent to complete and sign the part on the back relating to the school's knowledge of the applicant. The school official's title should be clearly indicated.
8. The intermediate agency/proposed sponsor (Farm Service Agency, Rural Development, etc.) may comment and must sign before forwarding to ORRC. *Applications without a sponsor's signature will not receive an award.*
9. We want the public to know what we have done for education over the years.

**The applications must be in the ORRC office no later than Monday, April 15, 2013.** The ORRC Scholarship Committee will meet soon thereafter to determine the awards. Applicants and sponsoring agencies will be notified of the results in May.

For many years we were fortunate enough to have funds to cover all of the eligible applications. However, in recent years some applications had to be declined. If funds are inadequate we will fund applications according to financial need for the scholarship, considering student's and parent's assets and income and number of children in the family. The entire amount of the freshman (only) award will be sent in July; no second semester check will be sent. The colleges require that students report all scholarships, even if they are given directly to the student. That is the student's responsibility.

If you have questions regarding this program, please feel free to contact our office.