**Montana State University Marie Moebus Recruitment Scholarship**

**Department of Health and Human Development**

**2019-20 Scholarship Information**

Montana State University and Montana Family, Career and Community Leaders of America have partnered to offer $500 scholarships to Montana FCCLA members.

**Eligibility:**

* Current FCCLA member who is a graduating high school senior
* Will be attending Montana State University
* Major or minor in one of the following degree program areas:
	+ Human Development and Family Science (formally known as FCS non-teaching)
	+ Human Development minor
	+ Personal and Consumer Finance minor
	+ Hospitality Management
	+ Foods and Nutrition
	+ Early Childhood Education & Child Services
	+ Sustainable Food Systems

**Scholarship amount:**

* $500 scholarship (multiple scholarships may be awarded)

*Annually, the Department of Health and Human Development awards
current students over $70,000 in scholarships.*

**Scholarship criteria:**

Selection is based upon the following:

* Scholastic standing (submit a transcript);
* Membership and participation in an affiliated Montana FCCLA chapter;
* Participation and leadership in school and community activities;
* Commitment to the selected degree program area.

**By February 15, applicants must upload to the Montana FCCLA website:**

* Application form & response to two essay prompts (below)
* Current high school transcript
* Two letters of recommendation: one from your FCCLA Adviser and one from a School Administrator or Community Leader
* Current picture (preferably a head shot)

*A confirmation email will be sent by Whitney Whittecar, State Director, when application is received.*

**Selection:** Selection will be made by Montana FCCLA Board of Directors, State Executive Council and Montana State University representatives.

**Notification:** Award recipients will be notified in writing by March 1. Scholarship awards will be presented at the Montana FCCLA State Leadership Conference. Funds will be distributed to the recipient via the Montana State University Financial Aid office upon confirmation of attendance and degree program.

**Questions**: Contact Whitney Whittecar, State Director at director@mtfccla.org.

**MT FCCLA Scholarship Application Form**

Electronically complete the following application and essay prompts. Add additional rows as needed. Upload the file to the Montana FCCLA website as a PDF or Word document by **February 15**, along with the other required components.

***Applicant Information:***

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| *Full Legal Name:* |  |  |  |
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***Education History:***

High Schools Attended:

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| Year: | Name: | City, State: | Phone: | Actual/ Expected Date of Graduation: |
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***Volunteer Service:***

*Please only include hours worked in previous 4 years.*

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| Dates Service Performed: | SponsoringOrganization: | Location: | Type of Work: | Number Hours Served: |
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***FCCLA Participation:***

*Include positions and participation in FCCLA activities.*

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***Leadership:***

*Include positions and participation in school/community activities.*

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***Essay prompt #1: Maximum of one-page response.***

How has your involvement in Montana FCCLA impacted your life?

***Essay prompt #2: Maximum of one-page response.***

Describe why you have selected your degree program and your commitment to the profession.