



Dear Scholarship Applicant:

Because of the generosity of our Members, and the many Sponsors who support the Warren County, MO Old Threshers Association (W.C.O.T.A.), we are pleased to be able to award a **\$500 scholarship** to students who play an active part in agriculturally minded organizations of Warren County, MO, Such as; FFA, 4H, and the Warren County Old Threshers Association.

**ELIGIBILITY**

1. Must be an active member of (one of the following)
  - a. Warren County, MO FFA Group
  - b. Warren County, MO 4H Group
  - c. A Junior Member, or a family member of a Current W.C.O.T.A Member
2. Must be a U.S. citizen.
3. Must be a high school graduate (or soon to be).
4. Must be accepted by or enrolled in an accredited community college, college, university, or trade school.
5. Must exhibit potential for successful completion of the chosen course of study.

**IMPORTANT**

You are responsible for including the following items with your application. If one or more documents are missing, your application may be disqualified. The reference letter may be mailed separately, if necessary.

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| ___ | Completed application   | ___ | 250 to 500 word Essay (Section 4)                   |
| ___ | Reference letter (1)  | ___ | Application received by<br><u>April 15th, 2026.</u> |
| ___ | Scholarship recipient to please donate 8 hours of Community Service to the Thresher's Organization in support of our mission. (This may be accomplished at our annual show, Farm Heritage Days, in August) Please initial if you agree. |     |   |

**Applications must be submitted on or before April 15th.** Mail to:

Warren County Old Threshers Association (W.C.O.T.A.)  
17403 Barry Glen  
Warrenton, MO 63383-5003

Thank you for your interest. If you have any questions regarding the application or scholarship program, please contact WCOTA representative at 636-395-3407.



Please type or print legibly.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION 1. GENERAL INFORMATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(street or rural route) (city & state) (zip code)

Home County \_\_\_\_\_ Phone ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

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

Applicant's or Parent's (Warren County MO Old Threshers Member's) Name:

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Name of Warren County MO FFA or 4H Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Leaders Name/Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_ / ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

College, University, or Trade School currently Attending or Accepted \_\_\_\_\_

What is/will be your major area of study? Please be specific. \_\_\_\_\_

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Parents' Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(Address) (city & state) (zip code)

Parents' Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION 2. ACADEMIC INFORMATION (Transcripts may be requested later for verification)**

What was your high school GPA? \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ High school class rank? \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
(scale) (your rank) (# in graduating class)

What was your composite ACT score? \_\_\_\_\_

What was your community college GPA? \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
(scale)

What is your current overall GPA if enrolled at a four-year school? \_\_\_\_\_



**SECTION 3. ACTIVITIES (if needed, you may attach additional pages for this section)**

High school/college academic honors you have received:

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List agricultural or other clubs to which you belong(ed). Indicate offices held, position of leadership, and activities in which you participate(d):

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List church, civic, or community activities:

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**SECTION 4. ESSAY**

Please attach a 250 to 500-word essay on the mission of the Warren County Old Threshers Association, and how it relates to you and your agricultural history. **(DO NOT PUT YOUR NAME ON THE ESSAY)**

*“The purpose for which the organization is established is Historic and Educational in nature: to provide the means whereby persons who are interested in the preservation and restoration of old farm machinery can exchange ideas and information, and gather to exhibit old autos, tractors, engines, and other items relating to our Missouri farm history. Also, to establish and maintain a permanent museum in Warren County, MO, for future enjoyment and preservation of articles of historic significance, relating to our American Agricultural Heritage.”*

**SECTION 5. PERSONAL REFERENCE**

Please submit one character reference letter with this application. References may not be relatives of the applicant.

I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge, the above information is correct and complete.

Student’s signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian’s signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICATION, ESSAY, and REFERENCE LETTER MUST BE SUBMITTED ON OR BEFORE APRIL 15th, 2026.**

**Send application to:**  
  
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