Helen Morse Memorial Scholarship

POSTMARK DEADLINE: April 30, 2016

To make application for the $500.00 Helen Morse Memorial Scholarship, complete the attached application form and mail or email to:

University of Missouri Extension
201 W. Wall St
Harrisonville MO 64701
816.380.8460
cassco@missouri.edu

The application is also posted at: http://extension.missouri.edu/cass

Selection will be based on the strength of the application as it relates to the following criteria:

1) Must be a resident of Cass County.
2) Must be a graduate of an accredited high school.
3) Preference given to students who have been active or are currently in 4-H and/or FFA.
3) The recipient must be enrolled in a college or university in the summer or fall of 2016.
4) A great amount of emphasis will be placed on leadership skills as demonstrated in school and community activities.
5) Other considerations will include academic achievements, need for financial assistance, citizenship, religious involvement, and attitude precepts and essay.

(Do not submit additional documentation other than what is requested.)

The $500.00 scholarship will be awarded by May 15, 2016.
Helen Morse Memorial Scholarship Application

(PLEASE Type or Print – ink only)

NAME IN FULL ____________________________________________________________

First    Middle    Last

MAILING ADDRESS __________________________________________________________

HOME PHONE __________________________ E-MAIL ADDRESS ________________________

MALE _____ FEMALE _____  RESIDENT OF CASS COUNTY?   Yes  ____ No ____

Name of High School you will graduate from _________________________________

How many are in your graduating class? _______  Your class ranking ________

Parents (or Guardian) Name(s)  ____________________________________________

Father’s Occupation___________________Mother’s Occupation____________________

Number of siblings:  Older than you_____  Younger than you ________

Number of siblings currently in college ______

Are you now or have you ever been a member of 4-H?  Yes_____  No ____
If yes, # of years_________  Club Name______________________________

Are you now or have you ever been a member of FFA?  Yes _____ No ___
If yes, # of years_______ School ________________________________

What college or university do you plan to attend? __________________________

What course of study do you plan to major? ________________________________

List ANY scholarships you know you will be receiving _______________________

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Work Experience (employer/hours per week/length of employment):

2016

2015

2014

Name no more than five (5) leadership roles have you held while in high school (school or community).

Share no more than five (5) highlights of community service experiences you have participated in during your high school years (school or community related).
List highlights (no more than 10) of extra-curricular activities you have or are currently participating in (include school activities, athletics, honorary societies, church, 4-H, Scouts, etc.)

Please attach a short answer essay (200 word limit) on the following topic:

“Please share a major challenge you’ve faced during your high school years and what you learned from the experience that has prepared you for a productive adulthood.”