

Greenfields Irrigation District Ag Scholarship Application Instructions

The Greenfields Irrigation District (GID) intends to award two scholarships, one for \$1,500 and one for \$1,000, on an annual basis to children of Ag producers of the Greenfields Irrigation District who are seeking a career in the agriculture industry. Scholarships are for the school year 2017-18 and will be awarded to graduating high school seniors planning to attend college full time next year.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

The GID Ag Scholarships will be awarded on a yearly basis to graduating high school seniors. Applicants must be planning to enroll at college or technical school and maintain satisfactory academic progress. The awards will be disbursed in one lump sum upon proof of registration and successful completion of the initial quarter or semester of course work.

APPLICATION PACKET REQUIREMENTS:

Each of the following items must be completed for an application to be considered:

- ***Scholarship Application:*** Complete the application form (**on reverse side**) in its entirety.
- ***Personal Statement:*** Summarize why you chose your major, field of study or trade and how you will apply your additional education in support of the agricultural industry. Examples include obstacles overcome, short-term goals, long-term goals, financial need, recent honors or awards, and any other information you believe is relevant to the selection committee. (**Please type and limit to one page**).
- ***One Letter of Recommendation:*** Submit one letter from an instructor, or from a personal reference, such as an employer, pastor, supervisor, etc. The letter must include the name, address, and telephone number of person making recommendation.
- ***Summary of Leadership, Honors, & Volunteer Activities:*** List recent leadership responsibilities, honors, activities, scholarships and community volunteer service on a separate sheet of paper. (**Please type and limit to one page**)
- ***Current Unofficial Transcripts:*** New freshmen must submit a current high school transcript.

ELIGIBILITY

High School students must be children of GID water users, graduate from local area High Schools, and who are planning to attend a college or technical school full time next year. Sorry, children of GID staff, management or the GID commissioners are not eligible for this scholarship.

Application deadline: The application and all documents must be received by **December 20, 2016**. Please mail or submit to:

Greenfields Irrigation District
GID AG Scholarship
P.O. 157
Fairfield, MT 59436

The Selection Committee has the right to reject any late or incomplete applications.

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Scholarship Application 2017-2018

For academic year 2017-2018, I will be College Student Technical School Student

Name _____

Phone _____ Email Address _____

Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Parent's Name _____

Intended Major/Program of Study _____

Intended School of Choice _____

High School Graduation Date _____ High School Attended _____

US Citizen Yes No

Reply optional: Gender Male Female Race/Ethnic Background _____

Reply optional: Marital Status _____

Current Employer _____ Hours worked/week _____

We are required to obtain written permission from the award recipient for the release of academic and biographical information to the scholarship donor and/or news media. By signing below, I agree that relevant information may be released. Furthermore, by signing below, I confirm the accuracy of the enclosed information and understand that any false or misleading statements may invalidate my application.

Signature _____ Date _____

For a minor:

Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____

Guardian's Phone Number _____