

## Aurora Cooperative 2020 Scholarship

## Guidelines:

- 1. Applicant must attend a public or private post-secondary institution in the 2020-2021 school year. The scholarship award will be sent directly to the financial aid office of the institution upon verification of attendance.
- 2. Applicant must be majoring in an agriculture-related field with final approval of qualifying major from the Scholarship Committee.
- 3. Applicant's parent/guardian must be an active patron of Aurora Cooperative.
- 4. Children of Aurora Cooperative employees or past recipients of the scholarship are not eligible.
- 5. Five \$1,000 scholarships and ten \$500 scholarships will be awarded.
- 6. Prior recipients not eligible.
- 7. Application must include 2 letters of recommendation. One from within school (administrator, teacher, etc.) and one of personal choice (not a family member). <u>Letters of recommendation must contain information about leadership, character, initiative, and school/community involvement.</u>
- 8. Scholarship decisions will be made by the Aurora Cooperative scholarship committee.
- 9. <u>FINAL SUBMISSION MUST INCLUDE:</u> (1.) Completed Application, (2.) Essay, (3.) School Transcript(s), & (4.) Two Letters of Recommendation. *Any applications submitted missing any of the above will NOT be eliqible for the scholarship and will be discarded*.
- 10. <u>Application deadline is March 25, 2020</u>. Completed application form, essay and letters of recommendation, along with a student transcript should be submitted in <u>one</u> packet mailed to:

Aurora Cooperative Attn: Traci Menke PO Box 209 Aurora, NE 68818-0209



## <u>Application</u>

| Student's Full Name:   |                   |       |        |
|------------------------|-------------------|-------|--------|
| Social Security Number | r:                |       |        |
| Student's Present Add  | ress:             |       |        |
| City:                  | State:            | Zip:  | Phone: |
| Student's Age:         | Date of Bi        | rth:  |        |
| Student's Email Addres | ss:               |       |        |
| Parent's Aurora Coope  | rative Account Nu | mber: |        |
| Name of Student's Fatl | ner/Guardian:     |       |        |
| Father's Address:      |                   |       |        |
| Name of Student's Mo   | ther/Guardian:    |       |        |
| Mother's Address:      |                   |       |        |

List college(s) or post-secondary institutions you plan to attend and major you are considering:



to Agriculture."

| List extra-curricular activities, leadership positions, offices, honors, and special recognition awards: (may include on separate resume if desired) |
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| Write an essay using 500 words or less addressing the topic: "How I Plan to Contribute   |