

Kendall County Association for Home and Community Education

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This year the Kendall County Association for Home and Community Education is offering a scholarship in the amount of \$500.00 for a student attending a school in Illinois. In state college is preferred, but if your major is not offered in state, you could be considered for the scholarship. If you are going to an out of state college, you need to explain why you should be considered for this scholarship. The scholarship is available to any Kendall County resident who is a graduating high school senior, home schooled graduate or high school graduate returning for higher education who will be continuing their education in Home Economics or a related field. This could include food service, interior decorating, nutrition, childcare, education, or any related field that would help service or educate the family or community.

Enclosed is a copy of the scholarship application, which may be reproduced for extra copies. It is online as well at https://go.illinois.edu/HCEscholarship2024 (direct link to the PDF) or you may find it listed on the local 4-H awards webpage, under the Kendall County tab, at https://go.illinois.edu/4HdkkAwards. The application needs to be **postmarked by April 5** or brought to the Extension office by **April 12**. Please mail all completed forms to the above address.

The Kendall County Association for Home and Community Education (HCE) is an Illinois not-for-profit organization whose main purpose is education and community outreach. Kendall County HCE cooperates and supports Extension in multiple ways in Kendall County but are no longer funded by them. We have members in most areas of the county that belong to "units" or "clubs". Members share responsibility of "taking" the lessons which have been planned and given by University of Illinois Extension, then bring them back to the unit and teach other members of the unit.

Sincerely, Beverly K. Scott

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KC HCE Family & Community Issues Director

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KENDALL COUNTY ASSOCIATION FOR HOME AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION 2024 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

FORM CONDITIONS FOR APPLICANT

- 1. Graduating high school senior, home schooled graduate or high school graduate now attending college or returning to college resident of Kendall County for at least two years shows financial need.
- 2. May receive scholarship more than once.
- 3. Enrolling in a university, college (4 year or community), or accredited school in **Illinois** to pursue further training or education in a home economics or related field. This could include food service, interior decorating, nutrition, education, childcare or any related field that would help service or educate the family or community. In state college is preferred, but if your major is not offered in state, you still could be considered. If you are attending an out of state college, you need to explain why you should be considered for the scholarship.
- 4. Payable upon verification of enrollment to registrant's school or college.

INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANT

SEND:

- 1. Application completed in entirety, 2 pages. Type or print clearly. Extra pages are allowed.
- 2. Grade transcript (available from your counselor).
- 3. Two letters of recommendation (non-family).
 - TO: Kendall County Extension Office\
 c/o Kendall County Association for Home and Community Education
 7775B Rt 47, Yorkville IL 60560
 - BY: Postmarked by April 7 or in the office by April 12.

INFORMATION ABOUT APPLICANT	High School/College:
Name:	Birthdate:
(Last) (First) (Middle)	
Home Address:	Phone:
Email address:	
Father or Guardian:	Occupation:
Mother or Guardian:	Occupation:
Number of brothers and sisters:	Ages:
Number of brothers and sisters in High Sch	ool:College:
Signature of Parent or Guardian	Date
Signature of Student	Date

1. What school do you plan to attend? Have you been accepted? 2. Briefly describe what home economics, or your chosen field, means to you and why you have chosen it as a major. List related classes you have taken (may use separate sheet of paper). 3. Please list your school activities (clubs, programs, athletics, offices held). 4. Please list out-of-school activities (community projects, church, 4-H, etc.). Work experience - brief description of employment. 5. 6. Funds – What will be the source of your funds? ie: family income, scholarships, grants. Pell grant, savings, parents, or other _____ How much is available? Have you received this scholarship before? _____Yes ______Yes Please list awards and recognition (officer, Honor Society, other national, state, 7. or local awards). 8. ACADEMIC STANDING: (to be completed by counselor, if graduating from high school) Rank _____ in a class of _____ Grade Point Average _____ ACT Scores: _____ Signature of Counselor Date

Write a brief biography of your life and family (approximately 200-300 words).

Use additional paper to number and answer questions 1 through 7.

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