

# SCHOLARSHIPS

Each of the scholarship opportunities listed below shows the sponsoring organization, a brief summary of who can apply, and where complete scholarship information and applications can be found. This is the most comprehensive list of scholarships available to students involved in sheep production totaling over \$60,000, and it is our hope that this helps both bring the best applicants to all sponsoring organizations as well as bring financial aid to students as they work toward their educational goals.

These opportunities are available to students involved in the sheep industry, whether they are high school, trade school, college, university, or graduate students. Some are breed specific, others are state or region specific, and still others are open to varying degrees of education, and various levels of sheep and agricultural involvement.

The Banner thanks all organizations who offer scholarships to promote students and the sheep industry and wishes applicants the best of luck as they continue their education.

Nearly \$65,000  
available for over  
60+ scholarships from  
over 25 sponsoring  
organizations!

## **American Border Leicester Association - \$500**

*Who can apply:* Any high school senior or current college student with current ABLA membership.

*Deadline:* May 1, 2021

*Learn more:* [www.ablasheep.org/scholarships.html](http://www.ablasheep.org/scholarships.html)

## **American Cheviot Sheep Society - \$500**

*Who can apply:* Complete guidelines found in application.

*Deadline:* November 1, 2021

*Learn more:* [www.cheviots.org/junior.html](http://www.cheviots.org/junior.html)

## **American Corriedale Association & American Junior Corriedale Association "Corriedale Scholarship" - \$600**

### **"Selden Whitmore Youth Award" - \$150**

*Who can apply:* Varies between the two scholarships, but membership in the American Junior Corriedale Association required.

*Deadline:* May 1, 2021

*Learn more:* <http://www.countrylovin.com/ACA/jrs.htm>

## **American Hampshire Sheep Association - \$1,000**

*Who can apply:* Any AHSA Association member (junior or senior) who is pursuing a college education following high school graduation and who has not passed their 21st birthday as of January 1, 2021. Complete guidelines found in application.

*Deadline:* September 1, 2021

*Learn more:* [www.hampshires.org/juniors.html](http://www.hampshires.org/juniors.html)

## **American Rambouillet Sheep Breeders Association - Up to \$3,000**

*Who can apply:* Members of American Rambouillet Junior Association who are high school graduating seniors accepted to an accredited Trade School, Junior College, University or State College, or students currently enrolled in one of those institutions, who raise and/or have raised Rambouillets.

*Deadline:* June 1, 2021

*Learn more:* <http://www.countrylovin.com/ARSBA/>

## **American Sheep Industry - \$3,000 "Sheep Heritage Foundation Scholarship"**

*Who can apply:* Graduate students (MS or PhD) involved in sheep and/or wool research in such areas as animal science, agriculture economics or veterinary medicine with proof of graduate school acceptance.

*Deadline:* May 31, 2021

*Learn more:* [sheepusa.org/researcheducation-scholarship](http://sheepusa.org/researcheducation-scholarship)

## **American Shropshire Registry Association - Two \$400**

*Who can apply:* Students with involvement with Shropshires.

*Deadline:* June 1, 2021

*Learn more:*

[www.shropshires.org/text/Shropshire\\_Youth/shropshireyouth.html](http://www.shropshires.org/text/Shropshire_Youth/shropshireyouth.html)

## **American Southdown Breeders' Association - \$1,000**

*Who can apply:* Any American Southdown Breeders' Association junior member who is pursuing an education after high school.

*Deadline:* August 1, 2021

*Learn more:*

[southdownsheep.org/southdown-juniors/scholarship-opportunities/](http://southdownsheep.org/southdown-juniors/scholarship-opportunities/)

## **Banner Sheep Magazine - \$500**

*Who can apply:* High school seniors or current college students with sheep involvement who are enrolled in the fall, with preference given to students pursuing agricultural communication and/or other agricultural degrees.

*Deadline:* May 31

*Learn more:* [www.bannersheepmagazine.com](http://www.bannersheepmagazine.com) after mid-March

## **California Wool Growers Association - \$1,000**

*Who can apply:* Enrolled college students pursuing an academic program with an interest and/or emphasis in the California sheep industry. Applicants must be a graduating high school senior and/or student enrolled in a California Community College, 4 year University within California, California State University, or University of California, and have a minimum of a 3.0 GPA.

*Deadline:* March 1, 2021

*Learn more:* <https://californiawoolgrowers.org/about/scholarship/>

## **Iowa Sheep Industry Association - \$500**

*Who can apply:* High school seniors or current college students who are Iowa residents.

*Deadline:* April 15, 2021

*Learn more:* <http://www.iowaffa.com/scholarships.aspx>

## **Katahdin Hair Sheep International - At least two \$500**

*Who can apply:* College or graduate students or high school seniors who are or will be attending a college or university. They or family member must be a member of KHSI and involved with the Katahdin sheep industry for at least a year.

*Deadline:* April 30, 2021

*Learn more:* [www.katahdins.org/khsi-forms](http://www.katahdins.org/khsi-forms)

### **Make it With Wool - Four totaling over \$6,000**

*Who can apply:* Awards available for entrants ages 13 years & older. Must enter at district and/or state level with home-constructed garment of at least 60 percent wool. Applicant must model garment. Complete rules available from State Director, National Coordinator, and online. *Please note:* Scholarships are only awarded at the national level.

*Deadline:* Varies

*Learn more:* <http://www.makeitwithwool.com/>

### **Maryland Sheep Breeders Association & Maryland Sheep & Wool Festival - \$1,000**

*Who can apply:* Students who have been accepted or are applying for continuing education at a college or university, technical school, or vocational school. All academic majors will be considered, but priority will be given to agricultural or agriculture related majors (such as food science, veterinarian, ag. teaching, etc.). Preference will be given to those applicants who are members or whose families are members of the Maryland Sheep Breeders Association.

*Deadline:* April 15, 2021

*Learn more:* [marylandsheepbreeders.org/awards/scholarships/](http://marylandsheepbreeders.org/awards/scholarships/)

### **Missouri Sheep Producers, Inc. - Four \$500**

*Who can apply:* High school seniors, college or graduate students who are residents of Missouri and attending a college or university (in-state or out-of-state) of their choice, or out-of-state students attending a Missouri college or university and who have been involved in 4-H, FFA, or the sheep industry.

*Deadline:* May 15, 2021

*Learn more:* [www.missourisheep.com/youth-programs](http://www.missourisheep.com/youth-programs)

### **Montadale Sheep Breeders Association - \$500**

*Who can apply:* Junior Montadale members either entering or enrolled in a four-year college or university, two-year college or junior college, or vocation-technical school, who has been a member of the Association for a minimum of five years.

*Deadline:* June 10, 2021

*Learn more:* [www.montadales.com](http://www.montadales.com) or Kendra Fleck, Secretary

### **National Junior Dorset Association - Up to three \$1,000 "Tracy Repasky Memorial Scholarship Awards"**

*Who can apply:* Any student completing at least half of their college or technical school studies the year in which the application is made or be enrolled in graduate school, and are current or previous member of the Continental Dorset Club Youth Enrollment Program or current lifetime members of the Continental Dorset Club.

*Deadline:* September 1, 2021

*Learn more:* <https://dorsets.homestead.com/>

### **National Tunis Sheep Registry, Inc. Scholarship - Three \$1,000**

*Who can apply:* Any member of NTSRI who is who is seeking post-secondary education in the fall of 2021. Students must begin college in the fall of 2021 to receive the award. The applicant or their parent must be a current member of NTSRI, and have at least 2 sheep registered with the organization the past two years.

*Deadline:* April 6, 2021

*Learn more:* <http://www.countrylovin.com/NTSRI/jrs.html>

### **Natural Colored Wool Growers Association - \$500**

*Who can apply:* Youth members in good standing, Junior or Regular, of NCWGA headed for college after graduating from an accredited or chartered school who have raised natural colored sheep.

*Deadline:* July 15, 2021

*Learn more:* <https://ncwga.org/youth/>

### **New England Sheep and Wool Growers Association - Two \$750**

*Who can apply:* A student completing half of his or her college studies the year in which the application is made or be enrolled in graduate school; residents of the New England States and Eastern New York State where the New England Sheep and Wool Growers have an appointed director or to students who themselves or families are members of NES&WGA.

*Deadline:* May 31, 2021

*Learn more:* <https://www.nesheep.org/contact-c1yzj>

### **New Hampshire Sheep & Wool**

#### **Growers Association - Up to \$1,000**

##### **"Bruce Clement Post-Secondary Education Scholarship"**

*Who can apply:* Any New Hampshire resident who has completed at least one year at a post-secondary educational institution and has an affiliation with sheep through 4-H, FFA, Young Farmers, New Hampshire Sheep and Wool Growers' Association, or is majoring in a field that will benefit the sheep industry.

*Deadline:* August 1, 2021

*Learn more:* [nhswwa.org/scholarship](http://nhswwa.org/scholarship)

#### **Ohio Sheep Improvement Association - 4 available, varies**

##### **"Ralph H. Grimshaw Memorial Scholarship" - \$1,000**

##### **"Dr. Jack Judy Memorial Scholarship" - \$1,500**

##### **"High Family Memorial Scholarship" - \$1,000**

##### **"OSIA LEAD Council Scholarship" - \$500**

*Who can apply:* College Age Students

*Deadline:* June 26, 2021

*Learn more:* [www.ohiosheep.org/osia-programs.html](http://www.ohiosheep.org/osia-programs.html) after mid-March

#### **Oregon Sheep Growers Association - Up to \$1,500**

*Who can apply:* Oregon residents whose academic standing must be sophomore level or above. Graduate students are eligible. Recipient must be majoring in an agriculture-related field of study, agricultural sciences, or veterinary medicine, with a career interest in the sheep industry.

*Deadline:* July 15, 2021

*Learn more:* <https://sheeporegon.com/scholarship/>

#### **Sullivan Supply & Sullivan Supply South - Twenty \$1,000**

*Who can apply:* Graduating high school senior or college student 21 years of age or younger displaying a great passion for the livestock show industry and/or livestock production and a continued future involvement in the livestock industry.

*Deadline:* March 15, 2021

*Learn more:* <https://www.sullivansupply.com/scholarships/>

#### **United Suffolk Sheep Association - Two \$1,000**

##### **"Suffolk Scholarship"**

##### **"Let's Grow Suffolks Scholarship"**

*Who can apply:* Varies between the two scholarships, but membership in the United Junior Suffolk Sheep Association required.

*Deadline:* June 1, 2021

*Learn more:* <https://suffolks.org/scholarships.html>

#### **Wisconsin Sheep Breeders Cooperative - Up to \$4,000**

*Who can apply:* High school seniors graduating in 2021 or college students age 25 or younger, who must be enrolled in UW-Madison Agriculture Short Course, technical school, community college or an accredited 4-year college in the fall. Parents or applicant must have been members of the Wisconsin Sheep Breeders Coop for a minimum of two consecutive years including the year of application.

*Deadline:* June 15, 2021

*Learn more:* <https://wisbc.com/scholarships.php>

#### **Wyoming Wool Growers Auxiliary - Two available, varies**

##### **"Wyoming Wool Growers Auxiliary scholarship" - \$300**

##### **"Gene & Joy Hardy Memorial Scholarship" - TBD**

*Who can apply:* Students planning to attend any college, university or accredited trade school program who are Wyoming residents.

*Deadline:* April 15, 2021

*Learn more:* <https://www.wywool.com/Auxiliary.htm>

**Know of another sheep-related scholarship opportunity not listed here?**

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