SCHOLARSHIPS

Each of the scholarship opportunity 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 nearly \$130,000, 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 Sheep Magazine 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.



All-American Junior Show

Who can apply: Junior Show Participants.

Deadline: July 6

Learn more: https://allamericanjuniorshow.com/scholarship/

American Border Leicester Association - \$500

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

Deadline: May 1

Learn more: https://borderleicesters.org/members/juniors/

American Cheviot Sheep Society - \$500

Who can apply: Complete guidelines found in application.

Deadline: November 1, 2022

Learn more: www.cheviots.org/junior.html

American Corriedale Association & American Junior Corriedale Association – 2 Available – Total \$750 "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

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, 2022. Complete guidelines found in application.

Deadline: September 1

Learn more: 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

Learn more: http://www.countrylovin.com/ARSBA/jrs.htm

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

Learn more: sheepusa.org/researcheducation-scholarship

American Dorper Sheep Breeders' Society – \$1,000 minimum

Who can apply: Graduating seniors, homeschool graduate or current college student (up to age 21) who are active, paid junior members of the American Dorper Sheep Breeders' Society member for 3 consecutive years immediately prior to the application and who are intending to use the money toward future education or certification in the agricultural field.

Deadline: March 15

Learn more: https://dorpersheep.org/adsbs-scholarship/

American Shropshire Registry Association - Two \$400

Who can apply: Students with involvement with Shropshires.

Deadline: June 1, 2024

Learn more: www.shropshires.org/text/Shropshire_Youth/

shropshireyouth.html

American Southdown Breeders' Association - Three \$1,000

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

Deadline: August 1

Learn more: https://southdownsheep.org/juniors/scholarships/

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 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

Learn more: https://californiawoolgrowers.org/about/scholarship/

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Eastern Wyoming College – Varies, Full or Partial Tuition and Fees

Livestock Judging Scholarship - Varies Show Team Scholarship -

Who can apply: Students with a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA. Students must maintain eligibility to compete in any national or regional livestock judging competition with EWC and the Junior College, and must abide by Judging Coaches Association abide by National Show Ring code of ethics.

Deadline: Rolling

Learn more: https://ewc.wy.edu/admissions-financial-aid/scholarships-grants/

Iowa Sheep Industry Association - \$500

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

Deadline: April 15

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

Learn more: https://katahdins.org/membership/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

Learn more: 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

Learn more: www.missourisheepproducers.com/blank-4

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: May 20

Learn more: https://www.montadales.com/juniors.html 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

Learn more: https://dorsets.homestead.com/forms.html

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

Who can apply: Any member of NTSRI who is who is seeking postsecondary education in the fall of 2022. Students must begin college in the fall of 2022 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

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

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

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

Learn more: https://nhswga.org/the-bruce-clement-post-secondary-education-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 24, 2024

Learn more: www.ohiosheep.org/osia/scholarships

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, 2024

Learn more: https://sheeporegon.com/scholarship/

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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, 2024

Learn more: https://www.sullivansupply.com/scholarships/

United Suffolk Sheep Association – Multiple "Suffolk Foundation Scholarship" – 2 available - \$1,000 each

"MacCauley Foundation Scholarship" – 7 available – up to \$38,500

"Royer Farm Scholarship" - \$2,500

Who can apply: Varies between the scholarships, but must have currently or previously owned Suffolk sheep. Deadline: February 1, 2024

Learn more: https://suffolks.org/scholarships.html

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

Who can apply: High school seniors graduating in 2022 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, 2022

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, 2024

Learn more: https://www.wyowool.com/auxiliary

Know of another sheep-related scholarship opportunity for youth of America's sheep industry not listed here?

Send your scholarship or grant information to The Banner at photos@bannersheepmagazine.com to be included!

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