

***IOWA HARNESS RACING ASSOCIATION  
SCHOLARSHIPS  
CRITERIA***

1. This scholarship program is provided by the Iowa Harness Racing Association a 501 C 4 organization in support of Iowa harness racing.
2. An Iowa Harness Racing Scholarship applicant, or family member of the applicant, must have a current membership with the Iowa Harness Horsemen's Association.
3. Scholarships will be awarded annually: a high school Senior who has applied/been accepted to a 2-4 year college or trade school for the fall semester of 2020 may apply; and/or a student currently enrolled in college or a trade school may apply. Scholarship payment(s) will be made at the end of a successful semester or term following the scholarship award.
4. Applicants entering a field of study related to equine interests will be given priority.
5. Academic achievement and financial needs will be evaluated.
6. The application period shall run from September 1<sup>st</sup> through December 20<sup>th</sup>, and the scholarship winners shall be notified the first week of January.
7. Scholarship winners and their families will be invited to be special guests of the Iowa Harness Horsemen's Association at the annual USTA Awards Banquet in Marshalltown, Iowa, in early January.
8. Please include all pertinent transcripts and grade reports, and be as specific as possible regarding the financial information.

Include this Criteria form with all four pages of the Scholarship Application and send to:

***Tom Johnston  
501 South Blaine Avenue  
Eagle Grove, Iowa 50533***

***ALL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY  
DECEMBER 20, 2019***

***Iowa Harness Racing Scholarship***  
***For use by High School Seniors & College Students***

- Complete this application & return by December 20, 2019, with **ALL** required attachments as noted on and including the Iowa Harness Racing Criteria form.
- Applicant may receive only one IHR Scholarship per year.
- FAX copies will **NOT** be accepted.
- ***DO NOT ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGES OR REDUCE TYPE SIZE SMALLER THAN 10 POINT FONT.*** However the last two pages may be typed for easier reading (not required) and replace lined pages.

General Information:

***NAME:*** \_\_\_\_\_ HS Senior or College Student: \_\_\_\_\_

***HOME ADDRESS:*** \_\_\_\_\_  
Street/RR                      City                      State                      Zip Code

County of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Telephone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

County where current school is located: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Address of Parent(s)/Guardian:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (mo/day/year) \_\_\_\_\_ Age as of Jan. 1, 2020 \_\_\_\_\_

I plan to attend a (X) \_\_\_ Trade School    \_\_\_ Two-Year College    \_\_\_ Four-Year College

Name and Address of Trade School(s) or College(s) you are applying to attend in 2020:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What will be your major area of study? (If not determined, include all areas being considered.)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I certify all information given in this application is true and correct.

***Applicant Signature:*** \_\_\_\_\_

***Parent/Guardian Signature:*** \_\_\_\_\_

***Mail to Tom Johnston, 501 South Blaine, Eagle Grove, IA 50533 by 12/20/19***

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**Academic Information:**

1. Name of High School \_\_\_\_\_ Name of College(s) \_\_\_\_\_
2. SAT \_\_\_\_\_ Date Tested \_\_\_\_\_ ACT \_\_\_\_\_ Date Tested \_\_\_\_\_  
Verbal Math Month/Year Month/Year
- ASSET \_\_\_\_\_ Date Tested \_\_\_\_\_
- Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_ High School GPA \_\_\_\_\_  
Your Rank # in Class Include current transcript, including  
Fall grades if available.
- College: # of credit hours completed: \_\_\_\_\_ College GPA \_\_\_\_\_  
Include a copy of any college transcript(s) or grade reports.

3. Describe why you are interested in pursuing a college education:
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

4. Outline your reasons for choosing field of study indicated:
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

**Financial Information:**

5. List anticipated college costs for the next year:
- Tuition/Fees \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Room & Board \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Lab Fees \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Books \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Other Personal Expenses \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Clothing \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Transportation \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
6. Explain need for financial assistance. Include your best estimate of % or \$ you have to contribute and the % or \$ your parents will contribute to meet costs:
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
7. Will there be other immediate family members attending college during the next year?  
Yes ( ) No ( ) If yes, explain:
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_



