



## **2026 Cochise County Fair Junior Livestock Scholarship Information**

*Application packages must be received on or before **June 15, 2026** and will be accepted through the U.S. Postal Service, email or by hand delivering them to the Fair Office. The address for mailing and hand delivering is: Cochise County Fair Association, Attention: Scholarship Committee, 3677 N. Leslie Canyon Road, Douglas, AZ 85607. The email address for submitting electronically is: [cochisecountyfair@gmail.com](mailto:cochisecountyfair@gmail.com) All U.S. Postal Service mailed application packages must be postmarked by June 15, 2026 to be considered. The number of scholarships and amounts awarded annually vary depending on the availability of funding and the number of applicants.*

### **Eligibility Requirements:**

Scholarship applicants must be a High School Senior or attending an accredited community college, college, university, trade, or vocational school as a full-time student (full-time status must be maintained all year and is defined by the specific educational facility's admissions guidelines; failure to maintain full-time status will require scholarship funds to be paid back in full), have a grade point average of 3.0 or greater, are less than 22 years of age, a resident of Cochise County and have exhibited in the Cochise County Fair Junior Livestock Division at least 2 times including their Senior Year of High School. Individuals can apply for the CCFJL Scholarship annually, not to exceed more than 4 consecutive years post high school. Individuals awarded a scholarship are required to complete no less than four hours of volunteer service during the year the scholarship is awarded.

### **Application Package:**

Only **complete** application packages will be considered for scholarships. A complete application package shall consist of: CCFJL Scholarship Application, Essay Question Responses, Current Official Transcripts and a Current Letter of Recommendation from an individual familiar with your achievements (individual cannot be a family member and the letter must be dated after January 1 of the application year).

### **Successful Recipients:**

Scholarship recipients will receive their funds in one installment no later than September 1. Funds will **not** be disbursed until Official Transcripts from the prior semester and Verification of Enrollment with class schedule for current semester is received by the fair manager. If a recipient fails to provide their Official Transcripts and Verification of Enrollment by October 1, they will automatically forfeit their scholarship funds.



## 2026 Cochise County Fair Junior Livestock Scholarship Application

1<sup>st</sup> Year Applicant

2<sup>nd</sup> Year Applicant

3<sup>rd</sup> Year Applicant

4<sup>th</sup> Year Applicant

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address/P.O. Box City State Zip Code

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

### ACADEMIC INFORMATION

School you are currently attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

College/University you will be attending Fall of 2026: \_\_\_\_\_

College Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Credits Enrolled In: \_\_\_\_\_

List all college/universities attended (use separate sheet if needed): \_\_\_\_\_ Total College Credits Taken: \_\_\_\_\_

College/University Attended:

Semesters Attended:  
(ex Fall 2025-Spring 2026)

Cumulative GPA at this  
College/University:

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High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of High School Graduation (MM/YYYY): \_\_\_\_\_

### ESSAY QUESTIONS

Answer all questions below using the following guidelines:

- Use a maximum of one (1) typed 8 ½" x 11" single-sided sheet of paper per question.
- Include your name on the top of each sheet submitted.
- Please include the number of the question prior to your answers.

1. What has been your biggest learning experience while participating in the Cochise County Fair Junior Livestock Division?
2. Who is someone that inspires you and why?
3. What are your long-term career goals?

I understand it is my responsibility to confirm all required application package documentation is timely received by the Cochise County Fair Office for this scholarship opportunity. I meet the eligibility requirements for the Cochise County Fair Junior Livestock Division Scholarship Program, and hereby formally request consideration of my application. The Scholarship Selection Committee created by the Cochise County Fair Junior Livestock Committee has my permission to review the academic records I have submitted in support of my application for this scholarship.

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Legal Guardian's Signature (if applicant is a minor): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_