

Ralph E. Dietrich College Scholarship

Purpose: To provide a scholarship in the amount of \$2,000 for the first year of schooling above High School.

Use: For tuition or residence hall living expenses during a students first year of attendance at Kansas State University.

Eligibility: Mr. Dietrich set the following eligibility requirements.

1. Must be a Christian person of good moral standing.
2. Must not consume alcohol or drugs or use tobacco in any form.
3. Must enter into an agreement that he or she will live in Kansas for at least five years following graduation from college. (If this agreement is broken, the scholarship money must be repaid to the trust.)
4. Must be or must have been a member of a 4-H Club in Geary County, Kansas or a member of any 4-H Club and who lives in Fragrant Hill or Noble Townships in Dickinson County, Kansas.
5. Must live in and must have been a member of a 4-H Club in the above area for at least two years prior to the date of application for the scholarship.
6. Must be outstanding in leadership and project work.
7. Must have a C average or above in the high school which he or she is attending.
8. The scholarship shall be for one year only.
9. If no recipient is selected for any particular year, then the trustee may award the scholarship to a prior recipient who is still in school at Kansas State and who meets the eligibility requirements.

Selection: Selection of scholarship recipient will be as follows. A three member committee will be set up to evaluate the applications for the Dietrich Scholarship and recommend a recipient. All committee members will be appointed by the Geary County Extension Council Executive Board. The committee will submit their recommended recipient to the Executive Board, and the Board will either accept or reject the recommendation.

Applications: The Kansas 4-H Scholarship Application will be used. This form is available from the addresses below:

Geary County Extension Office
119 E 9th, PO Box 28
Junction City, KS 66441
785-238-4161

Dickinson County Extension Office
712 S Buckeye Ave
Abilene, KS 67410
785-263-2001