Harding Family Scholarship

Application

**Purpose**

*This scholarship was established in 2016 by Sharon R. Scharlepp to honor her ancestors,*

*O.B. Harding and his wife Emeline Moyer Harding, pioneer homesteaders in Osceola County, Iowa and in honor of their son, W.L. Harding, the 22nd Iowa Governor. The annual scholarship amounts and recipients will vary according to the annual allocation from the trust. Preference given, but not limited to, applicants majoring in areas of agriculture or agriculture related fields of study.*

*Available to any college choice – vocational, community or 4-year institution.*

*Scholarships are payable to the institution the recipient attends, after successful completion of 2022 fall semester and proof of enrollment for 2023 spring semester. One to two applicants are planned to be awarded, and the expected award is $1,500 - $3,000.*

**Eligibility Requirements**

*To be considered for the Harding Family Scholarship, applicants are given preference if they are majoring in an agricultural related study, and applicants must:*

* *Achieved a 2.5 cumulative grade point average in high school.*
* *Attach a high school transcript*
* *Complete an application by May 1 and return it to the Guidance Office.*
* *Submit a typed or printed essay in a maximum of 500 words, on what the applicant hopes to learn in their field of study to help them impact the future of agriculture or their chosen field.*

**Applicant’s Name:**

**Address:**

**City: Zip Code: Phone:**

**College Major Planned:**

*2/3/2022*