

# **HILL COUNTRY CATTLEWOMEN SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**



**Bandera, Bexar, Blanco, Edwards, Gillespie,  
Kendall, Kerr, Kimble, Llano, Mason, McCulloch,  
Menard, Real & San Saba Counties**

# HCCW Scholarship Rules

1. Two or more scholarships will be awarded to either an agriculture or dietary nutrition related major. Additional scholarships are open to any other major with priority given to applicants with an agricultural background. The scholarships will be awarded for Texas Colleges and Universities only. No scholarship awards shall go to out of state schools.
2. Applicants must be a resident of one of the following 14 counties: Bandera, Bexar, Blanco, Edwards, Gillespie, Kendall, Kerr, Kimble, Llano, Mason, McCulloch, Menard, Real or San Saba.
3. All applicants should have 60 college hours or more and be a college level junior or senior at the time of application. The student must maintain a schedule of 12 hours minimum. A grade point average of at least 2.8 must have been maintained.
4. Applicants should provide a proof of enrollment, official transcript or transcripts, an overall grade point average, and a completed scholarship application which includes the expected date of graduation.
5. Participation in community and college level activities will be considered.
6. Scholarships will be paid to the college or university with funds to be used for academic expenses only. The scholarship funds may be applied to any semester as needed during the academic year for which it is awarded.
7. The scholarship winners will be invited to attend a meeting of the Hill Country CattleWomen and meet the members.
8. HCCW members shall not serve on the scholarship committee if any member of their family is an applicant.
9. a. The Scholarship Committee, consisting of one chairwoman and four members, will serve one year each time they serve, with one member serving as a carry-over member for the next year. This is necessary to insure continuity of the committee standards. The carry-over member is selected by the Scholarship Committee.  
b. if there are less than 3 committee members present to rate the scholarship applications, the President will set on the committee. As the rule applies to the committee, the President cannot serve on the committee if a family member applies for a scholarship. The next Officer in line will be on the committee.
10. The Scholarship Committee, after reviewing the applications, shall have sole responsibility for selecting the scholarship winners.

**Interested students should request an application from any member of Hill Country CattleWomen. Applications can also be obtained from the Hill Country Cattlewomen website at [www.hillcountrycattlewomen.com](http://www.hillcountrycattlewomen.com) . The deadline for HCCW to receive the application is June 7. Applications should be submitted to the current Scholarship Chairperson at [scholarhips@hillcountrywomen.com](mailto:scholarhips@hillcountrywomen.com). Applications arriving late but having a postmark of June 7th will be considered. The winners will be contacted by the Scholarship Chairwoman no later than July 1<sup>st</sup>. Winners will be announced to HCCW membership in a summer newsletter and the next meeting of HCCW.**

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*Deadline to submit application is June 7th to the Scholarship Chairman.*

*In order to qualify for this scholarship, you must have a 2.8 or higher cumulative GPA following the Spring semester and meet other requirements listed on page 2 of the application.*

*Please type your application. Please use additional pages if necessary.*

Mr. Miss Ms. Mrs.

Last: \_\_\_\_\_ First: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Mailing Address (Permanent Address):

Street/Box/Route: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

County of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ # Siblings: \_\_\_\_\_ # in College: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Children: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_ Year Graduated: \_\_\_\_\_

University or College Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Hours Earned: \_\_\_\_\_

College Financial Aid Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_ Degree (BS, MS, PhD, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

- ❖ *Please attach an official transcript or transcripts from each college or university attended.*
- ❖ *Please provide two letters of personal recommendation for this scholarship. One of the two letters should be from your college or university. The references should have no family relation to the applicant. The references should be included as additional pages to the application.*

# FINANCIAL STATUS

***Please provide an approximate view of your financial status while attending college during the next academic year. It is understood that you will be estimating your financial resources.***

Scholarships and/or grants secured for next academic year (add additional lines as needed):

<i>Name of scholarship/grant</i>	<i>Amount</i>
_____	\$: _____
_____	\$: _____
_____	\$: _____
_____	\$: _____
_____	\$: _____
_____	\$: _____

Please provide sources of income involved in paying for your education in the next academic year and the percentage they represent:

- \_\_\_\_\_ % received from parents or family
- \_\_\_\_\_ % student Loan
- \_\_\_\_\_ % Personal Income
- \_\_\_\_\_ % Scholarships
- \_\_\_\_\_ % Grants
- \_\_\_\_\_ % Other (please explain in the space below)

# LEADERSHIP OVERVIEW

*The following section provides you with the opportunity to inform the Hill Country CattleWomen of who you are, what interests you, and what activities you are participating in while pursuing a degree. In the spaces provided, please list extracurricular activities, such as organization memberships and community service. Be sure to include offices held, special activities, responsibilities and honors received. Do not add additional pages and limit typed font to 12-point single spaced.*

College Organizations:

Offices, Honors, Responsibilities, etc:

College Employment Experiences, Summer Activities or Internships related to your major or career choice:

Work, Activity or Internship	Date	Description
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Previous Awards, Scholarships, Honors, etc.:

Award/Scholarship/Honor	Date	Amount or Description
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**In the following space give us a brief autobiography.**

**Please tell us about your background in agriculture.**

**Have you ever received a scholarship from Hill Country CattleWomen, if so when?**

**What is your career choice and plans for the future?**