

Scranton Equity Scholarship Criteria

Scranton Equity seeks to maintain the development of rural America and enhance the quality of rural life by supporting continued education in the agricultural or rural business programs through offering a scholarship to our patron's dependents.

Eligibility:

Each applicant must:

- Be a graduating high school senior.
- Be a United States Citizen
- Be a dependent child of a Scranton Equity patron
- Be accepted by a two or four-year college or vocational/technical school
- Express an interest in returning to a rural community

Scholarship:

The Scranton Equity Scholarship Program will award up to five (5) \$1,000 scholarships. The scholarship must be used for education costs and the student must enter college in the fall of the school year for which the scholarship is given. Submitting the Enrollment Verification form to Scranton Equity Central Office is the student's responsibility. Checks will be distributed upon receipt of verification, but no later than October first. The winner will forfeit their scholarship if mandatory paperwork is not received by October 1st. The scholarship is a one-time award and is non-renewable. Application deadline is April 15th.

Recipient's Obligations:

Except for the requirements outlined, no obligations will be imposed upon the student as a scholarship award winner. Other than payment of the scholarship, no obligations or liability are assumed by Scranton Equity.

How are the recipients selected:

The Scranton Equity Board of Directors will review all applications. The Essay will hold the highest significance for selection.