

Stafford County Conservation Bankers Scholarship

GUIDELINES AND ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1. Applicants must be a graduate from a Stafford County high school.
 2. Applicants must enroll full time in an institution of Higher Education and be classified at least a Junior in college with a 2.5 GPA or above.
 3. Incomplete applications will not be considered nor will they be returned.
 4. Applications will be available after April 15 and completed applications must be postmarked by July 1st.
 5. This is for a \$1,000.00 scholarship that will be divided into \$500.00 per semester amounts.
 6. Selected recipient will be notified by August 1st.
 7. Selected recipient may reapply.
 8. Selected recipient will need proof of enrollment before the scholarship check will be presented.
 9. This form can be downloaded at <http://www.oznet.ksu.edu/stafford>. Then click on Publication. Then click on Conservation Scholarship
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INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE APPLICATION

1. Application must be typed on this form.
 2. Completed applications must be assembled in the following order:
 - a. Typed application
 - b. Official high school transcript
 - c. Official transcripts from all post-secondary institutions
 - d. Two character references letters from non-family members must be submitted with the application.
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SEND COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO:

Stafford County Extension Office
P.O. Box 398
St. John, Kansas 67576

Stafford County Conservation Bankers Scholarship Application

FACT SHEET

Name of Applicant: _____

Social Security Number: _____

Permanent Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

College Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Educational Background

Year and high school from which you graduated: _____

Year and College(s) you have attended: _____

College you will be enrolled in August 2007: _____

PAST ACADEMIC RECORD

1. On a 4.0 scale what is your current overall G.P.A.?
(High School) _____ (College) _____
2. In the space provided below, type a paragraph or more aimed at convincing the Scholarship Selection Committee that you have demonstrated academic success in your past schooling, and that you will be academically successful in future schooling.

I plan to obtain the following degree: _____

At enrollment I will be classified as a (Junior, Senior, or Graduate): _____

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

Please read and sign the following statement after completing the application

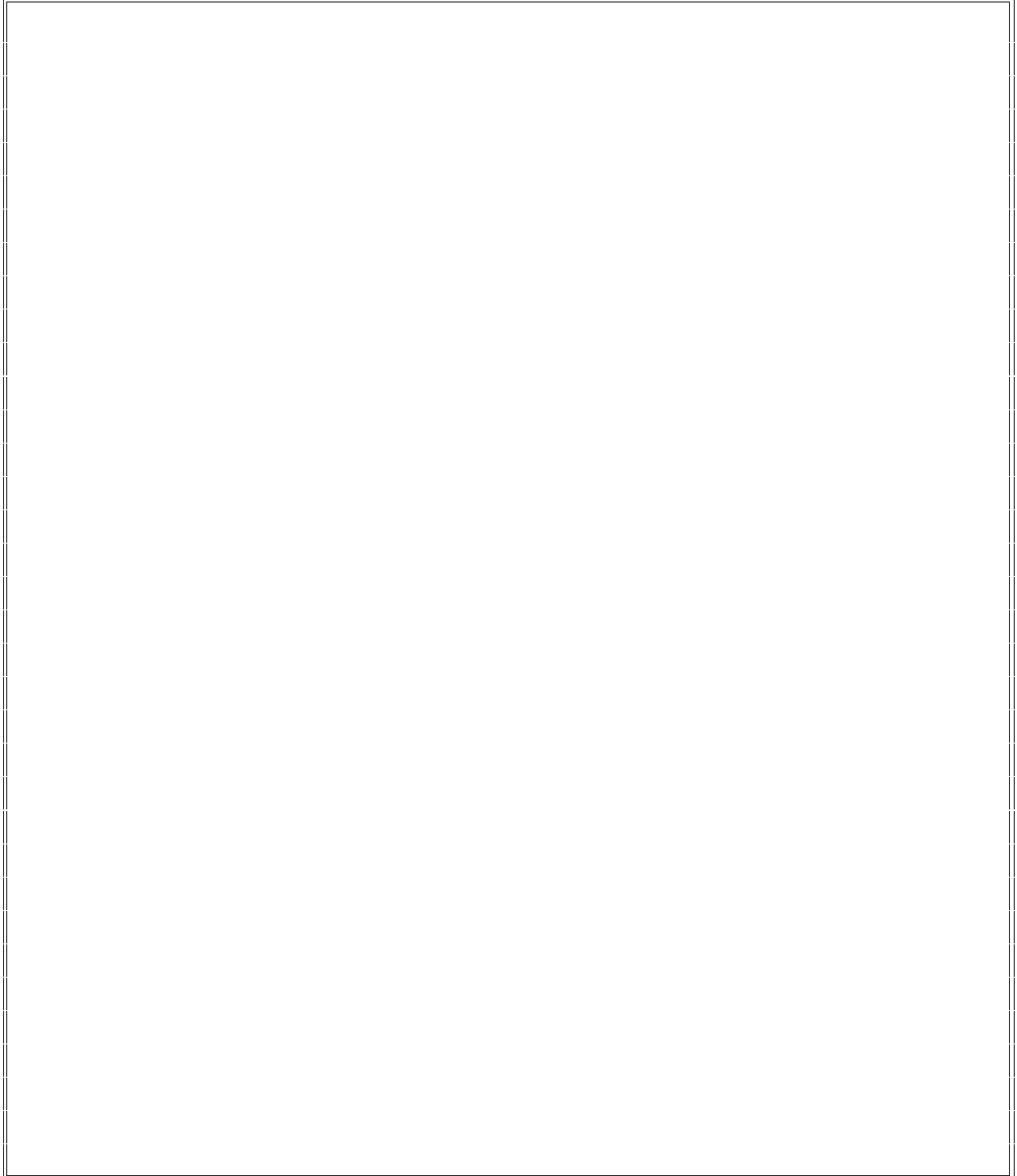
“I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, all information contained in this scholarship application is accurate, true and complete.”

(signature is required)

FUTURE PLANS

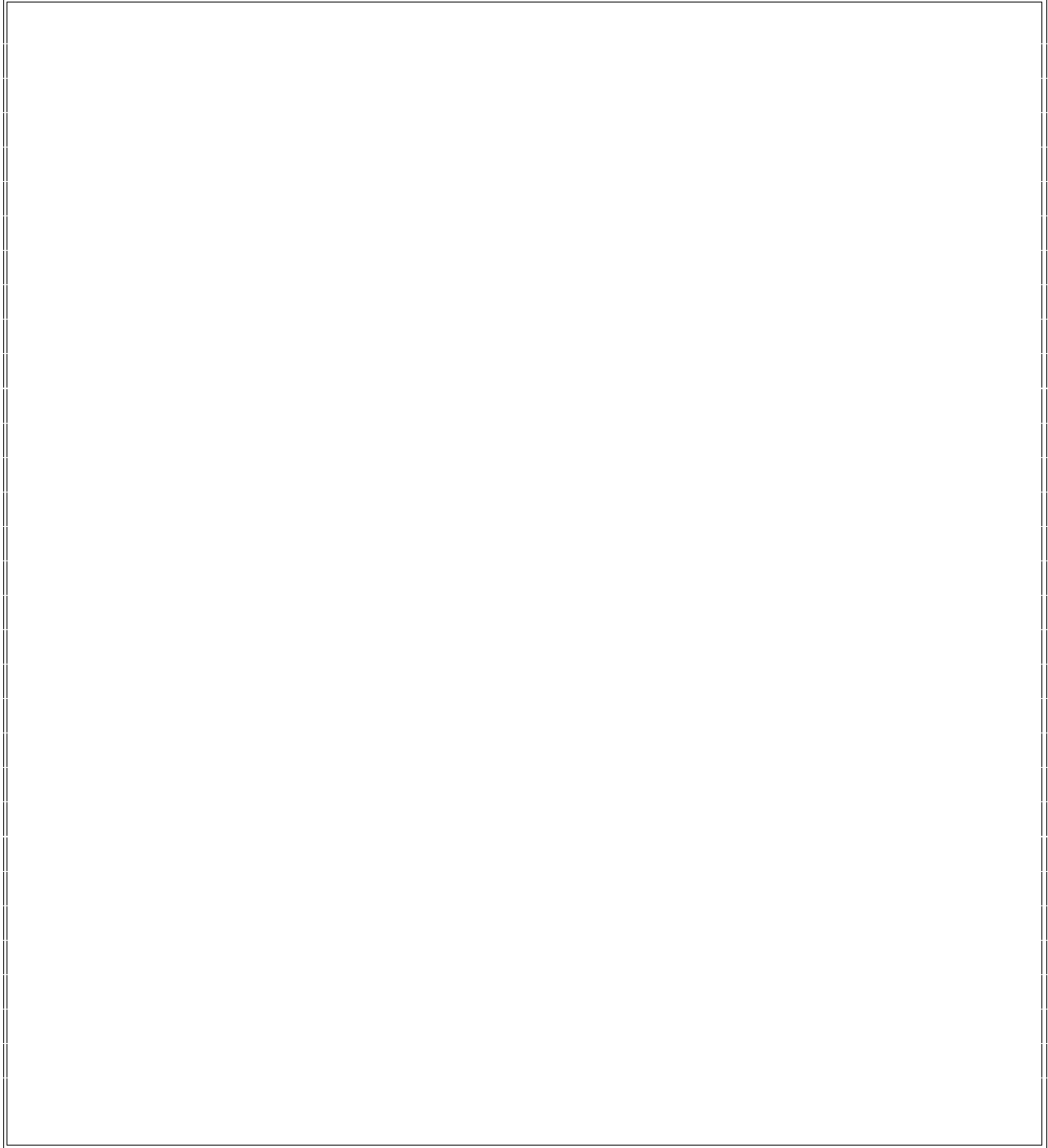
In the space below, type a paragraph or more summarizing your plans for the future. You might include details such as your career plans, what you have done so far, (and what still needs to be done) to prepare for that career, how effective you will be in contributing in that career etc.

Remember, your purpose is to inform.

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CITIZENSHIP AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

You previously related your academic honors and achievements. In the space below, type a paragraph or more summarizing your citizenship and contributions to your school and community through extra curricular activities, honors, leadership roles, and work experience. You might want to include any other unusual or miscellaneous information about your background and/or your plans that you believe the Scholarship Selection Committee should know about.

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