



## STATE COLLEGIATE SCHOLARSHIP

2024 ICA STATE COLLEGIATE \$1,000 SCHOLARSHIP  
APPLICATION DEADLINE MAY 1, 2024

### COLLEGIATE SELECTION CRITERIA

1. Must be a US citizen and a Texas resident.
2. Must provide proof of enrollment in an undergraduate Agriculture or STEM degree program at a public Texas university.
3. Cumulative GPA of a 2.5 or higher
4. Must be a current Junior/Collegiate ICA member or the child/grandchild of a parent/grandparent that is an ICA member in good standing for at least 12 months prior to application deadline.
5. Two Recommendation Letters

All parts of the application must be completed and submitted with an 800 word essay, and an official transcript, if you have chosen to submit for consideration. Incomplete applications will not be forwarded to the scholarship committee. This scholarship application form has been designed to give each applicant fair and equal consideration.

### Personal Information

Student's Name

Home Address

City

State

Zip Code

Telephone #

Email

Date of Birth

Social Security #

## Membership Eligibility Information

*\*\*Applicants must be a current junior/collegiate ICA member, or the child or grandchild of a current ICA member in good standing.*

Please select your scholarship application membership eligibility status.

ICA Junior/Collegiate Member in good standing

Child of an ICA Member in good standing

Grandchild of an ICA Member in good standing

Please provide the following contact information for the ICA member fulfilling the above membership eligibility requirements. *(e.g. the parent or grandparent of the applicant)*

|              |       |          |
|--------------|-------|----------|
| Name         |       |          |
| Home Address |       |          |
| City         | State | Zip Code |
| Telephone #  | Email |          |

Are you a US citizen?

Yes

No

Are you a Texas Resident?

Yes

No

## Academic Information

**Please check your status at the time of application.**

Are you currently enrolled at a public Texas university?

Yes

No

Name of University:

Major and Minor:

Cumulative GPA:

## Transcript Information

Please submit an official transcript from the accredited university in the State of Texas, in which you currently attend. Unofficial transcripts will not be accepted, and will result in the overall application to not be considered.

**\*\*All scholarship applicants submitting an application for consideration, MUST provide an official transcript.**

**Please mail your official transcript to the Independent Cattlemen's Association of Texas at the mailing address listed on the last page of the application.**

## Organization/Activity Participation

List the organizations and activities you participate in that are directly associated with the college or university you attend as a student. Specify the organizations/activities and the years of participation. Also, list any honors, awards and offices/positions held. These school related organizations/activities are to include, but not limited to, Academic Research, University Clubs/Organizations, Greek Life, etc.

List other responsibilities or activities you participate in, that are not related to your school education system. Specify the years of participation and list any honors, awards and offices/positions held. These responsibilities/activities are to include, but not limited to, Work, Family, Church, Civic/Volunteer Service, etc.

## Academic & Career Plans

Have you completed or plan to complete an internship?

- Yes
- No

If you have completed an internship, please list the name of the program:

Do you plan to pursue a career in Agriculture?

- Yes
- No

If yes, please list the desired career position:

## Essay Information

Topic you should address in your essay: **"What are current obstacles the beef industry faces, and what is the impact on producers and consumers?"**

### *Requirements for essay:*

1. 800 words typed on 8 1/2 X 11 paper
2. Double spaced
3. 12 pt Times New Roman
4. 1" Top, bottom, and side margins
5. Include at least 1 MLA citation

## Recommendation Letters

Please upload your recommendation letters.

## Applicant's E-Signature

By signing the space below, you are certifying that all information is correct and that you are the person completing this application. When you press the submit button, you will receive an email confirmation that your application was received. Please print for your records and retain as verification of your application.

I, the undersigned applicant, do hereby certify that the facts and matters contained herein are true and correct.

SIGNED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature

**\*For Alternative Submission\***

**EMAIL APPLICATION AND ATTACHMENTS TO:**

**TO: [tica@icatexas.com](mailto:tica@icatexas.com)**

**SUBJECT: ICA Collegiate Scholarship Applicant**

**MAIL APPLICATION AND ATTACHMENTS TO:**

**Independent Cattlemen's Association**

**ATTN: Scholarship Committee**

**PO BOX 1168**

**Lockhart, TX 78644**