

2019 Information

Mendocino County Cattlemen's Association

Rudy Mora Beef Scholarship

For: Mendocino County students accepted at / attending an accredited college, university, or trade school.

Application Deadline: **May 1, 2019**

Eligibility Requirements:

1. Student has demonstrated high moral character, good citizenship, strong work ethics, and financial need.
2. Student has been active in FFA, 4-H or Young Cattlemen's Association.
3. Student has had his/her own commercial or registered cattle project, market steer or heifer project (beef or dairy), or has been involved in working with a cattle operation.
4. Student is a graduating senior or has graduated from an accredited Mendocino County High School.
5. Student has applied to, been accepted by or is now attending an accredited trade school, college, or university.
6. Student maintains at least a 3.0 GPA as verified by a copy of most recent high school or college transcripts.
7. **Continuing students currently enrolled at a college, university or trade school need to include a reference letter from a teacher / professor in their field of study.**
8. **Applications will be rejected if not fully completed, received after the application deadline or post marked after May 1, 2019.**

Additionally, in his/her own words, applicant must submit a narrative covering:

- a brief description of self and his/her educational goals
- comments on how cattle contribute to the economic well-being of society and the conservation of our natural resources
- contributions of beef as a healthy and safe food product, and source of by-products.

Selection Process: Selection of winning applicant(s) will be made by the MCCA scholarship committee.

Award Presentation: Recipient(s) will be notified by mail. The scholarship monies will be issued anytime during the 12 months following award notification letter, after student presents proof that they are attending school.