**Scholarship Application Guidelines**

**Due May 2, 2011**

**ELIGIBILITY** — the applicant must be a Duval County resident and either a high school senior or a full-time college student carrying twelve (12) or more hours of study at an accredited college or university. The applicant must be pursuing or plans to pursue a Bachelor, or an Associate Degree. He/She must be an **active** 4-H member at the time of his/her application of the scholarship or who was an active 4-H member prior to becoming a full-time college student and has not been a past recipient of this scholarship. The following factors will be considered in granting scholarships to students but not necessarily in the order indicated.

1. 4-H Participation
2. Scholastics: Grade point average and SAT or ACT from the Dean’s office or other official source
3. Financial Need
4. Leadership (in 4-H and other areas)
5. Future plans
6. Extra Curricular activities other than 4-H
7. Character/Citizenship Qualities

**AMOUNT OF SCHOLARSHIP** — Scholarships shall be $1,000 Up to 2 scholarships will be granted.

**AWARDING OF SCHOLARSHIP** — All scholarships shall be awarded by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Board of Directors of the Duval County 4-H Foundation, Inc., at any regular or special meeting. A Scholarship Committee appointed by the board will screen and make recommendations to the Board. Scholarship recipients will be notified following the April, 2009 4-H Foundation Board meeting. The Scholarship winners will be honored at the 4-H Recognition Banquet in August.

**SUBMIT APPLICATION TO:** Duval County 4-H Foundation, Inc., 1010 N. McDuff Ave., Jacksonville, FL 32254-2031 Phone# 904-378-8850

**PAYMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP** — The scholarship check will be issued to the recipient(s) after the recipient submits a copy of their tuition invoice to the 4-H Foundation office. This doesn’t need to be a paid invoice. **Payment is made directly to the recipient of the scholarship.**

**Applications received in the 4-H office after May 2nd will not be considered!**