



**American Junior Aberdeen Association  
Scholarship Application**

The American Junior Aberdeen Association has elected to award two outstanding Junior Members whom are in pursuit of their college education.

**Deadline: December 1st**

Return it to email address:

[americanjunioraberdeen@gmail.com](mailto:americanjunioraberdeen@gmail.com)

**Eligibility:** The applicant must be a member in good standing of the American Junior Aberdeen Association (AJAA); and have been a member of the AJAA for at least one full year. Members who turned 22 years old before January 1, 2026, are not eligible. Scholarship funds are to be used for furthering the recipient’s education in the field of their choice. Applicants must be a high school senior or enrolled in secondary education at time of application. Junior members may reapply after receiving a scholarship.

**Selection:** The scholarship committee will evaluate all applications and make their decision based on the merits of the application. Selection will be based on academic record, activities, and Aberdeen cattle involvement.

**Application**

Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Current School/University: \_\_\_\_\_

School/University Planning to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Intended Major: \_\_\_\_\_

AJAA Member Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Years Involved with American Aberdeen Cattle? \_\_\_\_\_

Years involved with beef cattle? \_\_\_\_\_ Member of the FFA or 4-H? \_\_\_\_\_ How many years? \_\_\_\_\_

List activities and opportunities with the American Aberdeen Breed:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

List involvement with the American Aberdeen breed and participation in the AJAA:

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Highlight any special recognition or awards:

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**Provide separate list of three references:** List three references, other than family members. Be sure to include their names, addresses, phone numbers, and email address.

**Provide a current resume.**

**Essay-** With this application, write an essay of no more than 500 words about what you plan to study and why you would like to receive the American Junior Aberdeen Association Scholarship.

**SEND COMPLETED APPLICATION TO THE ABOVE EMAIL BY DECEMBER 1st, 2025 FOR ELIGIBILITY OF THIS SCHOLARSHIP. THOSE SELECTED TO RECEIVE THE SCHOLARSHIP WILL BE NAMED AT THE NATIONAL BANQUET HELD IN DENVER, CO.**

### **Scholarship Checklist:**

- 1. Completed Application
- 2. Resume
- 3. References
- 4. Essay
- 5. All of the above completed and sent to [americanjunioraberdeen@gmail.com](mailto:americanjunioraberdeen@gmail.com) by **December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025** in one complete email.