

Scholarships for Specialization in Family and Consumer Sciences

The Minnesota Association of Family and Consumer Sciences (MAFCS) sponsors scholarship awards.

Purposes:

- To recognize scholastic ability, leadership and professional experience
- To encourage students to continue their study in the field
- To provide financial assistance

Undergraduate Eligibility

- Currently enrolled as an undergraduate student in a Human Ecology or Family and Consumer Sciences major attending a college or university in Minnesota.
- A college junior or senior with an academic average of B or above (not less than 3.00 on a 4 point scale).
- Student member of AAFCS/MAFCS.

Graduate Eligibility

- Graduate students with a Human Ecology/Family and Consumer Sciences specialization at a university in Minnesota.
- Active or student member of AAFCS/MAFCS

Other Consideration for Selection

- Evidence of professional promise
- Evidence of service to the college or university and community
- Financial need
- Preference to a Minnesota resident

For 2009-2010 two \$1000 scholarships are available.

Applications and request forms for these scholarships are available from Marian Dombrock, 14409 Freesia Way, Apple Valley, MN 55124 phone # 952-432-2701 or e-mail at marian.dombrock@district196.org . Please request forms no later than November 13, 2009.

FACSEd also sponsors a \$500 scholarship for 2009-10. Please contact Marian Dombrock, 14409 Freesia Way, Apple Valley, MN 55124 phone # 952-432-2701 or e-mail at marian.dombrock@district196.org for this information and application form.

The scholarship application deadline is Friday, December 11, 2009.

If you would like to receive information about any of the fellowships being offered by AAFCS, contact the Awards, Fellowships and Grants Office, AAFCS Headquarters at 800-424-8080. The staff will be pleased to help you.

Scholarship application forms are also available at www.mnafcs.org.

Inquiries: Marian Dombrock marian.dombrock@district196.org or phone#: 952-432-2701.
Lynsee Mattson lynsee.mattson@gmail.com and 218-331-2087.

MINNESOTA ASSOCIATION OF FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

2009-2010 UNDERGRADUATE/GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name _____ Date _____

Address (college) _____ Phone (____)____ - ____
Street City State Zip

Address (home) _____ Phone (____)____ - ____
Street City State Zip

College or university now attending _____

Address: _____

Major _____ Social Security Number ____ - ____ - ____ AAFCS Number _____

Class status for fall of 2009: Junior ____ Senior ____ Graduate Student ____

Expected date of graduation _____

Average credits per semester _____ Cumulative GPA _____

If not carrying a full credit load, explain reasons: _____

Membership in student professional organizations _____

Parent(s) Name _____

Address _____

Name of hometown newspaper _____

Address _____

Name of college newspaper _____

Address _____

(The above three items will be used for publicity purposes if the applicant is awarded a scholarship.)

PERSONAL STATEMENT – Attach a personal statement, not to exceed two pages, with the following information:

1. Your personal and professional goals and aspirations after graduation.
2. Your most meaningful academic experiences as they relate to your career.
3. Your strong skills and interests.
4. Financial statement including a brief description of your plans for the use of this scholarship.
5. A description of scholarships or financial aid that you are receiving.

ACTIVITIES AND HONORS – List college or community activities/honors within the last two years (organization and volunteer).

Activity	Year or Dates Active	Offices, Chairs, Committee Participation and/or Awards

WORK EXPERIENCE – List work experience, full or part-time, since high school graduation, beginning with present or last position held.

Employer	Job Title/Position (ft/pt)	Address	Dates Held

List other activities in which you have participated that have furthered your professional development

(Example: FCCLA)

RECOMMENDATIONS – Two recommendations are required. Please have two faculty members in your major area of study write letters of recommendations. Ask them to send the recommendations to Marian Dombrock, 14409 Freesia Way, Apple Valley, MN 55124 e-mail to marian.dombrock@district196.org by Friday, December 11, 2009. List below the persons you have asked to write recommendations.

1. Name _____ Position _____

Address _____ Phone _____

How long have you known this person? _____

What capacity do you know this person? _____

2. Name _____ Position _____

Address _____ Phone _____

How long have you known this person? _____

What capacity do you know this person? _____

TRANSCRIPTS – To complete this application form, an official transcript of your college work must be attached, including 2009 spring quarter or semester grades.

CERTIFICATION – I certify that the information given in this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge, and I agree to comply with any necessary regulations.

Applicant's Signature

Date