

MASAMI CATTLE RANCH, INC. SCHOLARSHIP

Before completing this application form, each applicant should read the description of the scholarship found on page four. If, after reading the terms outlined there, the applicant accepts these terms and qualifies under them, he/she should complete the application form.

I have read page four of this form and believe I qualify as an applicant for a Masami Cattle Ranch, Inc. Scholarship.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

After completing the application form, the applicant should send it to:

Masami Cattle Ranch, Inc. Scholarship
c/o Tehama County Department of Education
Attention: Abbi Papendick
apapendick@tehamaschools.org
1135 Lincoln Street, Red Bluff, CA 96080

The application is to arrive at the above address no later than the **last Monday in April**. Each applicant must submit the following with the completed application:

- √ An up-to-date transcript of academic record.
- √ The results of any College Board Entrance Examination (SAT or ACT) taken during the past 12 months.
- √ Confidential Financial Statement by parent/guardian.
- √ A recent unmounted photograph of the applicant.
- √ Two letters of recommendation.
- √ An essay of no more than 300 words on your personal aspirations and how attendance at college will support them.

APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

Name _____

Home Address _____

Telephone _____ Citizenship _____ Marital Status _____

Date of Birth _____ Age _____ Birthplace _____

Father's Full Name _____ Occupation _____

Mother's Full Name _____ Occupation _____

High School _____ Graduation Date _____

Date of Proposed Enrollment in University/College _____

Name and Location of University/College _____

For what occupation/profession are you preparing? _____

In what subject do you propose to major? _____

Condition of your health _____

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Extracurricular activities in which you have taken an active part while in high school (student body, clubs, scouting, 4-H, church, etc.):

Hobbies and special interests:

Kind of work done (if any) to earn extra money:

What is the total of your personal assets (including savings, endowment, trust funds, stocks and bonds, automobiles, property, etc.)?

What other scholarships have you applied for?

Have any scholarships been granted to you? _____ Amount Awarded: _____

What will you be contributing toward the cost of your education?

Will you receive funds from any other source to assist you with your education? _____
If so, state amounts and details:

Reference: Please provide the name, address and telephone number of the two persons whose letters of recommendation accompany this application. These people should be from two of the following groups of individuals: clergy, teachers, neighbors, youth group leaders, employers.

1. _____
2. _____

In addition, please provide the names of two additional individuals who might be contacted by the trustees, if necessary or appropriate. Hopefully these people will represent others of the categories of people listed above. Letters of recommendation are not required from these individuals.

1. _____

2. _____

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Confidential Financial Statement by Parent/Guardian

The following information must be furnished by the parent/guardian of the student/applicant:

Name of Student/Applicant _____

Name of Father _____

Father's Address _____ Telephone Number _____

Name of Mother _____

Mother's Address _____ Telephone Number _____

Total ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME of BOTH parents as reported n Federal Income Tax return last year: \$ _____

Amount of annual support to be given student/applicant by parents \$ _____

Amount, if any available to student/applicant from other sources \$ _____

Value of home and other real estate \$ _____ Amount of Mortgage \$ _____

Value of other investments \$ _____ Savings and checking accounts \$ _____

Federal Income Tax Paid: Last Year \$ _____ Previous Year \$ _____

Other members of your immediate family:

Name	Relation to Parent	Age	Degree of Dependency upon Parent

List any other persons dependent upon parent/guardian for support and indicate degree of dependency

(Please use additional sheets to clarify any unusual items).

WE DECLARE that the information reported on this form, to the best of our knowledge, is correct and complete.

Signature of Father

Date

Signature of Mother

Date

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Description of Masami Cattle Ranch, Inc. Scholarship and Requirements

The Masami Cattle Ranch, Inc. Scholarship Fund was established in 1989 by the Masami Cattle Ranch, Inc. for the purpose of recognizing worthy students who aspire to a Bachelor's Degree from a four-year college or university and who are graduates of any public high school in Tehama County, California. The President of the company, Mr. Masami Ishida, has extensive involvement in Japanese beef production and marketing. He and his associates recognize the value and importance of education in contemporary life and in the operation of the world economy.

The endowed scholarship fund is administered by three trustees designed in the agreement establishing the scholarship trust. The Masami Cattle Ranch, Inc. normally names one of the trustees who will serve with the other designees. The Masami Cattle Ranch, Inc. conducts beef ranching activities in Tehama County. The funds for the scholarship are derived from an endowment provided when the trust was initiated.

Requirements for Securing a Scholarship

To be eligible to receive a Masami Cattle Ranch, Inc. Scholarship, a student must:

1. Have graduated from a public high school in Tehama County;
2. Have been accepted by the four-year college or university he or she plans to attend;
3. Have at least a 2.5 high school grade point average (based on a 4.0 scale);
4. Have pursued a course of study in high school considered academic by the standards of the University of California or the California State University systems;
5. Have demonstrated leadership, responsibility, and potential for success in his/her chosen field of study; and
6. Show evidence of need for financial assistance in order to attend a college or university.

The trustees may wish to interview scholarship finalists. The student shall write an essay of no more than 300 words on his/her personal aspirations and how attendance at college will support them.

This scholarship application, together with requested materials, must be received at the Tehama County Department of Education by the **last Monday in April**. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Scholarship Terms and Conditions

The scholarship(s) may be awarded annually. The amount of the scholarship will be determined annually by the trustees. Receipt of the scholarship assumes that the recipient remains in good standing at his/her college or university and maintains a 2.0 grade point average (based on a 4.0 scale).

The recipient must carry a normal load (minimum of 12 units or the equivalent) at all times. Recipients must send official grade reports to the committee at the end of the semester or quarter to verify that they are meeting the requirements outlined above. It is the responsibility of the recipient to secure this verification and submit it to the scholarship trustees. Without this verification, payment of funds will not occur.

Recipients will be paid in a manner to be determined by the trustees. The scholarship must be used in the semester or quarter immediately following its award. In unusual circumstances, the trustees may be consulted. Should the recipient fail or quit school, the balance of the award may be given to an alternate or a pro-rated portion of fund received repaid. The award may be used only to defray expenses incident to the student's attendance at a college or university. Decisions of the trustees will be final.