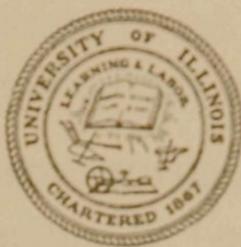


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SCHOLARSHIPS IN
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Scholarships in Agriculture and Home Economics are offered by the Board of Trustees of the University under the following provisions:

1. NUMBER OF SCHOLARSHIPS

There are established two scholarships for each county, one for students in Agriculture and one for students in Home Economics, which exempt the holder from tuition fees.

2. ELIGIBILITY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

(a) *Residence.* A candidate, to be eligible for either scholarship, must meet the requirements of the University for admission, either as a candidate for a degree or as an unclassified student, and must be at the time of examination and must have been for not less than one year prior thereto a *bona fide resident of the county in which he or she writes the examination.*

(b) *Rank in Graduating Class.* Awards to students entering the University from the high schools are made only to those students who in scholarship stood within the upper fifty per cent of the classes with which they graduated. The standing in class must be based on the student's complete high school record in the school from which he graduates. The applicant is required to present a statement from the principal of his high school certifying his graduation and his scholastic rank within his class.

(c) *College Record.* Awards to students entering the University from other colleges or universities are made only to those who have achieved an average of fifteen points above the passing mark of the college or university in which they were enrolled; the student's average in such a case is computed on the basis of his full college record. If the student has attended college less than a year before the award,

he must qualify on the basis of his high school record.

(d) *University Students Ineligible.* No person who has been a student in the University of Illinois is eligible for appointment to one of these scholarships.

3. APPOINTMENTS TO SCHOLARSHIPS

The awarding of scholarships in Agriculture and Home Economics is made on the following basis:

(a) *Competitive Examination.* All candidates for these scholarships must pass with an average grade of 70 or higher the competitive scholarship examination which is held each year in each county *on the last Saturday in March.* In counties from which there is more than one candidate, the scholarship is awarded to the candidate who ranks highest in the examination, if he is otherwise eligible. (See examination outline below.)

(b) *University Registration.* All candidates who are awarded scholarships must register in the University for a curriculum in Agriculture or Home Economics at the opening of the semester or summer session when the scholarship becomes effective. Failure to do so forfeits the scholarship.

(c) *Notice to County Superintendent.* Students who plan to write the examination should notify the county superintendent of schools in the county where they reside of their intention two weeks in advance of the examination date in order that sufficient questions will be available.

4. PERIOD OF SCHOLARSHIP

An Agriculture or Home Economics scholarship is good for four years unless suspended or forfeited for reasons stated in paragraphs 7 and 8.

5. EXTENSION OF SCHOLARSHIPS

By action of the Board of Trustees under date of July 14, 1924, a scholarship may be extended by the President of the University to cover a

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period of absence, not exceeding two years, under the following conditions:

(a) All applications for an extension of the term of a scholarship must be made in writing to the President.

(b) The application for extension must be filed in advance of the time of leaving the University.

(c) An extension may be granted in case the holder requires leave of absence from the University to earn money to complete his education.

(d) The holder must have completed the work of at least two semesters after the award of the scholarship.

(e) The student's work for the time during which he has been at the University must have been at least of average grade. This is indicated by a grade of "C." No student whose average is below "C" may receive an extension of his scholarship.

6. VALUE OF SCHOLARSHIP

These scholarships will excuse the holder from payment of tuition only during the period of the scholarship. They do not provide for waiver of the Service fee or the Hospital-Medical-Surgical Insurance fee.

7. SCHOLARSHIP SUSPENDED OR FORFEITED

If the holder is placed on probation because of unsatisfactory work, the scholarship shall not be available for his use during the period of his probation. In case a scholarship holder fails to pursue work in Agriculture or Home Economics, or, by action of University authorities, is dismissed for poor work or for any other cause, the scholarship is forfeited.

8. REMOVAL FROM STATE OF HOLDERS OF SCHOLARSHIPS

These scholarships are awarded only to students whose legal residence is in the state of Illinois. If the legal residence of the holder of

a scholarship is changed from Illinois to some other state, his scholarship is thereby forfeited.

THE COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION

The examination is held in the office of the County Superintendent of Schools on the last Saturday in March. The County Superintendent will announce the place and hour of the examination in each county. *The applicant must take the examination in the county in which he resides* and must average 70 or higher in the examination. Writing paper and pencils are furnished in the examination room.

SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION

The examination is of the objective type and is designed to measure abilities which predict success in the University. It is based on knowledge and skill normally acquired before completion of secondary education. It will require one half-day session of about three hours.

OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS IN AGRICULTURE AND HOME ECONOMICS

In addition to the scholarships described in this circular, there are various scholarships in Agriculture and Home Economics which carry cash awards. Applications for these scholarships should be filed with the Scholarship Committee of the College of Agriculture, 104 Mumford Hall.

Information about entrance requirements and application for admission to the University may be obtained from the Office of Admissions and Records, Administration Building, Urbana, Illinois.

Information about other scholarships may be obtained by writing to:

The Director of the Undergraduate
Scholarship Program
University of Illinois
907 South Sixth Street
Champaign, Illinois