



The Clarendon County Farm Bureau Scholarship

The Scholarship Award is sponsored to provide scholarship assistance to a student from a Clarendon County Farm Bureau family to pursue a higher education and who are committed to the agricultural industry in South Carolina. It is also desired that the scholarship(s) will result in the encouragement of students to develop the knowledge and skills to assume positions of leadership in agriculture, civic affairs and/or public service. The scholarship is valued at \$1000 annually and the applicant is recognized during the Clarendon County Farm Bureau Annual Meeting in September.

Eligibility:

- Either Student or Parent(s) must be a current paid Clarendon County Farm Bureau Member
- Student must be a graduating high school senior who has been accepted to attend an accredited college or university in the fall term pursuing an undergraduate degree in an agriculture or agricultural-related major
- Student must have maintained a “C” average or better during high school
- Applicant must be a United States citizen and a resident of the State of South Carolina

Selection:

The scholarship applications will be judged on the following:

- Scholastic Achievement
- Initiative
- Extra-curricular Activities
- Letter of Recommendation
- Quality and completeness of application materials

Complete applications must emailed, mailed or hand-delivered to the Clarendon County Farm Bureau Office no later than close of business on April 30. Recipients will be announced by May 31 and will be recognized at the Clarendon County Farm Bureau Annual Meeting in September. A check will be issued directly to the accredited college/university upon notification the winner is registered for the fall term.

Physical Address:
Clarendon County Farm Bureau
201 E Boyce Street
Manning, SC 29102

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Clarendon County Farm Bureau
PO Box 609
Manning, SC 29102

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Clarendon County Farm Bureau Scholarship Award Program

Section 1. Applicant Information

Farm Bureau Member #: _____ Membership in the name of: _____

Applicant's Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Email: _____

Section 2. Parents/Guardians

Name of Parents or Guardians: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Section 3. High School

School Name: _____ District: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Major Courses Taken (with emphasis toward college major): _____

Date of High School Graduation: _____ Academic Rank in Class: _____

SC Uniform Grading Scale GPA: _____

Applicant is required to submit an official high school transcript with application.

Section 4. Higher Education

College/University Name where applicant has been admitted and plans to attend: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Major: _____ Minor: _____

Section 5. List Academic Awards and/or Honors Received

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Section 6. List school activities, including clubs, athletics, offices held, etc.

Section 7. List other community activities such as Church, Community Involvement, Work Experience, etc.

Section 8. Required Essay: Write a one-page essay entitled, “What Farm Bureau Means To Me” and include with application.

Section 9. Letter of Recommendation: Include a letter of recommendation from either a high school principal or guidance counselor. (Application will be considered incomplete without a reference letter.)

Section 10: Applicant Certification

I, the undersigned, hereby make application for the Clarendon County Farm Bureau Scholarship. I certify that:

- A. All the enclosed information is true and correct.
- B. I will notify the Clarendon County Farm Bureau if there should be any interruption in my plans for continuing my education this coming year.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Application Checklist

To ensure that your application is processed, be sure that each one of the five items below is included and mailed with your application. For application details, see the application guidelines. Applications missing items will not be accepted for the selection process.

- _____ 1. A Clarendon County Scholarship Application Form
- _____ 2. A copy of most recent high school or college transcript showing all grades and GPA.
- _____ 3. A one page essay on “What Farm Bureau Means to Me”
- _____ 4. Letter of Recommendation from a high school principal or guidance counselor
- _____ 5. **Application Deadline:** The application deadline is **April 30**.
Mail, e-mail or hand deliver applications and all required documentation and references to the attention of Clarendon County Farm Bureau President at:

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