



## **\$1,000 SCHOLARSHIP**

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The Crawford County Farm Bureau Board of Directors annually presents at least one \$1,000 (one-thousand dollar) scholarship to a qualified applicant. The recipient is selected by the Scholarship Committee and the Board of Directors, based on the consideration of all completed applications submitted. The decision of the committee is final. The award will be presented to the successful applicant at a time and place to be determined by the committee.

All applicants must:

- Be a farm bureau member, *member's child or grandchild*, in good standing of the Crawford County Farm Bureau
- Be a high school senior or current college student intending to or currently pursuing a degree related to agriculture at an accredited community college, college, or university.
- Provide appropriate verification of current class rank and cumulative GPA
- Provide one letter of reference from a teacher, guidance counselor, principal, or other school official
- Provide one letter of reference from a non-school related person as evidence of good character (may not be written by an immediate family member)
- Complete and return the selected essay by the deadline
- Complete and return the application form by the deadline

**RETURN THE COMPLETED APPLICATION TO THE  
CRAWFORD COUNTY FARM BUREAU OFFICE AT 1221 N ALLEN ST,  
ROBINSON, IL 62454 BY 4:30 PM ON APRIL 17, 2024.**

**IMPORTANT**

***You are responsible for including the following items with your application. If one or more documents are missing, your application may be disqualified.***

***\*\* High School transcript \*\****

***\*\* Completed Essay \*\****

***\*\* Two letters of reference \*\****

**2024 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

Applicant may type or neatly print information on this page or may substitute a computer-generated form that contains all the requested information. Additional sheets can be attached if needed to answer any questions.

**SECTION 1: GENERAL INFORMATION**

Name\_\_\_\_\_

Address\_\_\_\_\_

Phone\_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

College or University you are/plan to attend\_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted\_\_\_\_\_ Major \_\_\_\_\_

Are you employed\_\_\_\_\_ Place of employment \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever received the CCFB scholarship?\_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a scholarship or tuition waiver for the 2024-25 school year? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please describe\_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Names\_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Occupations\_\_\_\_\_

Number of siblings living at home\_\_\_\_\_

Number of family members attending college\_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION 2: ACADEMIC INFORMATION****(most current)**

GPA: \_\_\_\_ on a \_\_\_\_ scale

High School Class Rank: \_\_\_\_ in a class of \_\_\_\_

Composite ACT score: \_\_\_\_ SAT score: \_\_\_\_ Date Taken: \_\_\_\_

**SECTION 3: ACTIVITIES (attach additional sheets if necessary)**

List school clubs, organizations, or activities you have participated in. Indicate offices held, position of leadership, or any special recognition you have received.

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List church, civic, community or any activities you have participated in outside of school. List any special recognition received or offices held in these activities.

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List any hobbies or interests you are involved with outside of school.

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**SECTION 4: PROFESSIONAL GOALS**

In 500 words or less, explain your career choice and goals for the future. How will this scholarship help you obtain these goals?

**SECTION 5: ESSAY (Choose only 1, minimum 500 words, double spaced)**

- 1) What do you feel is the most significant improvement the agriculture industry has made?
- 2) What area of agriculture do you intend to pursue and how will you make a positive impact on agriculture?
- 3) Summarize any experience you have in agriculture/agribusiness. If you have NONE, please answer the following question: How does agriculture affect your life and how do you expect it to shape your future?