



AMADOR COUNTY FARM BUREAU
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Dear Scholarship Applicant,

The Amador County Agricultural Education Scholarship is designed to give financial aid to students residing in Amador County with a desire to pursue an education in the field of Agriculture. This scholarship is based on leadership skills and agricultural involvement. You must be enrolled in a vocational, trade school, two or four year college of your choice.

When you send in your application, it should be accompanied by the following items:

- Official sealed High School or college transcript.
- A one-page typed Personal Essay on the applicant's "Interest in Agriculture".
- Information on intended college and major.

If for some reason any of these items cannot be sent in with your application, but are **postmarked by March 15, 2024**, they will automatically be included in your application packet for consideration.

If any item or your application packet is postmarked after March 15, 2024 it will not be considered.

Personal Essay: A maximum one-page typed essay explaining the applicant's interest in agriculture must also be submitted. The essay should include:

- The field of agriculture in which you are interested in studying.
- Your goals. Be as specific as possible.

Who is Eligible:

- Any high school senior residing and attending school in Amador County or a college student who attended high school in Amador County; entering a vocational or trade school, two or four year accredited college or university majoring in agriculture or an agriculture-related field.
- The student must enroll in at least twelve (12) academic units in their first semester or quarter during the year of the scholarship award.

Criteria used to select a winner: Award is made based on agricultural involvement, leadership skills and career goals.

What is the deadline? All information requested in the application packet must be postmarked by March 10, 2017. **Applications postmarked after this date will not be considered.**

How Many Scholarships are awarded: Four (4) \$1,000.00 will be awarded. The Amador County Farm Bureau, upon receiving a copy of the recipients' class schedule, will issue the award to the recipient. This schedule must confirm an agricultural-related major and a total of at least 12 units in the 1st semester or quarter.

Instructions: The scholarship application and all the required material must be submitted to:

**Amador County Farm Bureau
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If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Amador County Farm Bureau office manager:
Andrea Stretars 209-283-4250.