

**FORT BEND COUNTY FARM BUREAU
ACHIEVEMENT AND ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP**

2019

One or more scholarships in the amount of \$1,000.00 will be awarded to outstanding students of agriculture by the Fort Bend County Farm Bureau.

To qualify for this award, the following guidelines must be met or exceeded:

1. Applicant's parent or guardian must have been members of the Fort Bend County Farm Bureau in good standing on the September 1st preceding the student's high school graduation date, and membership must be current as of the date of scholarship award.
2. Applicant must be a graduating senior ~~from one of the public or private high schools in Fort Bend County, or home-schooled as a permanent resident of Fort Bend County.~~ ^{and live in}
3. Applicant shall demonstrate involvement in extracurricular and academic activities while enrolled in a high school.
4. Applicant shall demonstrate involvement in FFA or 4H activities and has been a member of a 4H club or FFA chapter at least two out of the last four years. A 4-H or FFA advisor must sign the application to verify the membership.
5. Applicant may choose any field of advanced education above high school level.
6. Applicant must plan to enroll in an accredited college, university, or technical school in the fall semester immediately following high school graduation.
7. Applicant shall demonstrate involvement in community and service activities while enrolled in a high school.
8. Applicant must submit a properly completed official Fort Bend County Farm Bureau Scholarship Application. The application must include on a separate piece of paper a typed biographical essay of 200 words or less summarizing the applicant's future plans.

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9. Deadline for applications is **March 30th**. Applications can be left in our night drop if the 30th falls on a weekend. Please submit one (1) original and two (2) copies of the completed application, including one (1) current photo (wallet size or larger). The applications must be received in the Fort Bend County Farm Bureau office at 5253 Highway 36, PO Box 271, Rosenberg, Texas 77471 on or before the application deadline. Applications shall be placed in a sealed envelope with “Scholarship Application” printed on the outside envelope. *No faxed or emailed applications will be accepted.*
10. The Fort Bend County Farm Bureau Board of Directors will review the submitted applications and select the winner(s). Applications will be evaluated as follows:
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| Community and Service Activities | 15 points |
| 4H or FFA Activities | 50 points |
| High School and Academics Activities | 20 points |
| Future Plans | 15 points |
11. The selection of winners will be made on or before May 1st.
12. Winners will be notified and invited to a dinner presentation of scholarships. The dinner presentation will be scheduled after May 1st. Instructions for claiming the scholarship funds will be provided to the winners.
13. The scholarship will be paid in two installments of \$500.00 one each at the completion of registration for the fall and spring semesters that immediately follow the selected applicant’s graduation from high school.
14. The Fort Bend County Farm Bureau Board of Directors reserves the right to waive any technicalities and its decisions shall be final.
15. Questions regarding this scholarship may be directed to John Cotterell at: john@johncotterell or telephone 281-496-6666.

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Application Form

Applicant's Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Home Phone # _____ Cell Phone # _____

Email _____

Date of Birth _____

Parent or Guardian's Name _____

Farm Bureau Membership Number _____

Will you have any siblings attending college at the same time as you? _____

Graduating High School _____ Graduation Date _____

Number of Students in Class _____ Class Ranking _____

GPA _____

SAT/ACT _____

What are your plans for higher education? _____

College, university, or technical school you plan to attend. _____

Field in which you plan to major. _____

_____ I have prepared and have attached my essay at the back of this application

(Yes/No).

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Community Service and Religious Activities (15 points) Score _____

4-H and FFA Activities, Awards, and Honors (50 points) Score: _____

High School and Academic Activities, Awards, and Honors. (20 points) Score: _____

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Future Plans After Graduation

(15 points) Score: _____

Please attach biographical essay of 200 words or less summarizing applicant's future plans.

Applicant Signature

In signing this application, I verify that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge:

Signature _____ Date _____

FFA/4-H Membership Statement

I certify that _____

is a current active member of the

_____ FFA Chapter or
_____ 4-H Club.

Signature of FFA Advisor/4-H Club Leader

Date

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