



Randolph County Farm Bureau Foundation

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Dear Scholarship Applicant:

The Randolph County Farm Bureau Foundation was formed in 1994. The purpose for the Foundation is to promote agricultural education. The importance of educating the general public about the agriculture industry is crucial in moving forward. Scholarships awarded each year are based on application completion, financial need, involvement within the agriculture industry, and future plans.

To be eligible for consideration, an applicant must:

- Be a high school senior graduating in May of 2024, or a current college student
- Be a member or child of a member of the **Randolph County Farm Bureau** since at least January 1, 2023
- Be accepted or plan to enroll as a full-time student in post-secondary education within an **Agriculture** curriculum
- Exhibit potential for successful completion of course of study, 2.0 minimum GPA
- Be a resident of Randolph County

In the selection of scholarship recipients, consideration will be given to the following criteria:

- Scholastic achievement
- Financial need
- Participation in agriculture activities
- Demonstrated leadership in school and community activities

Deadline for all requirements is February 15, 2024. The application is available on our website at <https://www.rcfb.org/foundation>.

- This year the scholarship application is a JotForm. You will not be able to save and continue later, so we recommend that you type your essays in Word or Google Docs and copy and paste into the form. In that JotForm, you can attach any of the required documents *listed below* or mail them to:
Randolph County Farm Bureau Foundation
1403 N Hillcrest Dr, P.O. Box 504
Sparta, IL 62286-0504

Required are:

- **Two** Letters of Recommendation
- Current copy High School and/or College Transcript (Unofficial or official)
- and a Headshot Photo.

Thank you for your interest in Agriculture and Ag Related Fields and our scholarship program. If you have any questions concerning the scholarship or the application, please call the Farm Bureau office at 618-443-4511 or email information@rcfb.org

Sincerely,

Jack McCormick

Jack McCormick, President
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