

Scholarship Requirements Checklist– College Level

Scholarships must be submitted on-line on or before midnight March 1, 2018

Eligibility requirements for all collegiate scholarships

- Applicant must complete questions 1-16
- Applicant must be a member of a Farm Bureau family (*membership must remain in good standing for the duration of the scholarship*)
- Family information (residence, parent/guardian, siblings)
- Collegiate / University information
- Other scholarships (pending or received) / financial assistance
- List percentage of income paying for your education
- List major Agriculture Leadership activities & honors
- List other Leadership activities & honors
- Applicant must upload a copy of the applicant's College Transcript
- Applicant must upload the EFC (Expected Family Contribution) page of FAFSA report
- Please upload a portrait of yourself

Eligibility requirements for Young Farmer & Rancher – Enrolled College Students

Total of 3 awarded, valued at \$2,000 each

Scholarship awards will be announced by May 1, 2018

- Applicant must complete questions 17-19
- Must have completed 45 hours of college credit
- Must have a GPA of at least 2.5
- Must upload a signed degree plan
- Must intend to pursue a career in agriculture
- Must upload a 1000-word Essay describing your work experience and reason for career choice
- Must submit two letters of recommendation

Eligibility requirements for S.M. True, Jr. Agricultural Scholar Award

One scholarship will be awarded valued at \$20,000

Scholarship award will be announced later in May 2018

- Applicant must complete questions 20-23
- Must be a member of Farm Bureau family with continuous membership for at least 3 years at the time of application (*membership must remain in good standing for the duration of the scholarship*)
- Provide two letters of recommendation
 - a. From the county Farm Bureau president of the applicant's membership county, and
 - b. From the dean or head of the agriculture program department of the applicant's college or university
- Must be enrolled, or about to enroll, in an agriculture program major, provide a copy of course work and grades to date of application, and provide a copy of the course work expected for major
- Must upload a 1000-word essay describing why you are deserving of the S.M. True, Jr. Agricultural Scholar Award
- Provide a summary or list of your past accomplishments and your goals for the future